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UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON D.C. 20549

Form 8-K/A

CURRENT REPORT

PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

October 10, 2002

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

MID-AMERICA APARTMENT COMMUNITIES, INC. (Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

TENNESSEE 1-12762 62-1543819

(State of Incorporation) (Commission File Number)

(I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

6584 POPLAR AVENUE, SUITE 300
MEMPHIS, TENNEESSEE 38138
(Address of principal executive offices)

(901) 682-6600

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

(Former name or address, if changed since last report)

Item 5. Other Events

In connection with the offering of up to 1,050,000 (1,100,000 if the underwriters' over-allotment option is fully exercised) shares of the Series F Cumulative Redeemable Preferred Stock, par value \$0.01 per share (liquidation preference \$25 per share) (the "Series F Preferred Stock"), of Mid-America Apartment Communities, Inc. (the "Company"), attached to this report are the exhibits listed below.

Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits.

The following exhibits are filed pursuant to Item 601 of Regulation S-K:

Number Description

12.1 Statement regarding computation of ratios

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchnage Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

MID-AMERICA APARTMENT COMMUNITIES, INC.

Date: October 11, 2002 /s/Simon R.C. Wadsworth

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Simon R.C. Wadsworth Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial and Accounting Officer)

EXHIBIT 12.1

Dollars in thousands

Dollars in thousands	Six Months Ended June 30,			Year
	2002			
Income before gains on dispositions,				
minority interest in operating partnership		÷	t 00 0E4	÷ 24 00
income and extraordinary items	\$ 9,071			\$ 21,03
Equity in loss of real estate joint venture Fixed charges:	213	111	296	15
Interest expense	24.724	27,302	52.598	50,73
Estimate of interest within rental expense		88	158	40
Deferred financing costs		1,165		
Interest capitalized	239		1,382	
Distributed income of equity investees	121	253	289	26
				70.00
Interest conitalized		39 , 723		
Interest capitalized Minority interest in pre-tax income of	(439)	(811)	(1,304)	(3,73
subsidiaries that have not incurred				
fixed charges	_	_	_	
Earnings	\$ 35,450	\$ 38,912	\$ 76,064	\$ 75,35
Fixed charges:				
Interest expense	\$ 24,724	\$ 27,302	\$ 52,598	\$ 50,73
Estimate of interest within rental expense	_	88		
Deferred financing costs	1,321	1,165	2,352	2,75
Interest capitalized	239	811	1,382	3,73
Fixed charges	\$ 26,284	\$ 29 , 366	\$ 56 , 490	\$ 57,34
Ratio of earnings to fixed charges	1.3x	1.3x	1.3x	1.3
Fixed charges:				
Interest expense	\$ 24,724	\$ 27,302		\$ 50,73
Estimate of interest within rental expense	_	88	158	12
Deferred financing costs	1,321	1,165	2,352	2,75
Interest capitalized	239		1,382	
Preferred stock dividends		8 , 057	16,113 	16,11
Combined fixed charges and preferred stock				
dividends	\$ 34,341	\$ 37 , 423	\$ 72,603	\$ 73,46
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Ratio of earnings to combined fixed charges				
and preferred stock dividends	1.0x	1.0x	1.1x	1.