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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).

(City)

(State)

(Zip)

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** Robey David | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | | | |
|--|----------|----------|--|---|--|--|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) | | (Middle) | QTS Realty Trust, Inc. [QTS] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction | (Check all applicable) | | | |
| C/O QTS REALTY TRUST, INC., 12851 FOSTER STREET | | | (Month/Day/Year) 03/31/2019 | Director 10% Own Officer (give title Other (special below) Chief Operating Officer | | | |
| | (Street) | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person | | | |
| OVERLAND PARK, KS 66213 | | | | Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | |

| (,) | (=) | Tabl | e I - Non-L | Derivative Securities Ac | quirea, Disposea (| of, or Beneficial | ly Owned |
|-----------------|---------------------|--------------------|-------------|--------------------------|--------------------|-------------------|--------------|
| 1.Title of | 2. Transaction Date | 2A. Deemed | 3. | 4. Securities Acquired | 5. Amount of | 6. Ownership | 7. Nature of |
| Security | (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if | Transactio | on(A) or Disposed of (D) | Securities | Form: Direct | Indirect |
| (Instr. 3) | | any | Code | (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | Beneficially | (D) or | Beneficial |
| | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | | Owned | Indirect (I) | Ownership |
| | | | | | Following | (Instr. 4) | (Instr. 4) |
| | | | | / A \ | Reported | | |
| | | | | (A) | Transaction(s) | | |
| | | | Code V | or Amount (D) Price | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | |
| Class A | | | | ф | | | |
| common stock | 03/31/2019 | | F | 238 (1) D \$ 44.82 | 17,403 | D | |

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table I. Non Desirative Committee Assumed Disposed of an Deneficially Or

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) | 5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) | | ate | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | of ng s | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr |
|---|---|---|---|--|---|---------------------|--------------------|---|---------------|---|---|
| | | | | Code V | (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | or Title Nu of | umber | | |

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Robey David C/O QTS REALTY TRUST, INC. 12851 FOSTER STREET OVERLAND PARK, KS 66213

Chief Operating Officer

Signatures

/s/ Timothy J. Kuester, Attorney-in-Fact

03/31/2019

**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).
- Reflects shares surrendered to the Issuer to satisfy tax withholding obligation in connection with the vesting of restricted shares.

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