

Public Storage
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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 *
HUGHES B WAYNE ET AL

(Last) (First) (Middle)
C/O PUBLIC STORAGE, 701
WESTERN AVENUE
(Street)

GLENDALE, CA 91201

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Public Storage [PSA]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
03/03/2009

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)
CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| Common Stock | | | | | 7,003,141 ⁽⁷⁾ | I | As Trustee ⁽¹⁾ ⁽⁷⁾ |
| Common Stock | 03/03/2009 | | S | 390,898 D | \$ 50.6741 609,102 ⁽⁷⁾ | I | As Settlor ⁽²⁾ ⁽⁷⁾ |
| Common Stock | 03/04/2009 | | S | 434,102 D | \$ 50.6662 175,000 | I | As Settlor ⁽²⁾ ⁽⁷⁾ |
| Common Stock | | | | | 1,427 | I | By IRA ⁽³⁾ |

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|---|--------------|---|-------------------------------|
| Common Stock | 735,000 | I | By GRAT ⁽⁴⁾ |
| Common Stock | 400,000 | I | By LLC ⁽⁶⁾ |
| Common Stock | 546,203.2727 | I | By 401(k) Plan ⁽⁵⁾ |
| Depository Shares Representing Equity Stock | 52,547 | I | As Trustee ⁽¹⁾ |
| Depository Shares Representing Equity Stock | 46 | I | By IRA ⁽³⁾ |
| Depository Shares Representing Equity Stock | 10,236.7359 | I | By 401(k) Plan ⁽⁵⁾ |

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)

| 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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Nu... Deriv... Secur... Bene... Own... Follo... Repo... Trans... (Instr... |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|---|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Reporting Owners

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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

HUGHES B WAYNE ET AL
C/O PUBLIC STORAGE
701 WESTERN AVENUE
GLENDALE, CA 91201

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CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD

Signatures

/s/ David Goldberg, Attorney
in Fact

03/05/2009

__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) By B. Wayne Hughes, trustee for B.W. Hughes Living Trust dated 6/3/77 (the "Living Trust").
- (2) By The Northern Trust Company of Delaware, trustee for B. Wayne Hughes 2008 Irrevocable Intervivos Trust ("NTCD").
- (3) By custodian of an IRA for the reporting person's benefit.
- (4) By B. Wayne Hughes, trustee of Wayne Hughes 6-07 Annuity Trust.
- (5) 401 (k) plan units that represent interests in common stock or equity stock; based on plan information as of March 4, 2009. There is not a one to one correlation between units and shares.
- (6) Shares held by Japanese Village, LLC, of which the reporting person is the sole member.
- (7) Reflects downward adjustment of 1,000,000 shares of common stock transferred to NTCD.

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