FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, I	D.C. 20549	
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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     BACON KENNETH J						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ARBOR REALTY TRUST INC [ ABR ]										tionship of Reportii all applicable) Director		10% O	wner
(Last)	`	rst) (t	Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/15/2023										Officer (give title below)		Other ( below)	specify
333 EARLE OVINGTON BLVD, SUITE 900				4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
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(City)	(St	ate) (2	Zip)																
		Table	I - No	n-Deriva	tive S	Secu	rities	Acq	uired,	Dis	posed of	, or E	Bene	ficial	ly Own	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transact Date (Month/Day				Execu ay/Year) if any		A. Deemed Recution Date, any Ionth/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)  4. Securitie Disposed Code (Society)					Benefic	ies cially Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
	Code	v	Amount					(A) (D)	(A) or (D)		Transa	ction(s) 3 and 4)			(11341.4)				
Common Stock, par value \$0.01per share 03/15/				03/15/	2023				A		10,199	10,199 A		(1)	39,757			D	
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																		
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	rivative Conversion Date Execution Date, curity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) o Disp of (D	vative urities uired or osed ) r. 3, 4	Expirati	. Date Exercisable and expiration Date Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Ins 3 and 4)		str.	Price of erivative ecurity nstr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownersh Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr.	Ownership Form:	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)	
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Shares of common stock par value \$0.01 per share of Arbor Realty Trust, Inc. (the "Company") granted pursuant to the Company's 2020 Onaibus Stock Incentive Plan.

/s/ John Bishar, Attomey-in-03/17/2023 Fact for Kenneth J. Bacon

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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