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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Kleiman Angela L.			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ESSEX PROPERTY TRUST INC [ESS]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
			f Earliest T Day/Year) 1018	ransaction			Director 10% Owner Sofficer (give title Other (specify below)				
				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting		
		(7 .)						Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction D (Month/Day/Yea	r) Execution	med on Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Secur on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	4 and (A) or	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	10/08/2018			M <u>(1)</u>	83	A	\$ 152.63 (2)	8,482	D		
Common Stock	10/08/2018			S(1)	83	D	\$ 249	8,399	D		

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4.		5. Number	6. Date Exercisab	le and	7. Title and A	
Security	or Exercise	(Monui/Day/Tear)	any	Code		of	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year	·)	Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	
(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8	, S , A , (, I , (Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)				
				Code	V ((A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Purchase)	\$ 152.63	10/08/2018		M <u>(1)</u>		83	12/10/2014(3)	12/10/2023	Common Stock	83

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relation

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Kleiman Angela L. C/O ESSEX PROPERTY TRUST 1100 PARK PLACE, SUITE 200 SAN MATEO, CA 94403

Executive Vice President & CFO

Signatures

/s/ John Farias, Attorney in Fact 10/09/2018

**Signature of Reporting Person Da

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) The transactions reported in this Form 4 were made pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on August 31, 2018.
- (2) Under the options terms, the maximum value that the reporting person could receive is \$100 per share.
- (3) Vests 20% on December 10, 2014 and 1/60th on each monthly anniversary thereafter over four years.

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