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SIMON PROPERTY GROUP INC /DE/ Form 4 February 28, 2014 FORM 4

#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 Check this box

### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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Form 5

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(State)

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> CONTIS DAVID J	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol SIMON PROPERTY GROUP INC /DE/ [SPG]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 225 W. WASHINGTON ST.	<ul><li>3. Date of Earliest Transaction</li><li>(Month/Day/Year)</li><li>02/26/2014</li></ul>	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Sr. EVP/Pres Simon Malls		
(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		
INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46204		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(Ch	y) (State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-l	Derivative Securities	Acquired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title o Security (Instr. 3)	(Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities onAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or	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 (D) Price			

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. Number of	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amount of	8. Pr
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orDerivative	Expiration Date	Underlying Securities	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)	Secu

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Da	y/Year) (Ins	tr. 8)	Acquired or Dispose (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	ed of					(Insti
			Cod	le V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
LTIP Units (1)	<u>(1)</u>	02/26/2014	А		20,136		(1)(2)	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	20,136	\$ (

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
CONTIS DAVID J 225 W. WASHINGTON ST. INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46204			Sr. EVP/Pres Simon Malls				

# Signatures

David J. Contis, and his attorney-in-fact, James M. Barkley

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

## **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).

Represents long-term incentive performance ("LTIP") units of Simon Property Group, L.P. (the "Operating Partnership"), of which Simon Property Group, Inc. (the "Company") is the general partner, issued as long-term incentive compensation pursuant to the Operating

02/28/2014

Date

Partnership's 1998 Stock Incentive Plan in compliance with Rule 16b-3. When earned and vested, each LTIP unit may be converted into a unit of limited partnership interest ("Partnership Unit"). Each Partnership Unit may be exchanged for a share of the Company's common stock, or cash, as selected by the Company.

On July 6, 2011, the reporting person was awarded a maximum of 20,136 LTIP units, subject to certain performance conditions. On February 26, 2014, the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors of the Company determined that the extent to which the

(2) performance measures had been achieved during the performance period resulted in 100%, or 20,136, of the LTIP units becoming earned LTIP units. The earned LTIP units vest in two equal installments on January 1, 2015 and January 1, 2016 subject to a continued service requirement.

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