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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Name and Address of Reporting Person *					2. 1	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
MARRIA MOHIT					CHIMERA INVESTMENT CORP [_X_ Director	nicable)	10%	6 Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle)				3. 1	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)							_X_ Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) CEO & Chief Investment Officer						
C/O: CHIMERA INVESTMENT CORPORATION, 520 MADISON AVENUE, 32ND FLOOR						1/2/2021												
(Street)				4.]	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY)						6. Individual o	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
NEW YORK, NY 10022 (City) (State) (Zip)												_X _ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Trans. Date		Execution Date, if any	tion	3. Trans. Code (Instr. 8)		e 4. Securities Acq or Disposed of (I (Instr. 3, 4 and 5		(D)	ed (A)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) Instr. 3 and 4)		Ownership Form: Direct (D)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
								Code	V	Amou		a) or D)	Price				or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 1/2/2021				021			A (1)		47421	<u>(2)</u>	A	\$0 <u>(3)</u>		480952 (4)		D		
Common Stock				1/2/2	021			A ⁽⁵⁾		500000	<u>(2)</u>	A	\$0 <u>(3)</u>	98	30952 (4)		D	
Common Stock															43236		I	By 401(k) Plan
Common Stock															3547		I	By Ish Marria (6)
Common Stock															3547		I	By Sana Marria 6
8.00% Series A Cur Stock	nulative Rede	emable Prefe	erred												3000		I	By Spouse (6)
	Tab	le II - Dei	rivativ	e Secu	rities	Bene	ficially	Owned (e.g.,	puts,	calls, v	war	rants	, options, convei	tible sec	urities)		
1. Title of Derivate Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	3. Trans. Date		on (I	Trans. Instr. 8)	Acq Disp				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) 8. Price of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned	Ownership Form of Derivative Security:	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
	Security				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exer	cisable	Expirati Date	on		mount or Number of hares		Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	

Explanation of Responses:

- (1) Represents shares of Chimera common stock underlying restricted stock units ("RSUs"). The RSUs are scheduled to vest one-third per year on the first, second and third anniversaries of the grant date and shall be settled 100% in shares of Chimera common stock. The reporting person does not intend to report the vesting of the RSUs nor the delivery of the shares of common stock.
- (2) The reporting person elected to defer share settlement until separation of service (such deferred share units are herein referred to as "DSUs").
- (3) Each RSU has the economic equivalent of one share of Chimera common stock.
- (4) Dividend equivalent rights ("DERs") issued on RSUs and DSUs are included in the reporting person's common stock holding balance. Each DER is the economic equivalent of one share of Chimera common stock.
- (5) Represents shares of Chimera common stock underlying RSUs. The RSUs are scheduled to vest one-fifth per year on January 15 of each year starting from January 15, 2021 and shall be settled 100% in shares of Chimera common stock. The reporting person does not intend to report the vesting of the RSUs nor the delivery of the shares of common stock.
- (6) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of these securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

Re	enoi	ting	Ov	vners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Ivame / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
MARRIA MOHIT C/O: CHIMERA INVESTMENT CORPORATION 520 MADISON AVENUE, 32ND FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022	X		CEO & Chief Investment Officer			

Signatures

/s/ Mohit Marria	1/5/2021		
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date		

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

- * 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).

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