

STERRETT STEPHEN E  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
STERRETT STEPHEN E

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
SIMON PROPERTY GROUP INC  
/DE/ [SPG]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
  
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
225 W. WASHINGTON STREET  
  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
12/30/2009

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
EVP/Chief Financial Officer

INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46204

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|--|
|                                 |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | Amount  | (D)  | Price                                      |
| Common Stock                    | 12/30/2009                           |  | S                              |   | 14,500  | D  | \$ 81.13<br>(1)                            |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   | 117,607   | D  | (2)<br>(3)                                 |

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

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

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| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr |
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## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |                             |       | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|---------------|-----------|-----------------------------|-------|----------------------------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                     | Other |                            |
| STERRETT STEPHEN E<br>225 W. WASHINGTON STREET<br>INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46204 |               |           | EVP/Chief Financial Officer |       |                            |

## Signatures

Stephen E. Sterrett, and his attorney-in-fact, Shelly Doran  
 12/31/2009  
 \*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* 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).

- (1) Price of non-derivative securities is based on a weighted average price. The stock sale prices range from 80.65 to 81.45.
- (2) Includes 105 common shares acquired through the reinvestment of dividends received on common shares.

Includes 2,786 common shares received on 3/18/09 as dividends. The Company's quarterly dividend was paid in a combination of cash and shares of common stock. Includes 1,081 common shares received on 6/19/09 as dividends. The Company's quarterly dividend was paid in a combination of cash and shares of common stock. Includes 869 common shares received on 9/18/09 as dividends. The Company's quarterly dividend was paid in a combination of cash and shares of common stock. Also includes 768 common shares received on 12/18/09 as dividends. The Company's quarterly dividend was paid in a combination of cash and shares of common stock.

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