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

#### FORM 8-A

# FOR REGISTRATION OF CERTAIN CLASSES OF SECURITIES PURSUANT TO SECTION 12(b) OR (g) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

#### EQUITY LIFESTYLE PROPERTIES, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Maryland 36-3857664

(State of incorporation or organization) (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

Two North Riverside Plaza Chicago, Illinois

60606

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Securities to be registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of each class to be so registered

Name of each exchange on which each class is to be registered

8.034% Series A Cumulative Redeemable Perpetual Preferred Stock The New York Stock Exchange

If this form relates to the registration of a class of securities pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Exchange Act and is effective pursuant to General Instruction A.(c), check the following box. b

If this form relates to the registration of a class of securities pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Exchange Act and is effective pursuant to General Instruction A.(d), please check the following box. o

Securities Act registration statement file number to which this form relates: **333-159014** Securities to be registered pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Act: **None.** 

### INFORMATION REQUIRED IN REGISTRATION STATEMENT

## Item 1. Description of Registrant s Securities to be Registered.

A description of the preferred stock to be registered hereunder is contained in the section entitled Description of Our Series A Preferred Stock in the Registrant's prospectus supplement, dated March 1, 2011, as filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission on March 2, 2011 pursuant to Rule 424(b)(7) of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and under Description of Preferred Stock in the accompanying prospectus, which descriptions are incorporated herein by reference.

Item 2. Exhibits.

Exhibit No.	Description	
3.1	Articles of Amendment and Restatement of Equity LifeStyle Properties, Inc., incorporated by reference to Exhibit 3.1 of the Registrant s Current Report on Form 8-K (File No. 001-11718), filed by the Registrant on May 18, 2007	
3.2*	Articles Supplementary designating Equity LifeStyle Properties, Inc. s 8.034% Series A Cumulative Redeemable Perpetual Preferred Stock, liquidation preference \$25.00 per share, par value \$0.01 per share	
3.3	Second Amended and Restated Bylaws of Equity LifeStyle Properties, Inc., incorporated by reference to Exhibit 3.1 of the Registrant s Current Report on Form 8-K (File No. 001-11718), filed by the Registrant on August 8, 2007	
4.1*	Form of stock certificate evidencing the 8.034% Series A Cumulative Redeemable Perpetual Preferred Stock, liquidation preference \$25.00 per share, par value \$0.01 per share	
* Filed herewith.		

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#### **SIGNATURE**

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 12 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this Registration Statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereto duly authorized.

**EQUITY LIFESTYLE PROPERTIES,** 

INC.

March 4, 2011 /s/ Michael B. Berman

Michael B. Berman

**Executive Vice President and** 

**Chief Financial Officer** 

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