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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

02/10/2009

Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Knight Craig A

(First) (Middle)

6300 BEE CAVE ROAD, BUILDING TWO, SUITE 500

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Issuer Symbol

Forestar Group Inc. [FOR] (Check all applicable)

> Director 10% Owner _X__ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

> > Chief Investment Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

AUSTIN, TX 78746

(City)	(State) ((Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Acq	uired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	02/10/2009		M	4,166 (1)	A	\$ 9.29	25,398	D	
Common Stock	02/10/2009		D	4,166 (1)	D	\$ 9.29	21,232	D	
Common Stock	02/10/2009		A	24,220 (2)	A	\$ 9.29	45,452 <u>(3)</u>	D	
Common Stock							1,763 (4)	I	By Trustee 401(k) Plan (4)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired Disposed (Instr. 3, 4)	(A) or of (D)	6. Date Exerci Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Y	e	7. Title and Ar Underlying Se (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Option (right to buy) (5) (6)	\$ 13.24						02/04/2001	02/04/2010	Common Stock
Option (right to buy) (6) (7)	\$ 11.76						02/02/2002	02/02/2011	Common Stock
Option (right to buy) (6) (8)	\$ 13.26						02/01/2003	02/01/2012	Common Stock
Option (right to buy) (6) (9)	\$ 8.68						02/07/2004	02/07/2013	Common Stock
Option (right to buy) (6) (10)	\$ 15.02						02/06/2005	02/06/2014	Common Stock
Option (right to buy) (6) (11)	\$ 20.26						02/04/2006	02/04/2015	Common Stock
Option (right to buy) (6) (12)	\$ 27.06						02/03/2007	02/03/2016	Common Stock
Option (right to buy) (6) (13)	\$ 30.56						02/02/2008	02/02/2017	Common Stock
Option (right to buy) (14)	\$ 28.85						02/12/2009	02/12/2018	Common Stock
Option (right to buy) (15)	\$ 9.29	02/10/2009		A	35,406		02/10/2010	02/10/2019	Common Stock
Stock Appreciation Right (16)	\$ 9.29	02/10/2009		A	78,807		02/10/2010	02/10/2019	Common Stock
Restricted Share Units (1) (6)	<u>(1)</u>	02/10/2009		M		4,166	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock
	<u>(17)</u>						(17)	(17)	

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Restricted Common **Share Units** Stock (6)(17)Restricted Common (18)**Share Units** (18) 02/10/2009 Α 24,220 (18)Stock (18)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Knight Craig A 6300 BEE CAVE ROAD BUILDING TWO, SUITE 500 AUSTIN, TX 78746

Chief Investment Officer

Signatures

David M. Grimm signing on behalf of Craig A. Knight

02/12/2009

**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) Conditions of Performance share units satisfied 2/10/2009. Performance share units will be settled for cash based on the fair market value on 2/10/2009.
- (2) Restricted shares granted on 2/10/2009 will vest effective 2/10/2012. Restricted shares are subject to a 1% ROA performance criteria.
- (3) In accordance with the Rights Agreement adopted by the Company on December 11, 2007, Preferred Stock Purchase Rights are deemed to be attached to the shares of Common Stock.
- Reporting Person acquired shares through acquisitions under 401(k) plan. By trustee of the Temple-Inland Salaried Savings Plan according to the latest report of the Plan Administrator. (Note: Trustee uses unit accounting; therefore, share equivalents may fluctuate slightly from month to month.)
- (5) Options Vesting Schedule Exercise price is \$13.24: Options Exercisable 02/04/2003- 3,333.
- (6) Shares acquired in a pro rata distribution by Temple-Inland Inc. through a spin-off on or around December 28, 2007.
- (7) Options Vesting Schedule Exercise price is \$11.76: Options Exercisable 02/02/2004-833.
- (8) Options Vesting Schedule Exercise price is \$13.26: Options Exerciserable 02/01/2005- 1,666.
- (9) Options Vesting Schedule Exercise price is \$8.68: Options Exercisable 02/07/2007 2,500.
- (10) Options Vesting Schedule Exercise price of \$15.02: Options Exercisable 02/06/2007 1,250; Options Exercisable 02/06/2008 416.
- Options Vesting Schedule Exercise price of \$20.26: Options Exercisable 02/04/2007 833; Options Exercisable 02/04/2008 416; Options Exercisable 02/04/2009 416.
- Options Vesting Schedule Exercise price of \$27.06: Options Exercisable 02/03/2007 833; Options Exercisable 02/03/2008 833; Options Exercisable 02/03/2009 833; and Options Exercisable 02/03/2010 833.
- Options Vesting Schedule Exercise price of \$30.56: Options Exercisable 02/02/2008 833; Options Exercisable 02/02/2009 833; Options Exercisable 02/02/2010 833; and Options Exercisable 02/02/2011 833.

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Options Vesting Schedule for Options Granted 02/12/2008 - Exercise price is \$28.85: Options Exercisable 02/12/2009 - 16,625; Options Exercisable 02/12/2010 - 16,625; Options Exercisable 02/12/2011 - 16,625; Options Exercisable 02/12/2012 - 16,625.

- Vesting schedule for Options granted 02/10/2009 Exercise price is \$9.29: Options Exercisable 02/10/2010 8,851; Options Exercisable 02/10/2011 8,851; Options Exercisable 02/10/2012 8,852; and Options Exercisable 02/10/2013 8,852.
- (16) Vesting schedule for Stock Appreciation Rights (SARs) granted 02/10/2009 Exercise price is \$9.29: SARs Exercisable 02/10/2010 19,701; SARs Exercisable 02/10/2011 19,702; SARs Exercisable 02/10/2012 19,702; and SARs Exercisable 02/10/2013 19,702.
- (17) Restricted share units will vest effective 02/02/2010. Restricted share units will be settled for cash based on the fair market value on the vesting date.
- (18) Restricted share units granted on 2/10/2009 will vest effective 2/10/2012. Restricted share units will be settled for cash based on the fair market value on the vesting date subject to a 1% ROA performance criteria.

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