Seritage Growth Properties Form 4

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### FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** BERKOWITZ BRUCE R			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
<i>a</i>	(E' 1)	Seritage Growth Properties [SRG]		(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction				
			(Month/Day/Year)	DirectorX 10% Owner			
C/O FAIRHOLME CAPITAL			12/09/2016	Officer (give title Other (specify			
MANAGEM	ENT, L.L.C	C., 4400		below) below)			
BISCAYNE	BOULEVA	RD, 9TH					
FI OOR							

(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 Person

**MIAMI, FL 33137** 

(City)	(State) (Z	(ip) Table	I - Non-Deri	ivative Sec	curitie	es Acquir	ed, Disposed of, o	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Class C			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Non-Voting Common Shares, \$0.01 par value	12/09/2016		J(1)(3)	7,600	D	\$ 45.78	5,711,185 <u>(4)</u>	I	See Footnote (2)
Class A Common Shares, \$0.01 par	12/09/2016		J(1)(3)	7,600	A	\$ 45.78	3,433,750	I	See Footnote (2)

value

Class A

Common Shares, 12/09/2016  $J_{\frac{(1)(3)}{2}}$  7,600 D  $J_{\frac{(3)}{45.78}}$  3,433,750 I Footnote  $J_{\frac{(2)}{2}}$ 

value

Class C Non-Voting

Common 35,850 D

Shares,

\$0.01 par value

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.	6. Date Exer	cisable and	7. Title	e and	8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transac	tionNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day	Year)	Under	lying	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8	<ul><li>Derivativ</li></ul>	ve .		Securi	ties	(Instr. 5)
	Derivative				Securitie	S		(Instr.	3 and 4)	
	Security				Acquired	[				
					(A) or					
					Disposed	[				
					of (D)					
					(Instr. 3,					
					4, and 5)					
									Amount	
						Date	Expiration		or	
						Exercisable	Date	Title	Number	
				C 1	V (A) (D)				of	
				Code	V (A) (D)				Shares	

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BERKOWITZ BRUCE R C/O FAIRHOLME CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, L.L.C. 4400 BISCAYNE BOULEVARD, 9TH FLOOR MIAMI, FL 33137

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#### **Signatures**

Bruce R. Berkowitz, By: /s/ Paul Thomson (Attorney-in-fact)

12/13/2016

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

# **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- The securities were held in accounts managed indirectly by Mr. Bruce R. Berkowitz (the "Reporting Person") and were sold pursuant to client instructions. The Reporting Person does not have any direct or indirect pecuniary interest in the managed accounts because the Reporting Person (i) does not receive any incentive compensation from the managed accounts and (ii) does not have a direct or indirect interest in the managed accounts.
- The securities may be deemed to be beneficially owned by the Reporting Person because he controls the sole member of a registered investment adviser, which may be deemed to have beneficial ownership of the securities because it serves as the investment manager to a registered investment company and certain private funds and managed accounts. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership in the securities reported on this Form 4 except to the extent of his pecuniary interest, if any, therein, and this report shall not be deemed to be an admission that the Reporting Person is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or for any other purpose.
- Due to a contractual restriction on the sale of the Class C Non-Voting Common Shares, \$0.01 par value ("Class C Shares"), the account sold Class A Common Shares, \$0.01 par value ("Class A Shares") in the market while effecting a conversion of its Class C Shares to Class A Shares (via a transfer agent).
- (4) In addition to the 7,600 securities reported in Column 4, the amount reported in Column 5 accounts for 16,950 shares now held in accounts over which the Reporting Person no longer has beneficial ownership.

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