GILCHRIST RICHARD I Form 3 September 19, 2012 FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 OMB approval

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> GILCHRIST RICHARD I			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SPIRIT REALTY CAPITAL, INC. [SRC]				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	(Month/Day/Year) iddle) 09/19/2012 4. Relationship of Reportin Person(s) to Issuer		ting	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)		
C/O SPIRIT REALTY CAPITAL, INC., 14631 N. SCOTTSDALE ROAD, SUITE 200 (Street)		(Ch XDi Of		(Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer Other e title below) (specify below)		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting		
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - N	on-Derivat	tive Secur	ities Be	eneficially Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 4)			2. Amount of S Beneficially Ov (Instr. 4)	vned	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Natu Owner (Instr. :	•	
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Tab	le II - Deriva	tive Securitie	s Beneficially Owned (e.g.,	, puts, calls, v	varrants, op	otions, co	nvertible securities)	

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

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Date	Expiration	Amount or	Security	Direct (D)
Exercisable	Date	Number of		or Indirect
		Shares		(I)
				(Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships				
		10% Owner	Officer	Other		
GILCHRIST RICHARD I C/O SPIRIT REALTY CAPITAL, INC. 14631 N. SCOTTSDALE ROAD, SUITE 200 SCOTTSDALE, AZ 85254-2711	X	Â	Â	Â		
Signatures						
/s/ Michael A. Bender, as attorney-in-fact for Richard I. Gilchrist			09/19/2012			
**Signature of Reporting Person			Date			
Explanation of Responses:						

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(b)(v).

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Â **Remarks:** Exhibit List Â Êxhibit 24.1 - Power of Attorney for Richard I. Gilchrist

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