

TAUBMAN CENTERS INC  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Leopold Simon

(Last) (First) (Middle)

TAUBMAN CENTERS, INC., 200  
E. LONG LAKE ROAD, SUITE 300

(Street)

BLOOMFIELD HILLS, MI 48304

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
TAUBMAN CENTERS INC [TCO]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)

03/01/2017

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

EVP, CFO and Treasurer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	03/01/2017		M	3,016 A \$ 0	8,893	D	
Common Stock	03/01/2017		F	984 D \$ 69.15	7,909	D	
Common Stock	03/01/2017		A	1,871 (1) A \$ 0	9,780	D	
Common Stock	03/01/2017		F	593 D \$ 69.15	9,187	D	
Common Stock					17 (2)	I	By 401(k) plan

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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 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price or Value of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
Restricted Stock Units <sup>(3)</sup>	\$ 0	03/01/2017		M	3,016	<u>(4)</u> <u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	3,016

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Leopold Simon TAUBMAN CENTERS, INC. 200 E. LONG LAKE ROAD, SUITE 300 BLOOMFIELD HILLS, MI 48304			EVP, CFO and Treasurer	

## Signatures

/s/ Michael S. Ben,  
Attorney-in-Fact 03/03/2017

\*\*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).
- Performance share units (PSU) were granted to the reporting person pursuant to the Taubman Company 2008 Omnibus Long-Term Incentive Plan (Omnibus Incentive Plan). Each PSU represents a contingent right to receive, upon vesting, shares of the Company's
- (1) common stock ranging from 0-300% of the PSU based on the Company's total shareholder return relative to that of a peer group. The PSU vested on March 1, 2017 with a payout ratio of 62%, which was certified by the Company's Compensation Committee on March 3, 2017.
  - (2) Represents shares of the Company's common stock on an as-converted basis held through a stock fund of the Company's 401(k) plan.

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- (3) Restricted stock units were granted to the reporting person pursuant to the Omnibus Incentive Plan. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive upon vesting one share of the Company's common stock.
- (4) The restricted stock units vested on March 1, 2017.

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