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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting P COLLIGAN ROBERT S	2. Issuer Name an CHIMERA IN					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) C/O CHIMERA INVESTME CORPORATION, 520 MADI 32ND FLOOR		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/16/2018						X_Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Chief Financial Officer			
(Street) NEW YORK, NY 10022	4. If Amendment, 1	Date Origir	nal Fi	led(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 Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Instr. 8)	tion	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Ownership of India Form: Benefic	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	Code	V	Amount	(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⁾		30,439	А	\$ 0 (2)	122,791 (<u>3)</u>	D		
Common Stock	02/16/2018		F		6,296 (<u>4)</u>	D	\$ 17.64	116,495	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	2.	3. Transaction	3A. Deemed	4.		5.		6. Date Exer	cisable	7. Tit	tle and	8. Price of	9. Number of	10.	11. Nature
Derivative	Conversion	Date	Execution Date, if	Transact	nsaction Number		and Expiration Date		Amount of		Derivative	Derivative	Ownership	of Indirect	
Security	or Exercise	(Month/Day/Year)	any	Code		of		(Month/Day/Year)		Underlying		Security	Securities	Form of	Beneficial
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8))	Deriv	Derivative		Securities (Instr. 5)		Beneficially	Derivative	Ownership		
	Derivative					Secu	Securities		(Instr. 3 and		Owned	Security:	(Instr. 4)		
	Security					Acquired		4)			0	Direct (D)			
					(A) or					*	or Indirect				
					Disposed							Transaction(s)	· · /		
						of (D)							(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
					(Instr. 3,										
					4, and 5)										
											Amount				
								Date	Expiration		or				
								Exercisable		Title	Number				
								LACICISADIC	Date		of				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)				Shares				

Reporting Owners

	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address		10% Owner	Officer	Other			
COLLIGAN ROBERT S C/O CHIMERA INVESTMENT CORPORATION 520 MADISON AVENUE, 32ND FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022			Chief Financial Officer				

Signatures

/s/ Robert Colligan 02/21/2018

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).
- 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 (1) anniversaries of the grant date and shall be settled 100% in shares of Chimera common stock. The reporting person does not intend to report the vesting of the RSUs nor the delivery of the shares of common stock.
- (2) Each RSU has the economic equivalent of one share of Chimera common stock.
- (3) 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.
- (4) Shares reported were withheld for payment of taxes associated with the vesting of prior grants of restricted stock.

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