

FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Bowers Robert E</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) 11695 JOHNS CREEK PARKWAY STE 350 (Street) JOHNS CREEK GA 30097 (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>Piedmont Office Realty Trust, Inc. [PDM]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <u>Chief Financial Officer</u>
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>05/06/2010</u>	
4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Class A common stock	05/06/2010		A		5,077 ⁽¹⁾	A	\$0	11,913	D	
Class B-1 common stock	05/06/2010		A		5,076 ⁽¹⁾	A	\$0	11,710	D	
Class B-2 common stock	05/06/2010		A		5,077 ⁽¹⁾	A	\$0	11,711	D	
Class B-3 common stock	05/06/2010		A		5,077 ⁽¹⁾	A	\$0	11,711	D	
Class A common stock	05/06/2010		F		548 ⁽²⁾	D	\$19.54	11,913	D	
Class B-1 common stock	05/06/2010		F		549 ⁽²⁾	D	\$19.54	11,710	D	
Class B-2 common stock	05/06/2010		F		549 ⁽²⁾	D	\$19.54	11,711	D	
Class B-3 common stock	05/06/2010		F		549 ⁽²⁾	D	\$19.54	11,711	D	

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date					

Explanation of Responses:

- The award reported herein was part of an award of 27,078 shares of restricted stock awarded on May 6, 2009. The total award vested as to 25% immediately upon the original award date and vested as to the remaining shares at a rate of 25% annually from the original award date. Mr. Bowers is now reporting all of the unvested shares, including the 25% that vested as of the event date, since the total shares awarded should have been reported on the original award date. All amounts reported herein reflect the recapitalization of the Company's common stock and the related adjustment of outstanding stock awards, whereby each share of the Company's common stock was converted into 1/12th of a share each of the Company's Class A, B-1, B-2 and B-3 common stock.
- In connection with the vesting of 6,770 shares of deferred stock on May 6, 2010, 2,195 shares were delivered to the Company to satisfy tax withholding obligations, in accordance with the Company's 2007 Omnibus Incentive Plan.

Robert E. Bowers 05/10/2010
 ** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

* 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).

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