FORM 5

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Form 3 Holdings Reported

Form 4 Transactions Reported

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ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Van Mourick Mar		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol National Storage Affiliates Trust [NSA]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner				
(Last)	(First)		3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year)					Officer (give title below)O	other (specify be	ow)	
C/O NATIONAL	STORAGE AF	FILIATES	12/31/2021								
TRUST, 8400 EA	ST PRENTICE	E AVENUE,									
9TH FLOOR											
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting (check applicable line)				
GREENWOOD VILLAGE, CO 80111								_X_Form Filed by One Reporting Person Form Filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Be						icially Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	(A) or Disposed of (D)		of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	- ·	Beneficial Ownership	

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

	(<i>e.g.</i> , puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)													
	Conversion		3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code	of Deri Secu Acq (A) Disp of (I	ivative urities uired or posed D) tr. 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned at	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	Beneficial
					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Class A OP Units (1)		11/01/2021		G		2,684 (2)	(1)	<u>(3)</u>	Common shares of beneficial interest, \$0.01 par value	2,684.00 (1) (2)		102,828 (4) (5)	D	

Reporting Owners

	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Van Mourick Mark C/O NATIONAL STORAGE AFFILIATES TRUST 8400 EAST PRENTICE AVENUE, 9TH FLOOR GREENWOOD VILLAGE, CO 80111	х					

Signatures

Mark Van Mourick, by Jason Parsont, his Attorney-in-fact	02/07/2022
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).
- The Reporting Person had the right to cause NSA OP, LP (the "Partnership") to redeem all or a portion of the Reporting Person's Class A common units of limited partner interest of
- (1) the Partnership (the "Class A OP Units") reported in Column 5 of this Form 5 for cash in an amount equal to the market value of an equivalent number of common shares of beneficial interest of National Storage Affiliates Trust (the "Issuer"), or at the Issuer's option, common shares of beneficial interest ("Shares") on a one-for-one basis, subject to certain adjustments.
- (2) On November 1, 2021, the Reporting Person made a bona fide gift of 2,684 Class A OP Units to a nonprofit tax-exempt organization under section 501(c)(3) of the internal revenue code.

(3) N/A

- (4) This filing shall not be deemed to be an admission that the Reporting Person is the beneficial owner of any of the securities reported herein, and the Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of such securities except to the extent of the Reporting Person's pecuniary interest therein.
- (5) The 102,828 Class A OP Units do not include derivative securities of other classes or non-derivative securities of the Reporting Person that were previously reported.

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