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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Zimmerman Gregory E Issuer Symbol WASHINGTON PRIME GROUP (Check all applicable) INC. [WPG] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) C/O WASHINGTON PRIME 02/20/2019 Exec VP, Development

C/O WASHINGTON PRIME GROUP INC., 180 EAST BROAD STREET

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
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COLUMBUS, OH 43215

share

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of Securities (Instr. 3) Code (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Owned Indirect (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Price Code V Amount (D) Common Stock, par value 02/20/2019 M 10,475 A (1) 51,074 D \$0.0001 per share Common Stock, par M 10,939 A D value 02/21/2019 (2) 62,013 \$0.0001 per

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Common Stock, par

value 02/21/2019 M 5,846 A (2) 67,859 D

\$0.0001 per share

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or 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 Amoun Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amor or Numl of Sh
Restricted Stock Units	(3)	02/20/2019		M		10,475	<u>(4)</u>	(3)	Common Stock, par value \$0.0001 per share	10,4
Restricted Stock Units	(3)	02/21/2019		M		10,939	<u>(5)</u>	(3)	Common Stock, par value \$0.0001 per share	10,9
Restricted Stock Units	(3)	02/21/2019		M		5,846	<u>(5)</u>	(3)	Common Stock, par value \$0.0001 per share	5,8
Restricted Stock Units	(3)	02/20/2019		A	33,223		<u>(6)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	Common Stock, par value \$0.0001 per share	33,2
Performance Stock Units	(7)	02/20/2019		A	33,223		<u>(8)</u>	(8)	Common Stock, par value \$0.0001	33,2

per share

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Zimmerman Gregory E C/O WASHINGTON PRIME GROUP INC. 180 EAST BROAD STREET COLUMBUS, OH 43215

Exec VP, Development

Signatures

/s/ Stephen E. 02/22/2019

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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) Issuer's common stock (the "Common Stock") acquired upon vesting of restricted stock units ("RSUs") awarded to the Reporting Person on February 20, 2018 (the "Grant Date").
- (2) Common Stock acquired upon vesting of restricted stock units ("RSUs") awarded to the Reporting Person on February 21, 2017 (the "Second Grant Date").
- (3) Each of the RSUs represents a contingent right to receive one share of Common Stock.
- (4) Listed RSUs were awarded on the Grant Date and represent a portion of the total award that vests on the annual anniversary of the Grant Date and is converted on a one-for-one basis to Common Stock.
- (5) Listed RSUs were awarded on the Second Grant Date and represent a portion of the total award that vests on the annual anniversary of the Second Grant Date and is converted on a one-for-one basis to Common Stock.
- The awarded RSUs shall vest and become non-forfeitable in one-third installments on each of the first, second and third anniversaries of (6) February 20, 2019, provided that the Reporting Person is in continued compliance with certain covenants in the Reporting Person's employment agreement and subject to certain provisions of such agreement relating to a change in control of the Issuer.
- (7) Each of the performance stock units ("PSUs") represents a contingent right to receive one share of Common Stock.
 - Unvested PSUs shall be earned based upon the satisfaction of certain relative total shareholder return criteria ("TSR Criteria") with the number of earned PSUs ranging from 0% to 150% of the allocated amount awarded based on the achievement of the Company in the
- (8) TSR Criteria over a three-year performance period from February 20, 2019 to February 20, 2022 ("Vesting Date"), provided that the Reporting Person is in continued compliance with certain covenants in the Reporting Person's employment agreement and subject to certain provisions of such agreement relating to a change in control of the Issuer. Settlement of the PSUs shall occur as soon as practicable after the Vesting Date, but no later than March 15, 2023.

Remarks:

This Form 4 is executed pursuant to the Limited Power of Attorney filed as Exhibit 24 to a Form 3 filed on November 13, 201

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