

Sprague Neil E.
Form 4
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FORM 4

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

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Sprague Neil E.

(Last) (First) (Middle)

909 WALNUT, SUITE 200

(Street)

KANSAS CITY, MO 64106

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

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

02/21/2013

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
☒ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify
below)

SVP and General Counsel

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
☒ 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. 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 Ownership Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	02/21/2013		A ⁽¹⁾	5,844 (1)	\$ 47.21 (1)	5,844	D
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	02/21/2013		A ⁽²⁾	7,195 (2)	\$ 47.21 (2)	13,039	D

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

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(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option to Purchase Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	\$ 47.21	02/21/2013		A ⁽³⁾		9,282 ⁽³⁾		01/01/2014	01/01/2024	Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	9,282 ⁽³⁾

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
Sprague Neil E. 909 WALNUT SUITE 200 KANSAS CITY, MO 64106	SVP and General Counsel

Signatures

/s/ Neil E.
Sprague 02/22/2013

**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).
- (1) At the election of the Reporting Person, the Common Shares of Beneficial Interest were issued in lieu of a cash bonus and vest in three annual installments, beginning January 1, 2014.
- (2) The Common Shares of Beneficial Interest were granted to the Reporting Person as long-term compensation and vest in four annual installments, beginning January 1, 2014.

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(3) Options vest and become exercisable in four annual installments beginning January 1, 2014.

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