

ORIGEN FINANCIAL INC
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * | | | 2. Date of Event Requiring Statement | | 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol | |
| Â SUN COMMUNITIES INC | | | (Month/Day/Year) | | ORIGEN FINANCIAL INC [ORGN] | |
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | 02/01/2008 | | 4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | |
| 27777 FRANKLIN ROAD,Â SUITE 200 | | | | | 5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) | |
| (Street) | | | | | 05/05/2004 | |
| SOUTHFIELD,Â MIÂ 48034 | | | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | | | ___ Form filed by One Reporting Person | |
| | | | | | _X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | |

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
(Check all applicable)

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

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 4) | 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4) | 3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) | 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) |
|------------------------------------|--|---|--|
| Common Stock, \$.01 par value | 5,000,000 | I | Shares held by Sun OFI, LLC ⁽¹⁾ |

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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

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

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| SUN COMMUNITIES INC 27777 FRANKLIN ROAD SUITE 200 SOUTHFIELD, MI 48034 | Â | Â X | Â | Â |
| Sun Home Services, Inc. 27777 FRANKLIN ROAD SUITE 200 SOUTHFIELD, MI 48034 | Â | Â X | Â | Â |
| Sun OFI, LLC 27777 FRANKLIN ROAD SUITE 200 SOUTHFIELD, MI 48034 | Â | Â X | Â | Â |

Signatures

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| /s/ Karen J. Dearing, EVP, CFO, Sec and Treas. | 02/11/2008 |
| **Signature of Reporting Person | Date |
| /s/ Karen J. Dearing, Authorized Signatory | 02/11/2008 |
| **Signature of Reporting Person | Date |
| /s/ Gary A. Shiffman Manager | 02/11/2008 |
| **Signature of Reporting Person | Date |

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) These shares are owned directly by Sun OFI, LLC, which is a wholly owned subsidiary of Sun Home Services, Inc., which, in turn, is a wholly owned subsidiary of Sun Communities Operating Limited Partnership. Sun Communities, Inc., is the General Partner of Sun Communities Operating Limited Partnership. Sun Communities, Inc., Sun Communities Operating Limited Partnership and Sun Home Services, Inc., are indirect beneficial owners of the reported securities.

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