

DUNCAN BRUCE W  
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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 \*  
DUNCAN BRUCE W

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
FIRST INDUSTRIAL REALTY TRUST INC [FR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
311 S. WACKER DRIVE, SUITE 3900  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
12/31/2012

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
President and CEO

CHICAGO, IL 60606

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

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

**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)
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price
Common Stock	12/31/2012		M <sup>(1)</sup>		175,000	A	②
Common Stock	12/31/2012		F <sup>(3)</sup>		72,538	D	\$ 14.08
Common Stock	12/31/2012		F <sup>(4)</sup>		34,733	D	\$ 14.08
							1,055,658
							983,120
							948,387

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)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Restricted Stock Units <sup>(5)</sup>	<u>(2)</u>	12/31/2012		M <sup>(6)</sup>	175,000	<u>(7)</u>	12/31/2013	Common Stock	175,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
DUNCAN BRUCE W 311 S. WACKER DRIVE SUITE 3900 CHICAGO, IL 60606	X		President and CEO	

## Signatures

/s/John W. Lee,  
attorney-in-fact

01/02/2013

\*\*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) Transaction resulting from the vesting of restricted stock units ("RSUs") granted pursuant to the reporting person's employment agreement.

(2) No figure applicable.

(3) Transaction resulting from tax withholding in connection with the vesting of the RSUs.

(4) Transaction resulting from tax withholding in connection with the vesting of restricted stock.

(5) RSUs granted pursuant to the reporting person's employment agreement on January 9, 2009. Each RSU represents the right to receive, upon vesting, one share of First Industrial common stock, plus any dividend equivalents that have accrued prior to the date of vesting. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person promptly after vesting.

(6) 175,000 RSUs vested upon the satisfaction of a time-based component and achievement of a specified market price level of First Industrial common stock.

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300,000 RSUs vest upon the achievement, on or before December 31, 2013, of specified market price levels of the Issuer's common stock.

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