

M I HOMES INC  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
TRAEGER NORMAN L

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
3700 PARADISE DRIVE  
(Street)  
TIBURON, CA 94920  
(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
M I HOMES INC [MHO]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
03/03/2005

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | Amount (A) or (D) Price   |  |                                   |
| Common Shares                   | 03/03/2005                           |  | M                              |   | 831 A \$ 9,839  | D  |                                   |
| Common Shares                   | 03/04/2005                           |  | S                              |   | 500 D \$ 57.17 9,339  | D  |                                   |
| Common Shares                   | 03/04/2005                           |  | S                              |   | 331 D \$ 57.19 9,008  | 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 Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Phantom Stock <sup>(2)</sup>               | <sup>(3)</sup>   | 03/03/2005                           |  | M                              | 831   | 03/03/2005 03/03/2005                                    | Common Shares   | 831                           |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                               | Relationships |           |         |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| TRAEGER NORMAN L<br>3700 PARADISE DRIVE<br>TIBURON, CA 94920 |               | X         |         |       |

## Signatures

Phillip G. Creek, Attorney-in-Fact for Norman L. Traeger  
Date: 03/04/2005

\*\*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) Common Shares acquired pursuant to 1-for-1 exchange for Phantom Stock units (see Table II).

(2) The Phantom Stock units accrued from time to time under the M/I Homes, Inc. Director Deferred Compensation Plan (the "Plan") in lieu of cash payments for serving as a member of the Board of Directors. The reporting person acquired all such Phantom Stock units at the closing price of the M/I Homes, Inc. common shares on the New York Stock Exchange on the date of allocation of such Phantom Stock units to the reporting person's deferred compensation account under the Plan.

(3) 1-for-1

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