Ladder Capital Corp Form 4 March 13, 2017

## FORM 4

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See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Park Howard

> (First) (Middle)

C/O GI GP III LLC, 188 THE EMBARCADERO, SUITE 700

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Ladder Capital Corp [LADR]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/09/2017

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner \_ Other (specify Officer (give title below)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94105

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securiticomor Dispose (Instr. 3, 4	d of (I	<b>)</b> )	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Class A Common Stock	03/09/2017		С	922,168	. ,	(1)	3,143,988	I	See Footnotes (1) (2) (5) (6)
Class A Common Stock	03/13/2017		S	922,168	D	\$ 14.05	2,221,820	I	See Footnotes (3) (4) (5) (6) (7)
Class A Common Stock	03/13/2017		S	166,918	D	\$ 14.05	2,054,902	I	See Footnotes (3) (4) (5) (6) (8)

Class A Common Stock	03/13/2017	S	23,971	D	\$ 14.05	2,030,931	I	See Footnotes (3) (4) (5) (6) (9)
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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 Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Units and Class B Common Stock	\$ 0	03/09/2017		C	922,168	(1)	<u>(1)</u>	Class A Common Stock	922,168

## **Reporting Owners**

	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Park Howard C/O GI GP III LLC	v					

188 THE EMBARCADERO, SUITE 700 SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94105

# Signatures

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/s/ Jenny McGinnis, attorney in fact 03/13/2017

\*\*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).
- (1) In connection with the March 2017 Offering (as defined herein), on March 9, 2017, GI Ladder Holdco, LLC ("Ladder Holdco") exchanged 922,168 shares of Class B Common Stock (the "Class B Common Stock") of Ladder Capital Corp. ("LCC") and Series REIT

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and Series TRS of Ladder Capital Finance Holdings LLLP (the "Units") into 922,168 shares of Class A Common Stock (the "Class A Common Stock") of LCC (the "Exchange"). No cash or other consideration was exchanged in connection with the Exchange. The exchange right has no expiration date.

- (2) Includes 279,008 shares of Class A Common Stock held by GI Partners Fund III-A L.P. ("GI III-A") and 1,942,812 shares of Class A Common Stock held by GI Partners Fund III-B L.P. ("GI III-B"), in each case following the Exchange.
- On March 7, 2017, LCC, certain pre-IPO stockholders (the "Selling Stockholders"), including Ladder HoldCo, GI III-A and GI III-B, and UBS Securities LLC ("UBS") entered into an Underwriting Agreement, pursuant to which UBS agreed to purchase (the "March 2017 Offering") 3,000,000 shares of LCC's Class A common stock from the Selling Stockholders, including Ladder HoldCo, GI III-A and GI III-B. The March 2017 Offering closed on March 13, 2017.
- (4) (Continued from Footnote 3) In connection therewith, GI III-A sold 23,971 shares of Class A Common Stock, GI III-B sold 166,918 shares of Class A Common Stock and Ladder Holdco sold 922,168 shares of Class A Common Stock to UBS on March 13, 2017.
- GI Partners Fund III L.P. ("GI III") owns Ladder Holdco. GI GP III L.P. ("GI GP LP") is the general partner of GI III, GI III-A, and GI III-B. GI Holdings III L.P. ("GI Holdings") is the limited partner of GI III, GI III-A, and GI III-B. GI GP III LLC ("GI GP LLC") is the general partner of each of GI GP LP and GI Holdings. Mr. Park is a member of the general partner of GI International L.P. ("GI Partners"), which is an affiliated entity of Ladder Holdco, GI III, GI III-A, GI III-B, GI GP LP, GI Holdings, and GI GP LLC.
  - Mr. Park directly (whether through ownership or position) or indirectly through one or more intermediaries, may be deemed for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, to be the indirect beneficial owner of the shares of Class A Common
- (6) Stock and the shares of Units and Class B Common Stock reported herein. Mr. Park disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares reported herein except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that he is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- (7) Following the March 2017 Offering, Ladder Holdco holds 9,811,259 Units and shares of Class B Common Stock and no other securities of LCC.
- (8) Following the March 2017 Offering, GI III-A holds 255,037 shares of Class A Common Stock and no other securities of LCC.
- (9) Following the March 2017 Offering, GI III-B holds 1,775,894 shares of Class A Common Stock and no other securities of LCC. Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays

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