

BOSTON PROPERTIES INC  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
RITCHIEY RAYMOND A

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O BOSTON PROPERTIES, INC., 2200 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, NW

(Street)

WASHINGTON, DC 20037

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

BOSTON PROPERTIES INC [BXP]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

06/03/2015

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
Executive Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock, par value \$.01	06/03/2015		C <sup>(1)</sup>		50,000	A	②
					50,000	D	

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 (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

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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 Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. P	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Common OP Units (2)	(2)	06/03/2015		C(1)	50,000	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	50,000
Common OP Units (2)	(2)					(2)	(2)	Common Stock	0
Common OP Units (2)	(2)					(2)	(2)	Common Stock	45,493
Common OP Units (2)	(2)					(2)	(2)	Common Stock	35,600

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
RITCHEY RAYMOND A C/O BOSTON PROPERTIES, INC. 2200 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, NW WASHINGTON, DC 20037			Executive Vice President	

## Signatures

/s/ Kelli A. DiLuglio, Attorney-in-Fact  
Date: 06/03/2015

\*\*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).

(1) 50,000 of the Reporting Person's common units of limited partnership interest (Common OP Units) in Boston Properties Limited Partnership (BPLP), of which the Issuer is the sole general partner, were redeemed for an equal number of shares of the Issuer's Common Stock in accordance with BPLP's Partnership Agreement.

(2) Represents Common OP Units in BPLP. Each Common OP Unit may be presented for redemption, at the election of the holder, for cash equal to the fair market value of a share of the Issuer's Common Stock, except that the Issuer may, at its election, acquire each Common OP Unit so presented for redemption for one share of Common Stock. Common OP Units have no expiration date.

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(3) Reflects the distribution of 7,317 Common OP Units previously owned indirectly by Ritchey, LLC to the Reporting Person as part of an annual annuity payment on May 5, 2014. The Reporting Person is the sole member and manager of Ritchey, LLC, which is owned by a grantor retained annuity trust of which the Reporting Person is the sole trustee and beneficiary.

(4) Reflects the distribution of 15,000 Common OP Units previously owned indirectly by RAR Ritchey, LLC to the Reporting Person as part of an annual annuity payment on December 10, 2014. The Reporting Person is the sole member and manager of RAR Ritchey, LLC, which is owned by a grantor retained annuity trust of which the Reporting Person is the sole trustee and beneficiary.

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