FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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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]							(Che	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner						
(Last) GREYCE	Last) (First) (Middle) GREYCROFT, LLC				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/30/2009								•	(give title		Other (specify below)			
153 E. 53RD STREET (Street) NEW YORK NY 10022				4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							Line	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person							
(City)	(S	itate)	(Zip)																
		Tab	le I - Nor	n-Deriv	ative Se	curities Ac	quire	d, Dis	posed c	of, c	or Bene	ficiall	y Owned						
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D			Day/Year)	Execution Date,		Transaction Disposed (Code (Instr. 5)		ities Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4				rities ficially ed Following		Direct C Indirect E tr. 4) C	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
					Cod	e V	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	Transacti	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)				
		-				urities Acq ls, warrants							Owned						
Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	ve Conversion Date Execution Date, Transa or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any Code (Transaction Code (Instr.		Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) rities ired (Seed (Instr.				Title and A Securities derlying rivative Se estr. 3 and 4	ecurity	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) 8. Price of Derivative Securities Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transactior (Instr. 4)		у	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				

Explanation of Responses:

(1)

1. The rights convert into Common Stock on a 1-for-1 basis.

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2. Acquired as quarterly dividends on January 30, 2009. 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 to non-employee directors who elected to receive Phantom Stock Units in lieu of director cash compensation fees. The rights 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 Board of Directors.

Date

Exercisable

(2)

(D)

Expiration

(2)

Title

Common

Stock

Remarks:

Dividend

Equivalent Rights

/s/ Kelli A. DiLuglio, as 02/03/2009 Attorney-in-Fact

\$43.3

19,077.22

D

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Amount Number

Shares

294.96

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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