FORM 4

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* BAIRD ZOE					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BOSTON PROPERTIES INC [BXP]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
DAIKL	<u>/ ZOE</u>													X	Directo	or		10% O	wner	
(Last) THE MA	,	rst) (Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/30/2010										Officer below)	(give title		Other (s below)	specify	
10 ROCKEFELLER PLAZA					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
(Street) NEW Y	ORK N	Y :	10020											X	Form	filed by Mor		orting Person		
(City)	(Si	tate) (Zip)											Perso	П					
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
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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)	erivative Conversion Date Execution Date, ecurity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			Co	Transaction Code (Instr. I		of E		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		De Se (In	Price of erivative ecurity 1str. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	у	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
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Dividend Equivalent Rights	(1)	07/30/2010		I	A		24.96		(2)		(2)	Common Stock	24.96		\$81.9	4,113.36	6	D		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The rights convert into Common Stock on a 1-for-1 basis.
- 2. Acquired as quarterly dividends on July 30, 2010. The rights were granted as a component of the Phantom Stock Units that were awarded under the Second Amendment and Restatement of 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 cash compensation fees. The rights are to be settled in shares of Common Stock (except that fractional units, if any, will be settled in cash) upon the Reporting Person's retirement from the Boston Properties Board of Directors.

Remarks:

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

08/02/2010

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- * 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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