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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * KAUFMAN IVAN

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

03/20/2019

ARBOR REALTY TRUST INC [ABR]

(Check all applicable)

COB, CEO and President

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

X Director X__ 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title below)

C/O ARBOR REALTY TRUST. INC., 333 EARLE OVINGTON

(Street)

BLVD., STE. 900

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

UNIONDALE, NY 11553

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Ta	ble I - Non-	-Derivative Securities Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Benefic	cially Owned
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities Acquired	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	or(A) or Disposed of (D)	Securities	Ownership	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Beneficially	Form:	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)		Owned	Direct (D)	Ownership

Following or Indirect Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)

or (Instr. 3 and 4) Price

(D) Code V Amount Common

 $F^{(1)}$ D 10.167 D 988,582

\$0.01 per share

Stock, par

value 03/20/2019

Common Stock, par value

4,994,736 (2) I

By Arbor Commercial Mortgage, LLC

(Instr. 4)

\$0.01 per share

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Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	3,632	I	By son, Maurice Kaufman
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	1,632	I	By son, Adam Kaufman under Uniform Gift to Minors Act

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Tit	le and	8. Price of	
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transa	ction	Number	Expiration D	ate	Amou	ınt of	Derivative	1
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	(of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Unde	rlying	Security	
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	8) I	Derivative	•		Secur	rities	(Instr. 5)	i
	Derivative				5	Securities			(Instr	. 3 and 4)		
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					((A) or						J
					I	Disposed						
					(of (D)						
					(Instr. 3,						
					4	4, and 5)						
										Amount		
										Amount		
							Date	Expiration	Title	Number		
						Exercisable	Date	11116	of			
				Code	V ((A) (D)				Shares		
				Code	٧ ((A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
KAUFMAN IVAN C/O ARBOR REALTY TRUST, INC. 333 EARLE OVINGTON BLVD., STE. 900 UNIONDALE, NY 11553	X	X	COB, CEO and President	

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Signatures

/s/ Ivan Kaufman 03/22/2019

**Signature of
Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

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

Date

- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Represents shares that have been reaquired by Arbor Realty Trust, Inc. to satisfy tax-withholding obligations in connection with the vesting of Mr. Kaufman's common stock.
- (2) Mr. Kaufman disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

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