FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Einiger Carol B.</u>					2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol BOSTON PROPERTIES INC [ BXP ]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner				
					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/31/2005							Officer below)	(give title	Other (s below)	specify	
1230 YORK AVENUE					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)				
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10021											Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(Si	ate)	(Zip)													
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Da					Execution Date,			e, Transaction Dispose Code (Instr. 5)		rities Acquired (A) o ed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a		Beneficia	es Forn ally (D) o Following (I) (Ir	orm: Direct D) or Indirect ) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
								Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transact (Instr. 3 a	ion(s)		(Instr. 4)	
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 Sate Execution Date, Month/Day/Year) 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr.				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Phantom Stock Units	(1)	03/31/2005		A		290.55		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	290.55	\$0	1,137.06	D		

## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The Phantom Stock Units convert to Common Stock on a 1-for-1 basis.
- 2. The Phantom Stock Units are awarded under the Boston Properties, Inc. 1997 Stock Option and Incentive Plan to non-employee directors who elected to receive Phantom Stock Units in lieu of director compensation fees. The Phantom Stock Units are to be settled in shares of Common Stock upon the Reporting Person's retirement from the Boston Properties Board of Directors.

## Remarks:

<u>Kelli A. DiLuglio, as Attorney-</u> <u>04/04/2005</u>

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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