FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

| Name and Address of Reporting Person*     ST JOHN JULIE |   |                           |  |           | FI  | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FEDERAL NATIONAL MORTGAGE ASSOCIATION FANNIE MAE [FNM] |                                   |      |                                       |                  |                         |                 | (Che  | ck all application  | able)   |  | to Issuer 0% Owner other (specify   |
|---|---|---------------------------|--|-----------|---|--|-----------------------------------|------|---------------------------------------|------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|---|---|---|--|-------------------------------------|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 3900 WISCONSIN AVENUE, NW       |   |                           |  |           | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/23/2004 |  |                                   |      |                                       |                  |                         | _               | X Officer (give title Officer (specify below)  EVP & Chief Technology Officer |   |   |  |                                     |
| (Street) WASHIN (City)                                  | NGTON D   | N DC 20016  (State) (Zip) |  |           |   | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)   |                                   |      |                                       |                  |                         |                 |   | dividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person |   |  |                                     |
|   |   | Tal                       | ole I - No   | n-Der     | ivativ  | e Se   | curitie                           | s Ac | quired,                               | Dis              | posed of                | f, or Ber       | eficially   | y Owned   |   |  |                                     |
| Date  |   |                           | saction<br>n/Day/Ye                                    | ear) i    | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) |  | 3.<br>Transaction<br>Code (Instr. |      |                                       |                  |                         | Beneficia       | es  | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4)   | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership  |  |                                     |
|   |   |                           |  |           |   |  | ,                                 |      | Code                                  | v                | Amount                  | (A) or (D)      | Price   | Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4)  |   |  | (Instr. 4)                          |
| Common Stock  |   |                           |  | 01/2      | 01/23/2004  |  |                                   |      | A                                     |                  | 23,850                  | A               | \$0   | 43,922  |   | D  |                                     |
| Common Stock  |   |                           | 01/2   | 1/23/2004 |   |  |                                   | F    |                                       | 4,264            | D                       | \$78.31         | 5 39,   | 658   | D   |  |                                     |
| Common Stock 01   |   |                           |  | 01/2      | 7/2004  |  |                                   |      | S                                     |                  | 1,500                   | D               | \$79.14   | 38,   | 38,158  |  |                                     |
| Common Stock 01/2                                       |   |                           |  | 27/200    | 4   |  |                                   | S    |                                       | 1,100            | D                       | \$79.16         | 6 37,058  |   | D   |  |                                     |
| Common Stock  |   |                           |  |           |   |  |                                   |      |                                       |                  |                         |                 | 7:  | 93  | I   | By<br>ESOP   |                                     |
|   |   |                           | Table II -   |           |   |  |                                   |      |                                       |                  | osed of,<br>convertib   |                 |   | Owned   |   |  |                                     |
| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)     | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security |                           | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Dat<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Yo | Date,     | Code (Ins   |  |                                   |      | 6. Date Ex<br>Expiration<br>(Month/Da | n Date           | of Secur<br>ur) Underly |                 | g<br>Security   | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5)   | 9. Number of<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s<br>(Instr. 4) | Owners<br>Form:<br>Direct (<br>or Indir<br>(I) (Inst | Beneficial Ownership ect (Instr. 4) |
|   |   |                           |  |           | Code  | v  | (A)                               |      | Date<br>Exercisab                     | ole              | Expiration<br>Date      | Title           | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares  |   |   |  |                                     |
| Employee<br>Stock<br>Option<br>(right to<br>buy)        | \$78.315  | 01/23/2004                |  |           | A   |  | 73,880                            |      | 01/23/200                             | 5 <sup>(1)</sup> | 01/23/2014              | Common<br>Stock | 73,880  | \$0   | 73,880  | D  |                                     |

## Explanation of Responses:

 $1. \ The \ options \ vest \ in \ four \ annual \ installments \ beginning \ on \ the \ anniversary \ of \ the \ grant \ date.$ 

## Remarks:

/s/ Julie St. John

01/27/2004

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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