FORM 4

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Otteni Peter V				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BOSTON PROPERTIES INC [ BXP ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner  Officer (give title Other (specify							
(Last) (First) (Middle) 2200 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE NW SUITE 200W					02/	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/01/2022								Executive Vice President					
(Street) WASHINGTON DC 20037				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)      X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)			action	action 2A. Deemed Execution Date,		3. 4. Securities Ad Disposed Of (D Code (Instr. 5)		ities Acquir	5. Amou Securitie Benefici Owned F		nt of s ally following	Form (D) o	r Indirect Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership					
									Code	v	Amount	(A) o (D)	r Price		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				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  Security  Output  Security  Security  3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)  Month/Day/Year)  3. Transaction Date (Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Date,	Transaction of Code (Instr. B) Sec Acc (A) Dis of (Instr. Code (Instr. B)		of Deriva Securi Acquir (A) or Dispos of (D)	of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		i. Date Exercisable and expiration Date Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)				9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code			Date Exercisab			Title	Amount or Number of Shares								
LTIP Units <sup>(1)</sup>	(1)	02/01/2022			A		3,680		(1)(2)		(1)	Common Stock, par value \$0.01	3,680		\$0.25	25,731	L	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Represents units of limited partnership interest in Boston Properties Limited Partnership ("BPLP"), of which the Issuer is the general partner, issued as long term incentive compensation ("LTIP Units") pursuant to the Issuer's equity based incentive programs. Conditioned upon minimum allocations to the capital accounts of the LTIP Units for federal income tax purposes, each LTIP Unit may be converted, at the election of BPLP or the holder, into a common unit of limited partnership interest in BPLP ("Common OP Unit"). Each Common OP Unit acquired upon conversion of an LTIP Unit may be presented for redemption, at the election of the holder, for cash equal to the then fair market value of a share of the Issuer's Common Stock, except that the Issuer may, at its election, acquire each Common OP Unit so presented for one share of Common Stock. LTIP Units have no expiration date.

2. The 3,680 LTIP Units vest 100% on January 15, 2026.

## Remarks:

/s/ Kelli A. DiLuglio, as Attorney-in-Fact 02/03/2022

\*\* 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).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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