AVIV REIT, INC. Form 4 December 23, 2014

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

Washington, D.C. 20549

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obligations

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SECURITIES Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,

may continue. See Instruction

Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Levin Steven R.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AVIV REIT, INC. [AVIV]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

(First) (Middle) (Last)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

12/19/2014

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

(Check all applicable)

Senior VP, Real Estate

C/O AVIV REIT, INC.,, 303 W. MADISON, SUITE 2400

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

CHICAGO, IL 60606

(City) (State) (Zip)

(Street)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Indirect Beneficial (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned (I) Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported

(A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amount of	8. Price
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	onNumber	Expiration Date	Underlying Securities	Derivati
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)	Security

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	8)	Derivation Securitic Acquires (A) or Dispose of (D) (Instr. 3 4, and 5	es ed ed				(Instr. 5
				Code	V	(A) (Γ	D) Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Dividend Equivalent Rights	<u>(1)</u>	12/19/2014		A		35	(2)	<u>(2)</u>	Common Stock	35	\$ 0
Dividend Equivalent Rights	(1)	12/19/2014		A		33	<u>(3)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	33	\$ 0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
Reporting Owner Maine / Address	

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Levin Steven R. C/O AVIV REIT, INC., 303 W. MADISON, SUITE 2400 CHICAGO, IL 60606

Senior VP, Real Estate

Signatures

/s/ Samuel H. Kovitz, as attorney in fact

12/23/2014

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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 dividend equivalent rights accrued on previously awarded restricted stock units ("RSUs") and vest proportionately with the RSUs to which they relate. Each dividend equivalent right represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock of Aviv REIT, Inc.
- The dividend equivalent rights and related RSUs vest in 50% increments on each of December 31, 2014 and December 31, 2015 and may vest in full upon a change of control (as defined in the Aviv REIT, Inc. 2013 Long-Term Incentive Plan), subject in each case to the holder not incurring a termination through the applicable vesting date.
- The dividend equivalent rights and related RSUs vest in full on December 31, 2016 and may vest in full upon a change of control (as defined in the Aviv REIT, Inc. 2013 Long-Term Incentive Plan), subject in each case to the holder not incurring a termination through the vesting date.

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