RICHARDSON STEVEN A

Form 4

December 10, 2002

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[] CHECK THIS BOX IF NO TO SECTION 16. FORM OBLIGATIONS MAY CONT INSTRUCTION 1(b).	4 OR FORM 5				
UNITED S	TATES SECURITIES AND EXC. WASHINGTON, D.C. 20				
STATEM	ENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFI	CIAL OWNERSHIP			
Section 17(a) of		ities Exchange Act of 1934, ng Company Act of 1935 or ompany Act of 1940			
(Print or Type Responses					
1. Name and Address of	Reporting Person*				
RICHARDSON	STEVEN	A.			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)			
5225 S LOOP 289					
	(Street)				
LUBBOCK	TEXAS	79424			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)			
2. Issuer Name and Tic	ker or Trading Symbol				
ALAMOSA HOLDINGS, I	NC. APS				
3. I.R.S. Identificati	on Number of Reporting Po	erson, if an entity (Voluntary)			
4. Statement for Month	/Year				
12/02					

6.	Relationship of Rep) to Issuer	-				
	(Check all applicat	ole)						
	Director X Officer (give	title below)		10% Othe	Owner er (specify	below)		
	CH	IEF OPERATING OF	FICER					
7.	Individual or Joint	t/Group Filing (Check Appli	cable)				
		One Reporting P More than One R		erson				
====	TABLE I NO	ON-DERIVATIVE SE	CURITIES AC		DISPOSED	====== OF,	====	
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		2. Trans- action			Disposed (Instr. 3	of (D) , 4 and	ed (A) or 5)	5. Amount of Securitie Beneficia Owned at End of
1. Tit]	e of Security	Trans- action Date	Transact Code (Instr.	ion 8)	Securitie Disposed (Instr. 3	of (D) , 4 and (A)	5)	Amount of Securitie Beneficia Owned at End of Month
Titl	e of Security	Trans- action	Transact Code (Instr.	8)	Securitie Disposed (Instr. 3	of (D) , 4 and (A) or	5)	Amount of Securitie Beneficia Owned at End of Month
Titl (Ins	str. 3) MON STOCK	Trans- action Date (Month/ Day/Year)	Transact Code (Instr Code	8) V	Securitie Disposed (Instr. 3 Amount	of (D) , 4 and (A) or (D)	5) Price	Amount of Securities Beneficiar Owned at End of Month (Instr. 3 and 4)
Titl (Ins	str. 3) 	Trans- action Date (Month/ Day/Year)	Transact Code (Instr Code	8) V	Securitie Disposed (Instr. 3 Amount	of (D) , 4 and (A) or (D)	5) Price	Amount of Securities Beneficiary Owned at End of Month (Instr. 3 and 4)
Titl (Ins	str. 3) MON STOCK	Trans- action Date (Month/ Day/Year)	Transact Code (Instr Code	8) V	Securitie Disposed (Instr. 3 Amount	of (D) , 4 and (A) or (D)	5) Price	Amount of Securities Beneficiar Owned at End of Month (Instr. 3 and 4)

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

*If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction $4\,(b)\,(v)$.

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TABLE II -- DERIVATIVE SECURITIES ACQUIRED, DISPOSED OF, OR BENEFICIALLY OWNED (E.G., PUTS, CALLS, WARRANTS, OPTIONS, CONVERTIBLE SECURITIES)

	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Deriv-	3. Trans- action		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,	Expiration Date 12/6/12	Securities nd (Instr. 3 and 4) te Amount or	8. Pr) of - De t at Se	
Derivative Security		Date (Month/	8)	4 and 5)	Date Expi		it (I	
(Instr. 3)				(A) (D)				
EMPLOYEE STOCK OPTION (RIGHT TO BUY)	\$.84	12/6/02	A	300,000	(1) 12/6	/12 COMMON 300,000 STOCK		

Explanation of Responses: (1) 4% of the shares subject to the option vest each month commencing on the date of grant.

** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Crime Violations.

See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

/s/ Steven A. Richardson 12/09/02
-----**Signature of the Reporting Person Date

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