FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Ladd Robert T.						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Stellus Capital Investment Corp [ SCM ]								(Che	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
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(Last) C/O STE		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/18/2015									Offic belo	er (give title w)		other (specify elow)						
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		Tabl	e I - No	on-Deriv	ative	Sec	uritie	s Ac	quired	l, Di	sposed o	f, or I	3ene	ficiall	y Own	ed				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transacti Date (Month/Day						Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)						Secur Benef Owne	icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	ect of Indirect rect Beneficial			
			Code	v	Amount			(A) (D)	or Pi	ice	Trans	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(111511.4)						
Common Stock 11/18/2						2015			P		3,010	A	. \$	10.12 <sup>(1</sup>	(1) 142,517 <sup>(2)</sup>		D			
		Та	ıble II -								osed of, convertib				Owned					
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 Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y		ite	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Ins and 4)		De Se (Ir	Price of erivative ecurity estr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction( (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial (D) Ownership rect (Instr. 4)		
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. The price shown in Column 4 is the weighted average purchase price, rounded to the nearest hundredth, of the shares of common stock of Stellus Capital Investment Corporation (the "Issuer"), par value \$0.001 per share, on the transaction date. The price range for the purchases is \$10.07 to \$10.13 per share. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide upon request by the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, the Issuer or a security holder of the Issuer full information regarding the number of shares purchased at each separate price.

2. The amount of securities beneficially owned following the reported transactions also includes an additional 4,435 shares issued under the DRIP.

/s/W. Todd Huskinson, attorney-in-fact 11/20/2015

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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