## FORM 4

obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, [	D.C.	20549
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL	<b>OWNERSHIP</b>

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     BAIRD ZOE				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)							
DITTILL	<u> </u>													X	Directo	or		10% Ov	vner	
(Last) THE MA	`	irst) (	(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/30/2008									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	<b>Y</b> :	10020											-,	X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(S	tate) (	(Zip)																	
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)					Execution Date,			Code (Instr. 5)				4 and Securitie		es Forr ially (D) ( Following (I) (II		n: Direct r Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
								Code	v	Amount	(A) o (D)	Pric	Trancac		tion(s)			(111511.4)		
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																			
				ransa ode (I		of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	у	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				C	ode	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisab		xpiration ate	Title	Amou or Numb of Shares	er						
Dividend Equivalent Rights	(1)	04/30/2008			A		19.29		(2)		(2)	Common Stock	19.2	9	\$100.49	2,869.7	, <u> </u>	D		

## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The rights convert into Common Stock on a 1-for-1 basis.
- 2. Acquired as quarterly dividends on April 30, 2008. 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 05/01/2008 Attorney-in-Fact

\*\* 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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