FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Ty	pe Response	s)														
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MARRIA MOHIT				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CHIMERA INVESTMENT CORP [CIM]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O: CHIMERA INVESTMENT CORPORATION, 520 MADISON AVENUE, 32ND FLOOR				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/16/2018							X_Office	er (give title bel Chief	ow) Investment	Other (specify Officer	below)	
(Street) NEW YORK, NY 10022				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 Person					
(City) (State) (Zip)				Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acqui						ired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned						
(Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		if Code (Instr. 8)		(A) or Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		of (D)	D) Beneficially Owned Followin Reported Transaction(s)		Following	Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial		
						Code	V	Amour	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock		02/16/2018				A ⁽¹⁾		32,46 (2)	Δ	\$ 0 (3)	151,642 (4)		D			
Common Stock		02/16/2018				F		1,800 (5)	D	\$ 17.64	149,842			D		
Common Stock												29,236		I	By 401(k) Plan	
8.00% Series A Cumulative Redeemable Preferred Stock											3,000			I	By Spouse	
Reminder:	Report on a s	separate line fo	r each class of secur	ities bene	eficially o	wned		Perso	ons wh	o respo this fo	rm are	not requ	ction of int uired to res OMB con	spond unle	ess	1474 (9-02)
			Table II - I		ve Securit s, calls, w							y Owned				
	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/\)	Execution Dat	Co	e, if Transaction Number of		evative urities uired or bosed D) tr. 3,	and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) S		Amo Undo Secu	itle and bunt of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Owners Form of Derivat Securit Direct or India	Beneficia Ownershi y: (Instr. 4)	
				C	ode V	(A)		Date Exerc		Expiratio Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

Reporting Owners

	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address		10% Owner	Officer	Other			
MARRIA MOHIT C/O: CHIMERA INVESTMENT CORPORATION 520 MADISON AVENUE, 32ND FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022			Chief Investment Officer				

Signatures

/s/Mohit Marria	02/21/2018
**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) Represents shares of Chimera common stock underlying restricted stock units ("RSUs"). The RSUs are scheduled to vest one-third per year on the first, second and third anniversaries of the grant date and shall be settled 100% in shares of Chimera common stock.
- (2) The reporting person does not intend to report the vesting of the RSUs nor the delivery of the shares of common stock.
- (3) The reporting person elected to defer share settlement until separation of service.
- (4) Each RSU has the economic equivalent of one share of Chimera common stock. Dividend equivalent rights issued on RSUs are included in the reporting person's common stock holding balance. Each dividend equivalent right is the economic equivalent of one share of Chimera common stock.
- (5) Shares reported were withheld for payment of taxes associated with the vesting of prior grants of restricted stock.

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