#### **BACOW LAWRENCE S**

Form 4 January 04, 2005

### 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(b).

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* **BACOW LAWRENCE S** 

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

**BOSTON PROPERTIES INC [BXP]** 

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

(First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

\_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner

TUFTS UNIVERSITY, 161 PACKARD AVENUE

Officer (give title Other (specify below)

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Instr. 8)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Month/Day/Year)

12/31/2004

Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

MEDFORD, MA 02155

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Code V Amount (D) Price

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

7. Nature of 6. Ownership Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) Ownership

Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

(Instr. 4)

(Instr. 4)

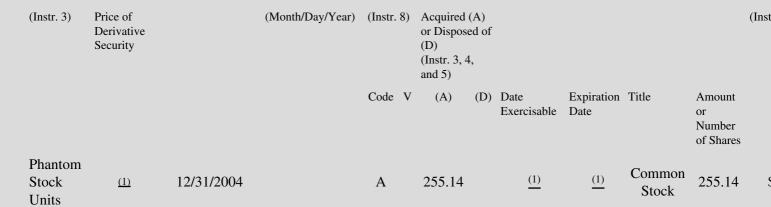
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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amount of 8. Pr Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionDerivative **Expiration Date Underlying Securities** Deri Security or Exercise any Code Securities (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and 4) Secu

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## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BACOW LAWRENCE S TUFTS UNIVERSITY 161 PACKARD AVENUE MEDFORD, MA 02155	X			

## **Signatures**

Kelli A. DiLuglio, as attorney-in-fact

01/04/2005

\*\*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 Phantom Stock Units are awarded under the Boston Properties, Inc. 1997 Stock Option and Incentive Plan to non-employee directors

(1) who elected to receive Phantom Stock Units in lieu of director compensation fees. The Phantom Stock Units are to be settled in shares of Common Stock upon the Reporting Person's retirement from the Boston Properties Board of Directors.

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