

TRI Pointe Homes, Inc.  
Form 4  
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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 \*  
MITCHELL THOMAS J

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O TRI POINTE HOMES,  
INC., 19520 JAMBOREE ROAD,  
SUITE 200

(Street)

IRVINE, CA 92612

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
TRI Pointe Homes, Inc. [TPH]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
02/14/2013

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_X\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
See Remarks

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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 or (D) Price                                                                           |                                                          |                                   |   |                              |
| Common Stock                    | 02/14/2013                           |                                                    | J <sup>(1)</sup>               |                                                                   | 105,784 <sup>(1)</sup>                                                                        | A                                                        | Ⓟ 921,755                         | D |                              |
| Common Stock                    | 02/14/2013                           |                                                    | J <sup>(1)</sup>               |                                                                   | 2,548 <sup>(1)</sup>                                                                          | D                                                        | Ⓟ 151,629                         | I | By The Mitchell Family Trust |
| Common Stock                    | 02/14/2013                           |                                                    | J <sup>(1)</sup>               |                                                                   | 1,600 <sup>(1)</sup>                                                                          | D                                                        | Ⓟ 95,254                          | I | By BMG Homes, Inc.           |

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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 5) |
|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------|
|                                            |                                                        |                                      |                                                    | Code                           | V (A) (D)                                                                               | Date Exercisable                                         | Expiration Date                                               | Title                                      | Amount or Number of Shares                                       |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                                                        | Relationships |           |         |             |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------------|
|                                                                                                       | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other       |
| MITCHELL THOMAS J<br>C/O TRI POINTE HOMES, INC.<br>19520 JAMBOREE ROAD, SUITE 200<br>IRVINE, CA 92612 |               |           |         | See Remarks |

## Signatures

/s/ Thomas J. Mitchell  
02/19/2013  
\*\*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) The number of shares of common stock owned by the reporting person as a result of the conversion of TRI Pointe Homes, Inc. (the "Issuer") was adjusted following the completion of the initial public offering (the "IPO") of the Issuer based upon the average closing price of the shares of common stock of the Issuer on the New York Stock Exchange for the ten trading days following the IPO, pursuant to the terms of the Issuer's Plan of Conversion.

**Remarks:**  
PRESIDENT, CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER AND SECRETARY

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