FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Ty	pe Response	8)															
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Reilly John Patrick				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CHIMERA INVESTMENT CORP [CIM]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)X_ Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O: CHIMERA INVESTMENT CORPORATION, 1211 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/17/2014						Office	r (give title belo	ow)	Other (specify	below)			
(Street) NEW YORK, NY 10036				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)							n/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 Person					
(City) (State) (Zip)				Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned													
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year					(Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			of (D)	Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)		Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial			
			(Mont	onth/Day/Year)		Со	de	V	Amoun	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 a	nd 4)		Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common	Stock		12/17/2014				A	1		42,169	9 A	\$ 3.32	158,596	i		D	
Common Stock												14,500	14,500			By Children	
Reminder: 1	Report on a s	separate line fo	or each class of secur	Derivat	tive Sec	uriti	es Acc	l t quire	Personta conta the fo	ons wh ained in orm dis	no respo n this fo splays a	rm are curre	e not requ ntly valid	ction of inf uired to res OMB conf	spond unle	ess	2 1474 (9-02)
Security	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	Conversion Date Execute or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) (Month Day/Year) Conversion of Derivative		te, if Transaction Code Year) (Instr. 8)		5.	er ative ties red sed 3, 5)	6. Da and I (Mor	ate Exerc Expirationth/Day/	cisable on Date (Year)	7. T Am Und Sec (Ins 4)	Relate and Derivative Security (Instr. 5) Amount or Number 8. Price of Derivative Securities Security (Instr. 5) 9. Number Or Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)		Owners Form o Derivat Securit Direct or India	f Benefici Ownersh y: (Instr. 4)		
					Code	V	(A)		Exer	cisable	Date	110	of Shares				

Reporting Owners

	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Reilly John Patrick C/O: CHIMERA INVESTMENT CORPORATION 1211 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS NEW YORK, NY 10036	X						

Signatures

/s/ John P. Reilly	12/18/2014	

**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) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of such shares for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

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