| Marlett Wendy L<br>Form 3<br>April 09, 2009<br>FORM 3 UNITED STA       | TES SECURITIES AN                                                                       | D EXCHANGE COMMISS                                                                                    | SION OMB APPROVAL                                                                                                                                             |  |  |  |
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|                                                                        | Washington, I                                                                           | OMB 3235-0104<br>Number:                                                                              |                                                                                                                                                               |  |  |  |
| INITIAL S                                                              | TATEMENT OF BEN<br>SECURI                                                               | EFICIAL OWNERSHIP O<br>FIES                                                                           | Expires. 2005<br>Estimated average                                                                                                                            |  |  |  |
| Section 17(a) of                                                       |                                                                                         | Securities Exchange Act of 19<br>ng Company Act of 1935 or S<br>Company Act of 1940                   | •                                                                                                                                                             |  |  |  |
| (Print or Type Responses)                                              |                                                                                         |                                                                                                       |                                                                                                                                                               |  |  |  |
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting<br>Person <u>*</u><br>Marlett Wendy L | <ul><li>2. Date of Event Requiring</li><li>Statement</li><li>(Month/Day/Year)</li></ul> | <ul><li><sup>g</sup> 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</li><li>KB HOME [KBH]</li></ul>      |                                                                                                                                                               |  |  |  |
| (Last) (First) (Middle)                                                | 04/02/2009                                                                              | 4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer                                                      | 5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)                                                                                                          |  |  |  |
| C/O KB HOME, 10990<br>WILSHIRE BOULEVARD                               |                                                                                         | (Check all applicable)                                                                                |                                                                                                                                                               |  |  |  |
| (Street)<br>LOS ANGELES, CA 90024                                      |                                                                                         | Director10% Owner<br>XOfficerOther<br>(give title below) (specify below)<br>SVP, Sales, Mark. & Comm. | 6. Individual or Joint/Group<br>Filing(Check Applicable Line)<br>_X_ Form filed by One Reporting<br>Person<br>Form filed by More than One<br>Reporting Person |  |  |  |

|                                    |         |                               |                                                             |                                                                            | Reporting Person                                            |
|------------------------------------|---------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|
| (City)                             | (State) | (Zip)                         | Table I - Non-Derivat                                       | tive Securiti                                                              | es Beneficially Owned                                       |
| 1.Title of Secur<br>(Instr. 4)     | ity     |                               | 2. Amount of Securities<br>Beneficially Owned<br>(Instr. 4) | 3.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I)<br>(Instr. 5) | 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 5) |
| Common Sto                         | ock     |                               | 11,043                                                      | D                                                                          | Â                                                           |
| Reminder: Repo<br>owned directly o | •       | e line for each class of sect | urities beneficially S                                      | SEC 1473 (7-02)                                                            | )                                                           |

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#### Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 4) | 2. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3. Title and Amount of<br>Securities Underlying<br>Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 4) | 4.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of | 5.<br>Ownership<br>Form of<br>Derivative | 6. Nature of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 5) |
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|                                               |                                                                | Title                                                                                | Derivative<br>Security                      | Security:<br>Direct (D)                  |                                                                |

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|                                               | Date<br>Exercisable | Expiration<br>Date |                 | Amount or<br>Number of<br>Shares |               | or Indirect<br>(I)<br>(Instr. 5) |   |
|-----------------------------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|-----------------|----------------------------------|---------------|----------------------------------|---|
| Non-Qualified Stock<br>Options (right to buy) | (1)                 | 10/30/2016         | Common<br>Stock | 10,000                           | \$ 13.95      | D                                | Â |
| Non-Qualified Stock<br>Options (right to buy) | (1)                 | 10/07/2017         | Common<br>Stock | 13,334                           | \$ 21.51      | D                                | Â |
| Non-Qualified Stock<br>Options (right to buy) | (1)                 | 10/07/2017         | Common<br>Stock | 6,666                            | \$ 23.13      | D                                | Â |
| Non-Qualified Stock<br>Options (right to buy) | (1)                 | 10/24/2018         | Common<br>Stock | 3,734                            | \$ 33.24      | D                                | Â |
| Non-Qualified Stock<br>Options (right to buy) | (1)                 | 10/24/2018         | Common<br>Stock | 7,466                            | \$ 33.92      | D                                | Â |
| Non-Qualified Stock<br>Options (right to buy) | (1)                 | 10/22/2019         | Common<br>Stock | 10,000                           | \$ 45.68      | D                                | Â |
| Non-Qualified Stock<br>Options (right to buy) | (1)                 | 10/18/2015         | Common<br>Stock | 2,000                            | \$ 69.63      | D                                | Â |
| Phantom Shares                                | 07/11/2010          | 07/11/2010         | Common<br>Stock | 9,326                            | \$ <u>(2)</u> | D                                | Â |
| Phantom Shares                                | 10/04/2010          | 10/04/2010         | Common<br>Stock | 10,677                           | \$ <u>(2)</u> | D                                | Â |
| Phantom Shares                                | 10/03/2011          | 10/03/2011         | Common<br>Stock | 6,282                            | \$ <u>(2)</u> | D                                | Â |
| Stock Appreciation<br>Rights                  | ( <u>3)</u>         | 07/12/2017         | Common<br>Stock | 9,624                            | \$ 36.19      | D                                | Â |
| Stock Appreciation<br>Rights                  | (4)                 | 10/04/2017         | Common<br>Stock | 12,295                           | \$ 28.1       | D                                | Â |
| Stock Appreciation<br>Rights                  | (5)                 | 10/02/2018         | Common<br>Stock | 56,832                           | \$ 19.9       | D                                | Â |

# **Reporting Owners**

| <b>Reporting Owner Name / Address</b>                                               | Relationships |            |                           |       |  |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|------------|---------------------------|-------|--|
|                                                                                     | Director      | 10% Owner  | Officer                   | Other |  |
| Marlett Wendy L<br>C/O KB HOME<br>10990 WILSHIRE BOULEVARD<br>LOS ANGELES, CA 90024 | Â             | Â          | SVP, Sales, Mark. & Comm. | Â     |  |
| Signatures                                                                          |               |            |                           |       |  |
| /s/ Tony Richelieu, Attorney-in-Fact for Wendy L.<br>Marlett                        |               | 04/09/2009 |                           |       |  |

Date

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

# **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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 Non-Qualified Stock Options are fully vested and exercisable. They vested in three equal annual installments beginning on the anniversary of the date of grant.
- (2) Each Phantom Share is the economic equivalent of one share of KB Home common stock and vests in full three years after date of grant. At vesting, each Phantom Share will be paid out in cash.
- (3) The Stock Appreciation Rights vest(ed) in three equal annual installments beginning on July 12, 2008, and will be paid out in cash upon exercise.
- (4) The Stock Appreciation Rights vest(ed) in three equal annual installments beginning on October 4, 2008, and will be paid out in cash upon exercise.
- (5) The Stock Appreciation Rights vest in three equal annual installments beginning on October 2, 2009, and will be paid out in cash upon exercise.

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### **Remarks:**

Exhibit List: Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney

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