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Form 4

September 17, 2013

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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may continue. See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* HAMLIN CLAY W III

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

CORPORATE OFFICE

PROPERTIES TRUST [OFC]

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 09/13/2013

X\_ Director Officer (give title below)

10% Owner Other (specify

6711 COLUMBIA GATEWAY DRIVE, SUITE 300

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

> > Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

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

Issuer

COLUMBIA, MD 21046

(City) (State) (Zip) 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership (D) or Indirect (I)

7. Nature of Indirect Form: Direct Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Reported (Instr. 4)

(A) Price

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D)

\$

 $11,390 \frac{(1)}{2}$ 

D

Common Shares of

COPT

(Instr. 3)

09/13/2013

A 1,000

23.328 A (2)

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	le and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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					Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

HAMLIN CLAY W III 6711 COLUMBIA GATEWAY DRIVE SUITE 300 COLUMBIA, MD 21046



# **Signatures**

Karen M. Singer, by Power of Attorney

09/16/2013

\*\*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).
  - The reporting person's purchase of one thousand (1,000) COPT common shares reported herein was matchable under Section 16(b) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 with the sale by LBCW Limited Partnership (the "Partnership") of ten thousand (10,000) COPT
- (1) common shares on May 1, 2013 at a price of \$28.8647 per share on May 1, 2013. The reporting person has an indirect beneficial ownership interest in the shares held by the Partnership. The reporting person has agreed to pay to COPT \$5,635.40, representing the full amount of the profit realized in connection with the short-swing transaction.
- (2) This price is an average with purchases between \$23.328 and \$23.329 per share.

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