HOME PROPERTIES INC

Form 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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Value \$.01

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

HELBIG LEONARD F III			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HOME PROPERTIES INC [HME]					S. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)				C [11	viL)	(Check all applicable)		
C/O HOME PROPERTIES, 850 CLINTON SQUARE			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/16/2006					_X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)		
	(Street)		4. If Ame	ndment, Da	te Origina	1		6. Individual or Jo	oint/Group Filin	g(Check
ROCHESTER, NY 14604				Filed(Month/Day/Year)				Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State) 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, i any (Month/Day/Year)		on Date, if	Code (Instr. 8)				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock, Par Value \$.01	08/16/2006			M	4,200	A	\$ 36.28	51,519	D	
Common Stock, Par Value \$.01	08/16/2006			S	2,200	D	\$ 57.06	49,319	D	
Common Stock, Par	08/16/2006			S	470	D	\$ 57.2	48,849	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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1. Title o Derivativ Security (Instr. 3)	ve Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. 5. Number Transaction Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
					(D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)				
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Options to Purchas Commo Stock	se \$ 36.28	08/16/2006		M	4,200	05/06/2004	05/06/2013	Common Stock	4,200

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
HELBIG LEONARD F III							
C/O HOME PROPERTIES	X						
850 CLINTON SQUARE	Λ						
ROCHESTER, NY 14604							

Signatures

/s/ Leonard F. Helbig, III, By Ann M. McCormick, attorney-in-fact

08/17/2006

**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).

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