

SELSAM ROBERT E
Form 4
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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. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
SELSAM ROBERT E

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O BOSTON PROPERTIES,
INC., 599 LEXINGTON AVENUE

(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10022

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

BOSTON PROPERTIES INC [BXP]

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

01/28/2011

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

Senior Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
__X__ Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

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)
Common Stock, par value \$.01	01/31/2011		M	30,000	A \$ 32.62	51,030.4279	D
Common Stock, par value \$.01	01/31/2011		S	30,000	D \$ (1) 94.3023	21,030.4279	D
Common Stock, par value \$.01					800	I	By child

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 Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)		
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 92.71	01/28/2011		A		4,854	01/28/2011 ⁽²⁾	01/28/2021	Common Stock
LTIP Units ⁽³⁾	⁽³⁾	01/28/2011		A		3,874	01/28/2011 ⁽³⁾⁽⁴⁾	⁽³⁾	Common Stock
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 32.62	01/31/2011		M		30,000	⁽⁵⁾	01/17/2012	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
SELSAM ROBERT E C/O BOSTON PROPERTIES, INC. 599 LEXINGTON AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10022	Senior Vice President

Signatures

/s/ Kelli A. DiLuglio,
Attorney-in-Fact

02/01/2011

 **Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

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(1) Represents the weighted average sale price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at sale prices ranging from \$94.19 to \$94.38, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide upon request by the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

(2) The options are fully vested upon grant as a result of the Reporting Person's attainment of age 62 with over 20 years of service with the Issuer.

Represents units of limited partnership interest in Boston Properties Limited Partnership (BPLP), of which the Issuer is the general partner, issued as long term incentive compensation pursuant to the Issuer's equity based compensatory programs. Conditioned upon minimum allocations to the capital accounts of the LTIP Units for federal income tax purposes, each LTIP Unit may be converted, at the election of the holder, into a common unit of limited partnership interest in BPLP (Common OP Unit). Each Common OP Unit acquired upon conversion of an LTIP Unit may be presented for redemption, at the election of the holder, for cash equal to the then fair market value of a share of the Issuer's Common Stock, except that the Issuer may, at its election as directed by BPLP, acquire each Common OP Unit so presented for one share of Common Stock.

(4) The 3,874 LTIP Units are fully vested upon grant as a result of the Reporting Person's attainment of age 62 with over 20 years of service with the Issuer.

(5) The option vested in three equal annual installments beginning on January 17, 2003.

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