FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  VAN DEN BERG PIETER S						SIMON PROPERTY GROUP INC /DE/ [ SPG ]										all app	er (give title	ig Person	10% C	wner (specify
(Last) (First) (Middle) REGENTESSELAAN 6A 3744 MB BAARN					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/11/2006											belov	v)		below)	
(Street) THE NETHEF (City)		ate) (.	Zip)		4. If	Ame	endment	, Date o	f Original	Filed	(Month/Da	ay/Yea	ur)		. Indivine)	Form	r Joint/Group n filed by Ond n filed by Mod on	e Reportii	ng Pers	on
		Tabl	e I - Nor	-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	s Acc	quired,	Dis	osed o	f, or	Bene	eficia	ally	Owne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D						Execution Date		n Date,	3. Transa Code ( 8)	4. Securi Disposed 5)	Securities Acquired (A sposed Of (D) (Instr. 3,			4 and Se		Securities Beneficially		rship rect direct 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									v	Amount	(	(A) or (D)	Price	•	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(	
Common Stock 05/1					1/2006	5			A <sup>(1)</sup>		1,012	2	A (1)		2,062		2,062	D		
	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)	rivative Conversion Date Execution curity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) o Dispo of (D) (Instr	of Derivative (I Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Date Exercisable and expiration Date Month/Day/Year)  Pate Expiration Expiration exercisable Date		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)  Amoun or Numbe of Title Shares		ount nber	t r		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Own Forn Direc or In (I) (Ir	ership 1: ct (D) direct estr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Non-cash compensation- Award of restricted stock under the Simon Property Group, L.P. 1998 Stock Incentive Plan. The restricted stock vests one year after the award.

<u>Pieter S. van den Berg, and his</u> <u>attorney-in-fact, Shelly Doran</u>

05/12/2006

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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