

NEW PLAN EXCEL REALTY TRUST INC  
 Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 NEWMAN MELVIN

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 NEW PLAN EXCEL REALTY TRUST INC [NXL]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 09/27/2005

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

C/O NEW PLAN EXCEL REALTY TRUST, INC., 420 LEXINGTON AVENUE

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

NEW YORK, NY 10170

(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
				Code	V	Amount	

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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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 Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. P Der Sec (Ins	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.77	09/27/2005		<u>J(1)</u>	485	05/25/1999	05/25/2009	Common Stock	485
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 12.23	09/27/2005		<u>J(1)</u>	518	06/01/2000	06/01/2010	Common Stock	518
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 15.15	09/27/2005		<u>J(1)</u>	550	06/01/2001	06/01/2011	Common Stock	550
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.41	09/27/2005		<u>J(1)</u>	582	06/01/2002	06/01/2012	Common Stock	582
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 18.45	09/27/2005		<u>J(1)</u>	615	06/02/2003	06/02/2013	Common Stock	615
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 21.08	09/27/2005		<u>J(1)</u>	647	06/01/2004	06/01/2014	Common Stock	647
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 23.85	09/27/2005		<u>J(1)</u>	680	06/01/2005	06/01/2015	Common Stock	680

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other

NEWMAN MELVIN  
C/O NEW PLAN EXCEL REALTY TRUST, INC.  
420 LEXINGTON AVENUE  
NEW YORK, NY 10170

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## Signatures

/s/ Steven F. Siegel,  
Attorney-in-Fact

09/27/2005

\_\_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) On September 27, 2005, the Company paid a \$3.00 special dividend to its stockholders, which resulted in an anti-dilution adjustment that increased the number of options held by the reporting person and decreased the option exercise price.

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