FORM 4

# **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Stern Howard Steven			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Veris Residential, Inc. [ VRE ]	Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     X Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle)		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/14/2023	Α	Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)			
C/O VERIS RESIDENTIAL, INC. HARBORSIDE 3, 210 HUDSON ST., STE. 400  (Street)		STE. 400	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
JERSEY CITY NJ 07311		07311	Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication						
(City) (State) (Zip)		(Zip)	Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10.						

## 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)	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	Beneficial Ownership	
			Code V		Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	06/14/2023		A <sup>(1)</sup>		6,773	A	<b>\$0</b> <sup>(1)</sup>	25,418	D		

# 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	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transac Code (In 8)		5. Num Derivat Securit Acquire or Disp (D) (Ins and 5)	ive ies ed (A) osed of	6. Date Exerc Expiration Day/Y	ate	7. Title and A Securities Un Derivative So (Instr. 3 and	nderlying ecurity	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		

### **Explanation of Responses:**

1. On June 14, 2023, the reporting person was granted 6,773 restricted shares of common stock pursuant to the Amended and Restated 2013 Incentive Stock Plan of Veris Residential, Inc. The shares shall vest on the earlier to occur of (a) June 14, 2024, or (b) the date of the 2024 annual meeting of stockholders of Veris Residential, Inc.

<u>/s/ Howard S. Stern</u> <u>06/16/2023</u>

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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

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