

Ellington Scott
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Ellington Scott

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
NexPoint Residential Trust, Inc.
[NXRT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
300 CRESCENT COURT, SUITE 700
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
08/11/2017

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
General Counsel and Secretary

DALLAS, TX 75201

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(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)	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	08/11/2017		M	11,485	A	11,485	D	
Common Stock						4,671.32 ⁽²⁾	I	By dividend reinvestment plan
Common Stock						92.61 ⁽³⁾	I	By 401(K) plan

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. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	08/11/2017		M	11,485	(4) (4)	Common Stock	11,485

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Ellington Scott 300 CRESCENT COURT, SUITE 700 DALLAS, TX 75201			General Counsel and Secretary	

Signatures

/s/ Brian Mitts, as attorney-in-fact 08/15/2017

**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) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock of NexPoint Residential Trust, Inc.
- (2) Includes shares acquired through dividend reinvestment plan.
- (3) Includes shares acquired through employee benefit plan.
- (4) On August 11, 2016, the reporting person was granted 22,970 restricted stock units which vested 50% on August 11, 2017, and will vest 25% on August 11, 2018 and 25% on August 11, 2019.

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