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*  VAN DEN BERG PIETER S						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SIMON PROPERTY GROUP INC /DE/ [ SPG ]										all app	ship of Reporting F applicable) irector		Person(s) to Issuer  10% Owner  Other (specify		
(Last) (First) (Middle) P.O. BOX 4001 NL 3700 KA ZEIST						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/11/2005										belov	er (give title w)		below)		
(Street)  ZEIST 3700  (City) (State) (Zip)					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						
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Trans Date (Month/I						Day/Year) if		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Dispose Code (Instr. 5)		ities Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3,			4 and Secu Bene		cially I Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code	v	Amount		A) or D)	Price		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(	
Common Stock 05/11/						1/2005					1,000	)	A (		(1) 1,		1,000	Ι	<b>)</b> (2)		
	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)	tive Conversion Date Execution Date, or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)  Amour or Numbe of		ount	nt		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	/ (A) (D)				Expiration Date	Title Share		res							

## **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 over a four-year period.
- 2. Mr. van den Berg has assigned the economic benefit of his stock to PGGM, a Dutch pension fund.

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

05/12/2005

\*\* 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).
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