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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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See Instruction 30

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SIMON DAVID		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SIMON PROPERTY GROUP INC /DE/ [SPG]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
` /	(First) (Middle) INGTON STREET	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/30/2011	_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) CEO/Chairman of the Board		
	(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
INDIANAPOLI	IS, IN 46204		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security					5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership	7. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Beneficially	Form:	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)		Owned	Direct (D)	Ownership
					Following	or Indirect	(Instr. 4)
				(4)	Reported	(I)	
				(A)	Transaction(s)	(Instr. 4)	
			Code V	or / Amount (D) Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	12/30/2011		A	6,857 A \$ 130.5725	636,037	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)

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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. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)		ate	7. Title a Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 a	of ng s	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	or Title Nu of	umber		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Toporous o whor remove reaction	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
SIMON DAVID 225 W. WASHINGTON STREET INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46204	X		CEO/Chairman of the Board				

Signatures

David Simon, and his attorney-in-fact, Shelly Doran 01/03/2012

**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).
- (1) Transaction represents acquisition of common stock exempt pursuant to Rule 16b-3(d) from reinvesting distributions on Series CEO LTIP units.

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