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SECURITIES

may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * CATES GEORGE E			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MID AMERICA APARTMENT COMMUNITIES INC [MAA]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)					X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify				
6584 POPL 300	AR AVENUE,	SUITE	03/27/2	007					below)	below)		
N. C. V. V. V. C. V. V. V. C. V. V. V. C. V. V. V. V. C. V. V. V. V. V. C. V.	(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting 				
MEMPHIS,	TN 38138-								Person		porumg	
(City)	(State) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned											
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year	r) Executio any	med on Date, if Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities nAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or			5. Amount of Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Dire Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect t Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock				Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price	242,755.3286	D		
Common Stock									7,181.436	I	IRA	
Common Stock	03/27/2007			G		1,322	D	\$0	12,596.9396	I	JTWROS	
Common Stock									13,403.944	I	Keough Plan	
Common Stock									4,880.2918	I	Spouse	

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Common Spouse Stock 5,896.577 I Spouse IRA

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1. Title of Derivative	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transactio	5. orNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration D		7. Title Amour		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underl	lying	Security	Secui
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securit	ties	(Instr. 5)	Bene
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr.	3 and 4)		Owne
	Security				Acquired						Follo
					(A) or						Repo
					Disposed						Trans
					of (D)						(Instr
					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
									Amount		
									or		
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Number		
									of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

CATES GEORGE E 6584 POPLAR AVENUE SUITE 300 MEMPHIS, TN 38138-

X

Signatures

Kathy Rajadurai 03/27/2007

**Signature of Date Reporting Person

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