Garrison Shane C. Form 4 October 10, 2012

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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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

(City)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Garrison Shane C.

(First)

(State)

2901 BUTTERFIELD ROAD

(Middle)

(Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

RETAIL PROPERTIES OF AMERICA, INC. [RPAI]

10/05/2012

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

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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

EVP, COO, CIO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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Person

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

OAK BROOK, IL 60523

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Indirect (I) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported

(A) Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

Class A common

 \mathbf{C} D 10/05/2012 2,171 Α <u>(2)</u> 7,342

stock (1)

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)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price Deriva Securit (Instr.
			Code V	(A) (A)	D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Class B-1 common	<u>(3)</u>	10/05/2012	C	2,	171	(3)	<u>(3)</u>	Class A common stock	2,171	(2)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Garrison Shane C. 2901 BUTTERFIELD ROAD OAK BROOK, IL 60523

EVP, COO, CIO

Signatures

/s/ Dennis K. Holland, attorney in fact

ct 10/10/2012

**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).
 - In March 2012, Retail Properties of America, Inc. (the "Company") effectuated a 10 to 1 reverse stock split of its then outstanding common stock, redesignated all of its common stock as Class A common stock, and subsequently paid a stock dividend pursuant to which
- each outstanding share of Class A common stock received one share each of Class B-1, Class B-2, and Class B-3 common stock. The net (1) result of these actions resulted in each previously outstanding share of Company common stock being converted into 1/10 of a share of each of Class A, Class B-1, Class B-2, and Class B-3 common stock of the Company and each option to purchase a previously outstanding share of Company common stock being converted into an option to purchase 1/10 of a share of each of Class A, Class B-1, Class B-2, and Class B-3 common stock of the Company.
- (2) Converted from shares of Class B-1 common stock into Class A common stock on a one-for-one basis.
- (3) The Class B-1 common stock automatically converted into Class A common stock on October 5, 2012 on a one-for-one basis.

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