

ANNALY CAPITAL MANAGEMENT INC  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
**BRADY KEVIN**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**ANNALY CAPITAL MANAGEMENT INC [NLY]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**08/11/2015**

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

**C/O ANNALY CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, INC., 1211 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS**

(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 10036**

(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 Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	08/11/2015		P	48,750 A \$ 10.16	48,750	I	By the Kevin P Brady Family Trust <sup>(1)</sup>
Common Stock					44,150	D	
Common Stock					42,500	I	By wife <sup>(1)</sup>

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Common Stock		750	I	By daughter <u>(1)</u>
Common Stock		750	I	By daughter <u>(1)</u>
Common Stock		9,000	I	By mother <u>(1)</u>

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 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. Pr Deri Secu (Instr	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option to purchase Common Stock <u>(2)</u>	\$ 16.46					05/08/2009	05/08/2018	Common Stock	20,000
Option to purchase Common Stock <u>(2)</u>	\$ 15.61					09/19/2009	09/19/2018	Common Stock	10,000
Option to purchase Common Stock <u>(2)</u>	\$ 13.25					04/22/2010	04/22/2019	Common Stock	12,500
Option to purchase Common Stock <u>(2)</u>	\$ 18.67					06/27/2011	06/27/2016	Common Stock	1,250

Option to purchase Common Stock <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 17.11	06/26/2012	06/26/2017	Common Stock	1,250
Deferred Stock Units	<sup>(3)</sup>	<sup>(3)</sup>	<sup>(3)</sup>	Common Stock	35,437 <sup>(4)</sup>

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BRADY KEVIN C/O ANNALY CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, INC. 1211 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS NEW YORK, NY 10036	X			

## Signatures

/s/ Kevin Brady                      08/11/2015  
 \*\*Signature of                      Date  
 Reporting Person

## 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) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of such shares for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- (2) Options previously granted.
- (3) The Deferred Stock Units ("DSUs") convert to shares of Common Stock on a one-for-one basis one year after the date of grant unless the director elects to defer the settlement of the DSUs following a termination of service as described in Annaly Capital Management, Inc. 2010 Equity Incentive Plan.
- (4) Reflects the aggregate amount of DSUs granted during the tenure of the respective director net of any conversions.

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