HAMLIN CLAY W III Form 4

March 15, 2010

#### 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).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* HAMLIN CLAY W III

(First)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

**CORPORATE OFFICE** PROPERTIES TRUST [OFC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 03/11/2010

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Middle)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner \_Other (specify Officer (give title below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

HAVERFORD, PA 19041

424 MULBERRY LANE

(City)	(State) (Zip)	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securitie of Dispose (Instr. 3, 4	d of (I	<b>D</b> )	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)	
Common Units-COPLP	03/11/2010		C	150,000	D	<u>(4)</u>	1,848,835 (3)	I	See footnote	
Common Shares-COPT	03/11/2010		M	150,000	A	(1)	150,000	I	See footnote	
Common Shares - COPT	03/11/2010		S	99,500	D	\$ 39.446	50,500	I	See footnote (2)	
Common SharesCOPT	03/12/2010		S	50,500	D	\$ 39.743	0	D		

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)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	orNumber	Expiration Da	ate	Amoun	it of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underly	ying	Security	Secui
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						Exercisable	Date		Number		
				C 1 W	(A) (D)				of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

#### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Transfer de la companya de la compan	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
HAMLIN CLAY W III							
424 MULBERRY LANE	X						
HAVERFORD, PA 19041							

### **Signatures**

Karen M. Singer, by Power of Attorney

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

03/11/2010

## **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) Acquired through conversion of COPLP Units.
- (2) These shares are owned by LBCW Limited Partnership.
- (3) The 1,848,835 units are owned as follows: 96,317 by Clay W. Hamlin, III, 1,631,107 by LBCW, L.P. and 121,411 by Lynn Hamlin
- (4) Disposed through conversion of COPLP Units into Common Shares

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