PULTEGROUP INC/MI/ Form SC 13D/A June 26, 2017

## **UNITED STATES**

## SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

#### Washington, D.C. 20549

## **SCHEDULE 13D**

(Rule 13d-101)

## INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN STATEMENTS FILED PURSUANT

#### TO § 240.13d-1(a) AND AMENDMENTS THERETO FILED PURSUANT TO

§ 240.13d-2(a)

(Amendment No. 27)1

PulteGroup, Inc.

(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, \$0.01 par value

(Title of Class of Securities)

<u>745867101</u>

(CUSIP Number)

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Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications)

June 22, 2017

(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of This Statement)

If the filing person has previously filed a statement on Schedule 13G to report the acquisition that is the subject of this Schedule 13D, and is filing this schedule because of §§ 240.13d-1(e), 240.13d-1(f) or 240.13d-1(g), check the following box ".

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1 The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required on the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, *see* the *Notes*).

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| 6                      | CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF<br>ORGANIZATION  |                                   |
|                        | Michigan   |                                   |
| NUMBER OF              | 7  | SOLE VOTING<br>POWER              |
| SHARES<br>BENEFICIALLY | 7  | 22,117,664                        |
| OWNED BY               | 8  | SHARED<br>VOTING POWER            |
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| PERSON WITH            | 9  | DISPOSITIVE<br>POWER              |

5,969,232 SHARED 10 DISPOSITIVE POWER

16,148,432

AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

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# PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)

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The following constitutes Amendment No. 27 to the Schedule 13D filed by the undersigned ("Amendment No. 27"). This Amendment No. 27 amends the Schedule 13D as specifically set forth herein.

Item 5.Interest in Securities of the Issuer.Items 5(a) – (c) are hereby amended and restated to read as follows:

(a) The aggregate percentage of Common Shares reported owned by each person named herein is based upon 315,503,892 Common Shares outstanding as of April 20, 2017, which is the total number of Common Shares outstanding as reported in the Issuer's Form 10-Q filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on April 25, 2017.

As of the close of business on June 23, 2017, 22,117,664 Common Shares were held in the Pulte Trust, constituting approximately 7.0% of the Common Shares outstanding.

Mr. Pulte, as the trustee of the Pulte Trust, may be deemed to beneficially own the 22,117,664 Common Shares beneficially owned by the Pulte Trust, constituting approximately 7.0% of the Common Shares outstanding.

Excluded from Mr. Pulte's beneficial ownership are 134,606 Common Shares directly owned by Mr. Pulte's spouse, Karen Pulte, which Mr. Pulte expressly disclaims beneficial ownership of by virtue of his inability to exercise voting or investment power over such Common Shares.

(b) Each of the Pulte Trust and Mr. Pulte may be deemed to have the sole power to vote or direct the vote of the Common Shares held in the Pulte Trust. Except for 16,148,432 Common Shares that have been pledged as collateral for certain loan obligations, as has previously been disclosed, the Pulte Trust and Mr. Pulte may be deemed to have the sole power to dispose or direct the disposition of the Common Shares held in the Pulte Trust.

(c) Except as otherwise disclosed herein, there have been no transactions in the securities of PHM by the Reporting Persons since the filing of Amendment No. 26 to the Schedule 13D. On June 19, 2017, the Pulte Trust sold 370,000 Common Shares at a price of \$24.1828 per share. On June 20, 2017, the Pulte Trust sold 630,000 Common Shares at a price of \$24.4532 per share.

Item 6. <u>Contracts, Arrangements, Understandings or Relationships With Respect to Securities of the Issuer</u>. Item 6 is hereby amended to add the following:

On June 22, 2017, Pulte Trust closed the refinancing of certain obligations in connection with certain loan/collar transactions initially entered into on June 23, 2014 and July 17, 2014, respectively. The purpose of the refinancing transaction is to provide Pulte Trust with liquidity to, among other things, further its philanthropic endeavors while protecting itself against risks associated with a potential decline in PHM's stock price.

Pursuant to the refinancing transaction, Pulte Trust received a new loan in the principal amount of \$22,392,885, with an effective interest rate of 2.332% (calculated using daily compounding) and matures on July 25, 2019, and entered into the following collar: Pulte Trust sold to a counterparty a European-style call option referencing an aggregate of 1,761,832 Common Shares, which has an exercise price of \$35.5350 per Common Share and expires on July 25, 2019; and Pulte Trust purchased from a counterparty a European-style put option referencing an aggregate of 1,761,832 Common Shares, which has an exercise price of \$12.7100 per Common Share and expires on July 25, 2019. 1,761,832 Common Shares serve as collateral for the new loan, whereas an aggregate of 3,593,000 Common Shares served as collateral for the prior loans.

#### **SIGNATURES**

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of his knowledge and belief, the undersigned certifies that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Dated: June 26, 2017

WILLIAM J. PULTE TRUST DTD 01/26/90

By:/s/ William J. Pulte Name: William J. Pulte Title: Trustee

/s/ William J. Pulte WILLIAM J. PULTE