

**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**FORM D  
NOTICE OF SALE OF SECURITIES  
PURSUANT TO REGULATION D,  
SECTION 4(6), AND/OR  
UNIFORM LIMITED OFFERING EXEMPTION**

SEC USE ONLY		
Prefix		Serial
DATE RECEIVED		

Name of Offering (  check if this is an amendment and name has changed, and indicate change.)  
**PRIVATE PLACEMENT OF UNITS OF LIMITED PARTNERSHIP INTEREST & VOTE TO EXTEND PARTNERSHIP'S TERM**

Filing under (Check box(es) that apply):  Rule 504  Rule 505  Rule 506  Section 4(6)  ULOE

Type of Filing:  New Filing  Amendment

**A. BASIC IDENTIFICATION DATA**

1. Enter the information requested about the issuer

Name of Issuer (  check if this is an amendment and name has changed, and indicate change.)  
**RESIDENTIAL CONSTRUCTION ASSOCIATES, LTD.**

Address of Executive Offices (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code)  
**11931 WICKCHESTER, SUITE 400, HOUSTON, TEXAS 77043**

Address of Principal Business Operations (if different from Executive Offices)  
**SAME AS ABOVE**

Brief Description of Business: **Short-term mortgage lending**



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Type of Business Organization

corporation  limited partnership, already formed  other (please specify):

business trust  limited partnership, to be formed

**PROCESSED**

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Actual or Estimated Date of Incorporation or Organization: Month Year

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Actual  Estimated

Jurisdiction of Incorporation or Organization: (Enter two-letter U.S. Postal Service abbreviation for State:  
 CN for Canada; FN for other foreign jurisdiction)

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**GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS**

**Federal:**  
*Who Must File:* All issuers making an offering of securities in reliance on an exemption under Regulation D or Section 4(6), 17 CFR 230.501 et seq. or 15 U.S.C. 77d(6).  
*When to File:* A notice must be filed no later than 15 days after the first sale of securities in the offering. A notice is deemed filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) on the earlier of the date it is received by the SEC at the address given below or, if received at that address after the date on which it is due, on the date it was mailed by United States registered or certified mail to that address.  
*Where to File:* U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, 450 Fifth Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20549.  
*Copies Required:* Five (5) copies of this notice must be filed with the SEC, one of which must be manually signed. Any copies not manually signed must be photocopies of the manually signed copy or bear typed or printed signatures.  
*Information Required:* A new filing must contain all information required. Amendments need only report the name of the issuer and offering, any changes thereto, the information requested in part C, and any material changes from the information previously supplied in Parts A and B. Part E and the Appendix need not be filed with the SEC.  
*Filing Fee:* There is no federal filing fee.

**State:**  
 This notice shall be used to indicate reliance on the Uniform Limited Offering Exemption (ULOE) for sales of securities in those states that have adopted ULOE and that have adopted this form. Issuers relying on ULOE must file a separate notice with the Securities Administrator in each state where sales are to be, or have been made. If a state requires the payment of a fee as a precondition to the claim for the exemption, a fee in the proper amount shall accompany this form. This notice shall be filed in the appropriate states in accordance with state laws. The Appendix to the notice constitutes a part of this notice and must be completed.

**ATTENTION**

**Failure to file notice in the appropriate states will not result in a loss of the federal exemption. Conversely, failure to file the appropriate federal notice will not result in a loss of an available state exemption unless such exemption is predicated on the filing of a federal notice.**

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**A. BASIC IDENTIFICATION DATA**

2. Enter the information requested for the following:
- Each promoter of the issuer, if the issuer has been organized within the past five years;
  - Each beneficial owner having the power to vote or dispose, or direct the vote or disposition of, 10% or more of a class of equity securities of the issuer;
  - Each executive officer and director of corporate issuers and of limited liability company issuers; and
  - Each general and managing partner of partnership issuers.

Check Box(es) that Apply:     Promoter             Beneficial Owner             Executive Officer             Director             General Partner

Full Name (Last name first, if individual)

**Tilson Home Corporation/Jack Alarid**

Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code)

**411 Durham, Houston, Texas 77077**

Check Box(es) that Apply:     Promoter             Beneficial Owner             Executive Officer             Director             General Partner

Full Name (Last name first, if individual)

**James U. King, Jr.**

Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code)

**407 Ramblewood, Houston, TX 77079**

Check Box(es) that Apply:     Promoter             Beneficial Owner             Executive Officer             Director             General Partner

Full Name (Last name first, if individual)

**Dale Couch**

Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code)

**11931 Wickchester, Suite 400, Houston, Texas 77043**

**B. INFORMATION ABOUT OFFERING**

- |   |                          |                                     |
|---|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|
|   | Yes                      | No                                  |
| 1. Has the issuer sold, or does the issuer intend to sell, to non-accredited investors in this offering?..... | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Answer also in Appendix, Column 2, if filing under ULOE.  |                          |                                     |
| 2. What is the minimum investment that will be accepted from any individual?.....                             | \$10,000                 |                                     |

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|--|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|
|  | Yes                                 | No                       |
| 3. Does the offering permit joint ownership of a single unit?..... | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

4. Enter the information requested for each person who has been or will be paid or given, directly or indirectly, any commission or similar remuneration for solicitation of purchasers in connection with sales of securities in the offering. If a person to be listed is an associated person or agent of a broker or dealer registered with the SEC and/or with a state or states, list the name of the broker or dealer. If more than five (5) persons to be listed are associated persons of such a broker or dealer, you may set forth the information for that broker or dealer only.

Full Name (Last name first, if individual)

None

Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code)

Name of Associated Broker or Dealer

States in Which Person Listed Has Solicited or Intends to Solicit Purchasers

(Check "All States") or check individual States).....  All States

[AL]	[AK]	[AZ]	[AR]	[CA]	[CO]	[CT]	[DE]	[DC]	[FL]	[GA]	[HI]	[ID]
[IL]	[IN]	[IA]	[KS]	[KY]	[LA]	[ME]	[MD]	[MA]	[MI]	[MN]	[MS]	[MO]
[MT]	[NE]	[NV]	[NH]	[NJ]	[NM]	[NY]	[NC]	[ND]	[OH]	[OK]	[OR]	[PA]
[RI]	[SC]	[SD]	[TN]	[TX]	[UT]	[VT]	[VA]	[WA]	[WV]	[WI]	[WY]	[PR]

**C. OFFERING PRICE, NUMBER OF INVESTORS, EXPENSES AND USE OF PROCEEDS**

1. Enter the aggregate offering price of securities included in this offering and the total amount already sold. Enter "0" if answer is "none" or "zero." If the transaction is an exchange offering, check this box  and indicate in the columns below the amount of the securities offered for exchange and already exchanged.

Type of Security	Aggregate Offering Price	Amount Already Sold
Debt.....	\$ _____	\$ _____
Equity.....	\$ _____	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Common <input type="checkbox"/> Preferred		
Convertible Securities (including warrants).....	\$ _____	\$ _____
Partnership Interests.....	\$ 10,000,000	\$ -0-
Other (Specify _____)	\$ _____	\$ _____
Total.....	\$ 10,000,000	\$ -0-

Answer also in Appendix, Column 3, if filing under ULOE.

2. Enter the number of accredited and non accredited investors who have purchased securities in this offering and the aggregate dollar amounts of their purchases. For offerings under Rule 504, indicate the number of persons who have purchased securities and the aggregate dollar amount of their purchases on the total lines. Enter "0" if answer if "none" or "zero."

	Number of Investors	Aggregate Dollar Amount of Purchases
Accredited Investors.....	-16-*	\$ -0-
Non-accredited Investors.....	-0-	\$ -0-
Total (for filings under Rule 504 only).....		\$ _____

Answer also in Appendix, Column 4, if filing under ULOE.

\*In addition to offering units of limited partnership interest for purchase in a private placement, Residential Construction Associates, Ltd. (the "Partnership") is submitting to certain of its existing limited partners a proposal to extend the Partnership's term beyond December 31, 2002 (the date of dissolution currently set forth in the Partnership's partnership agreement). With respect to the 16 existing limited partners who have responded to such proposal, their number has been included in the column titled "Number of Investors" but no amount has been included in the column titled "Aggregate Dollar Amount of Purchases".

3. If this filing is for an offering under Rule 504 or 505, enter the information requested for all securities sold by the issuer, to date, in offerings of the types indicated, in the twelve (12) months prior to the first sale of securities in this offering. Classify securities by type listed in Part C - Question 1.

Type of Offering	Type of Security	Dollar Amount Sold
Rule 505.....	N/A	N/A
Regulation A.....	N/A	N/A
Rule 504.....	N/A	N/A
Total.....	N/A	N/A

4. a. Furnish a statement of all expenses in connection with the issuance and distribution of the securities in this offering. Exclude amounts relating solely to organization expenses of the issuer. The information may be given as subject to future contingencies. If the amount of an expenditure is not known, furnish an estimate and check the box to the left of the estimate.

Transfer Agent's Fees.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$ -0-
Printing and Engraving Costs.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$ -0-
Legal Fees.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$ 75,000
Accounting Fees.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$ -0-
Engineering Fees.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$ -0-
Sales Commissions (specify finders' fees separately).....	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$ -0-
Other Expenses (identify)- graphics for document binders; copying.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$ 2,500

Total .....  \$ 77,500

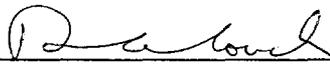
b. Enter the difference between the aggregate offering price given in response to Part C - Question 1 and total expenses furnished in response to Part C - Question 4.a. This difference is the "adjusted gross proceeds to the issuer." .....  \$ 9,922,500

5. Indicate below the amount of the adjusted gross proceeds to the issuer used or proposed to be used for each of the purposes shown. If the amount for any purpose is not known, furnish an estimate and check the box to the left of the estimate. The total of the payments listed must equal the adjusted gross proceeds to the issuer set forth in response to part C - Question 4.b above

	Payments to Officers, Directors, & Affiliates	Payments To Others
Salaries and fees .....	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ <u>0</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ <u>0</u>
Purchase of real estate .....	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ <u>0</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ <u>0</u>
Purchase, rental or leasing and installation of machinery and equipment .....	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ <u>0</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ <u>0</u>
Construction or leasing of plant buildings and facilities.....	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ <u>0</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ <u>0</u>
Acquisition of other businesses (including the value of securities involved in this offering that may be used in exchange for the assets or securities of another issuer pursuant to a merger).....	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ <u>0</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ <u>0</u>
Repayment of indebtedness.....	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ <u>0</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$ <u>9,922,500</u>
Working capital.....	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ <u>0</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ <u>0</u>
Other (specify): Funding new mortgage loans .....	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ <u>0</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ <u>0</u>
Column Totals.....	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ <u>0</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ <u>0</u>
Total Payments Listed (column totals added).....		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$ <u>9,922,500</u>

**D. FEDERAL SIGNATURE**

The issuer has duly caused this notice to be signed by the undersigned duly authorized person. If this notice is filed under Rule 505, the following signature constitutes an undertaking by the issuer to furnish to the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, upon written request of its staff, the information furnished by the issuer to any non-accredited investor pursuant to paragraph (b)(2) of Rule 502.

Issuer (Print or Type)	Signature	Date
<b>RESIDENTIAL CONSTRUCTION ASSOCIATES, LTD.</b>		November <u>1</u> , 2002
Name of Signer (Print or Type)	Title of Signer (Print or Type)	
<b>DALE COUCH</b>	<b>GENERAL PARTNER</b>	

**ATTENTION**  
Intentional misstatements or omissions of fact constitute federal criminal violations (See 18 U.S.C. 1001.)



APPENDIX

1 State	2 Intend to sell to non-accredited investors in state (Part B-Item 1)		3 Type of security and aggregate offering price offered in state (Part C-Item 1)	4 Type of investor and amount purchased in State (Part C-Item 2)				5 Disqualification under State ULOE (if yes, attach explanation of waiver granted) (Part E-Item 1)	
	Yes	No		Number of Accredited Investors	Amount	Number of Non-Accredited Investors	Amount	Yes	No
AL									
AK									
AZ									
AR									
CA									
CO									
CT									
DE									
DC									
FL									
GA									
HI									
ID									
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**APPENDIX**

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State	Yes	No		Number of Accredited Investors	Amount	Number of Non-Accredited Investors	Amount	Yes	No
MT									
NE									
NV									
NH									
NJ									
NM									
NY									
NC									
ND									
OH									
OK									
OR									
PA									
RI									
PR									
SC									
SD									
TN									
TX		X	Units of Limited Partnership Interest	16**	0**	NONE	0		X
UT									
VT									
VA									
WA									
WV									
WI									
WY									
PR									

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