FORM 4

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* PATRICOF ALAN J				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BOSTON PROPERTIES INC [BXP]							eck all applic	able) r	Person(s) to Is	wner		
(Last)	(Fi ROFT, LLC	,	(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/30/2017 Office below								(give title	Other below)	specify
292 MADISON AVENUE, 20TH FLOOR				4. If	If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable				
(Street) NEW Y	ORK N	Y	10017									Line	X Form fi	led by More	Reporting Perso	
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	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned															
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									Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transact (Instr. 3 a	ion(s)		(Instr. 4)
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Da if any (Month/Day/\)	ate, T	Code (I	ransaction of I ode (Instr. Derivative (6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) 7. Title and At of Securities Underlying Derivative Sec (Instr. 3 and 4		ies g Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				c	Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Phantom Stock Units	(1)	06/30/2017			A		183.81		(2)	(2)	Common Stock, par value \$0.01	183.81	\$123.02	35,227.39	(3) D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The Phantom Stock Units convert to Common Stock on a 1-for-1 basis.
- 2. The Phantom Stock Units are awarded under the Boston Properties, Inc. 2012 Stock Option and Incentive Plan (the "2012 Plan") to non-employee directors who elected to receive Phantom Stock Units in lieu of director cash compensation fees. The Phantom Stock Units are to be settled in shares of Common Stock (except that fractional units, if any, will be settled in cash) upon the Reporting Person's retirement from the Boston Properties, Inc. Board of Directors.
- 3. Includes 206.38 Phantom Stock Units acquired as quarterly dividend equivalent rights on April 28, 2017. The rights were granted as a component of the Phantom Stock Units that were awarded under the Second Amendment and Restatement of the Boston Properties, Inc. 1997 Stock Option and Incentive Plan or, following May 15, 2012, under the 2012 Plan.

Remarks:

/s/ Kelli A. DiLuglio, as 07/05/2017 Attorney-in-Fact

** 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 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).

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