### AVALONBAY COMMUNITIES INC

Form 4

Common Stock, par

value \$.01 per share

02/14/2016

February 16, 2016

FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549								OMB APPROVAL				
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(Print or Type F	Responses)											
Wilson Stephen W Symbol			Symbol	Name and				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
				VB]				(Check all applicable)				
(Last)	(Month/D				nsaction			Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below)				
C/O AVALONBAY  COMMUNITIES,  INC., BALLSTON TOWER, 671 N.  GLEBE ROAD  Detail Executive Vice President  Executive Vice President									ent			
	(Street)	Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)				
ARLINGTON, VA 22203							_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ities Ac	equired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	lly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction D (Month/Day/Ye	ar) Execution	emed on Date, if Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)			
				Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	02/11/2016			A	5,483	A	\$ 0 (1)	30,182.4341 (2)	D			

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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)

<ol> <li>Title of</li> </ol>	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.		5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Tit	le and	8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transa	ction	Number	Expiration D	ate	Amou	ınt of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code		of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Unde	rlying	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	8)	Derivative	•		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)
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				Code	V	(A) (D)				Shares	

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer

Wilson Stephen W C/O AVALONBAY COMMUNITIES, INC. BALLSTON TOWER, 671 N. GLEBE ROAD ARLINGTON, VA 22203

**Executive Vice President** 

### **Signatures**

Catherine T. White, as attorney-in-fact under Power of Attorney dated February 17, 2010.

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Other

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\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## **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) Reflects grant of shares of restricted stock under the Company's Stock Option and Incentive Plan, which shares are subject to vesting requirements.
- (2) The amount of securities owned following the reported transaction reflects direct ownership of all shares of common stock, including restricted shares.

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