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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

(Print or Type Responses)

1 Name and Address of Departing Day

1(b).

1. Name and A PASQUALE	Symbol	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VENTAS INC [VTR]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First) (M		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)				_X_ Director	eck all applicabl 109	e) % Owner
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	4. If Ame	4. If Amendment, Date Original				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
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CHICAGO,						Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Code	4. SecurionAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	l (A) o l of (D))	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)
Common Stock	01/01/2015		A	1,813 (1)	A	\$0	99,941	D	
Common Stock							4,326 (2)	I	By IRA

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)

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1 8	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
PASQUALE DOUGLAS M							
353 N. CLARK STREET	X						
SUITE 3300	Λ						
CHICAGO, IL 60654							

Signatures

Douglas M. Pasquale, By. T. Richard Riney, Attorney-In-Fact

01/05/2015

**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).
- Restricted stock granted by Issuer pursuant to the Ventas, Inc. 2012 Incentive Plan (the "Plan"). This restricted stock vests in two equal **(1)** annual installments beginning on the first anniversary of the date of the grant.
- (2) As of January 1, 2015, Reporting Person also owns options to purchase an aggregate of 20,000 shares of Issuer's common stock.

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