FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT	OF CHANGES	S IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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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]									all applic Directo	10% Owner		ner		
(Last) (First) (Middle) GREYCROFT, LLC					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/30/2017									Officer below)	(give title		Other (s below)	pecify	
292 MADISON AVENUE, 20TH FLOOR				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable						
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10017											Lir	X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person							
(City)	(St	ate)	(Zip)																
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transar Date (Month/Da				Execution Date,		Code (In	Transaction Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4						es For ally (D) Following (I)		orm: Direct) or Indirect (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
								Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	(A) or (D) Price		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(IIISU. 4)	
Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																			
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution E if any (Month/Day	Date,	4. Transa Code (I 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea		of Securities		ies g Security	D	Derivative Security SInstr. 5) E	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		xpiration pate	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Phantom Stock Units	(1)	09/30/2017			A		173.95		(2)		(2)	Common Stock, par value \$0.01	173.95	5 .	\$122.88	35,619.85	5(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 218.51 Phantom Stock Units acquired as quarterly dividend equivalent rights on July 31, 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 10/03/2017 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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