BRE PROPERTIES INC /MD/

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

(First)

(Street)

Dominiak Stephen C

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

BRE PROPERTIES INC /MD/

[BRE]

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 04/01/2014

Director X_ Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

525 MARKET STREET 4TH

FLOOR

(City)

Stock

(Last)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

D

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

EVP, Chief Investment Officer

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Issuer

below)

SAN FRANCISCO, CA US 94105

(State)

04/01/2014

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

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

(1)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Owned Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4) Reported

Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Code V Common

(Zip)

or Price Amount (D) 91.374

<u>(1)</u>

D

(A)

 $0^{(1)}$

D

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

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Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 33.06	04/01/2014		D		18,566	(3)	01/27/2020	Common stock	18,566
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 44.12	04/01/2014		D		13,488	<u>(3)</u>	01/26/2021	Common stock	13,488
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 51.52	04/01/2014		D		12,593	(3)	01/25/2022	Common stock	12,593

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Dominiak Stephen C 525 MARKET STREET 4TH FLOOR SAN FRANCISCO, CA US 94105

EVP, Chief Investment Officer

Signatures

Stephen C. Dominiak 04/01/2014

**Signature of Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

Date

- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- Disposed of pursuant to the "Merger Agreement" each share of BRE Properties, Inc. common stock including 46,477 restricted shares (1) held by the Reporting Person as of the date of the merger was converted into 0.2971 shares of Essex Property Trust, Inc. common stock, plus additional shares equal to \$7.18 divided by the Essex volume weighted average price plus \$5.15 in cash.
- (2) Disposed of pursuant to the "Merger Agreement" in exchange for a number of options to purchase shares of Essex Property Trust, Inc. common stock equal to the number of BRE Properties, Inc. options reflected in this line item, multiplied by the sum of the common stock exchange ratio of 0.2971 and \$12.33 divided by Essex Property Trust, Inc.'s 10 day volume weighted average price, or 0.3712, rounded down to the nearest share. The exercise price of the Essex Property Trust, Inc. options will be equal to the exercise price of the

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corresponding BRE Properties, Inc. options, divided by 0.3712, rounded up to the nearest whole cent.

Pursuant to the "Merger Agreement" all unvested options to purchase BRE Properties, Inc. common shares became fully vested and exercisable upon the merger.

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