

CALIFORNIA COASTAL COMMUNITIES INC  
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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 \*  
 Murray Marti P

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 CALIFORNIA COASTAL COMMUNITIES INC [CALC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 680 FIFTH AVENUE, SUITE 2602  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 01/02/2008

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

NEW YORK, NY 10019

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**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)
				Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock - \$.05 par value	01/02/2008		A		3,515 (1)	A	\$ 5.69
					544,716 (2)	D (3)	

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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Reporting Transaction (Instr. 6)
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## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Murray Marti P 680 FIFTH AVENUE, SUITE 2602 NEW YORK, NY 10019		X		

## Signatures

Marti Murray                      01/04/2008  
 \*\*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) These are restricted shares that were issued under the Director Fee Program of the Amended and Restated 1993 Stock Option/Stock Issuance Plan at the election of Ms. Murray. The shares vest in 25% increments at the end of each quarter during 2008. Upon vesting, Ms. Murray intends to transfer these shares to certain investment advisory clients of Murray Capital Management, Inc. for no consideration. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of the 3,515 shares except to the extent of her pecuniary interest therein.
- (2) Includes 3,515 restricted shares issued to Ms. Murray under the Director Fee Program and 541,201 shares held by Murray Capital Management, Inc., ("MCM") a registered investment adviser. Marti P. Murray is the president and sole shareholder of MCM and has sole voting and dispositive power with respect to, and therefore may be deemed to beneficially own, the 544,716 shares of common stock held by the investment advisory clients of MCM. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of the 544,716 shares except to the extent of her pecuniary interest therein.
- (3) Includes 3,515 restricted shares issued to Ms. Murray under the Director Fee Program and 541,201 shares held by Murray Capital Management, Inc., ("MCM") a registered investment adviser. Marti P. Murray is the president and sole shareholder of MCM and has sole voting and dispositive power with respect to, and therefore may be deemed to beneficially own, the 544,716 shares of common stock held by the investment advisory clients of MCM. Upon vesting, Ms. Murray intends to transfer the restricted shares to certain investment advisory clients of MCM for no consideration. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of the 544,716 shares except to the extent of her pecuniary interest therein.

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