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* SOKOLOV RICHARD S							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SIMON PROPERTY GROUP INC /DE/ SPG]									ip of Reportir plicable) ctor	ng Person(s) to 10%	Issuer Owner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 225 W. WASHINGTON STREET						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/27/2009									X Office below	,	title Other (specify below) dent and COO	
(Street) INDIANAPOLIS IN 46204 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable 1e) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																	
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Da						Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 1. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5)					nd Secur Bene Owne	icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership	
										v	Amount (A) or (D)		A) or O)	Price		action(s) 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 02/27/							2009		A ⁽¹⁾		14,486		Α	(1)	4	41,597	D	
		Та	able II - C								sed of, onvertib				/ Owned	I		
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	te Execution Date, onth/Day/Year) if any			saction of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Expiratio (Month/D	Date Expiration Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration Exercisable Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amoun or Numbe of Title Shares		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Award of restricted stock under a stock incentive program established pursuant to the Simon Property Group, L.P. 1998 Stock Incentive Plan. The restricted stock included within such award is subject to forfeiture unless recipient satisfies vesting requirements.

<u>Richard S. Sokolov, and his</u> <u>attorney-in-fact, Shelly Doran</u>

03/03/2009

** 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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