

TANGER FACTORY OUTLET CENTERS INC  
 Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

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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 \*  
 ROBINSON THOMAS E

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 TANGER FACTORY OUTLET CENTERS INC [SKT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 21 WEST HUGHES STREET  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 03/02/2010

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

BALTIMORE, MD 21230  
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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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	03/02/2010		M		2,000	A	\$ 0 30,498
Common Stock	03/02/2010		M		10,000	A	\$ 0 40,498
Common Stock	03/02/2010		S		12,000	D	\$ 42.3 28,498 (3)

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)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Non-qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy) <u>(1)</u>	\$ 9.3125	03/02/2010		M	2,000	03/08/2001 <sup>(2)</sup>	03/08/2010	Common Stock
Non-qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy) <u>(1)</u>	\$ 19.38	03/02/2010		M	10,000	04/26/2005 <sup>(2)</sup>	04/26/2014	Common Stock

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ROBINSON THOMAS E 21 WEST HUGHES STREET BALTIMORE, MD 21230			X	

## Signatures

/s/ James F. Williams, attorney-in-fact for Mr. Robinson

03/02/2010

        \*\*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) Stock option granted pursuant to the Tanger Factory Outlet Centers, Inc Stock Option Plan.

(2) The option becomes exercisable in five equal annual installments, commencing one year from the date of grant.

(3) Represents weighted average sale price of multiple transactions ranging from \$42.30 to \$42.32.

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