FORM 3

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Add Martin Gar	ress of Reporting	2. Date of Event Requiring Staten (Month/Day/Year 12/17/2004	nent	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Comstock Homebuilding Companies, Inc. [CHCI]							
(Last)	(Last) (First) (Middle) 11465 SUNSET HILLS ROAD, SUITE 510		12/1//2001		Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issu (Check all applicable) Director 10% Own				5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		
(Street)					11	Officer (give title below)	Other (spe	cify	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person		
RESTON	VA	20190								•	More than One
(City)	(State)	(Zip)									
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned											
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)						unt of Securities ially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		
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 Securit Underlying Derivative Security		ty (Instr. 4) Conve		sion O	5. Ownership Form:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
			Date Exercisable	Expiratior Date	n Title	e	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security		Direct (D) or Indirect I) (Instr. 5)	

Explanation of Responses:

No securities are beneficially owned.

<u>/s/ Jubal Thompson, by power of attorney</u>

12/20/2004

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- * 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).

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POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS, that the undersigned hereby makes, constitutes and appoints Jubal Thompson as the undersigned's true and lawful attorney-in-fact and agent, with full power and authority to prepare, execute, acknowledge, deliver and file beneficial ownership forms, including any amendments or authentications thereto, as may be required by the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission on behalf of and in the name, place and stead of the undersigned, hereby ratifying all that such attorney-in-fact shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue hereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 17 day of December 2004.

Signature:	/s/ Gary Martin
Print Name:	Gary Martin