SIZELER PROPERTY INVESTORS INC Form SC 13D/A March 15, 2005

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13D

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No. 12)*

SIZELER PROPERTY INVESTORS, INC.

(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, Par Value \$.0001 per share

(Title of Class of Securities)

830137-10-5

(CUSIP Number)

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(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications)

March 15, 2005

(Date of Event which Requires Filing of this Statement)

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CUSIP No. 830137-10-5 1. Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only) First Union Real Estate Equity and Mortgage Investments 34-6513657 2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions) (b) 3. SEC Use Only 4. Source of Funds (See Instructions) WC 5. Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e) o Citizenship or Place of Organization 6. Ohio 7. Sole Voting Power 1,310,300 Number of 8. Shared Voting Power Shares - 0 -Beneficially Owned by Each 9. Sole Dispositive Power Reporting 1,310,300 Person With 10. Shared Dispositive Power 11. Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 1,310,300 Shares 12. Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o 13. Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (11) 9.9% Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions) 14. 00

This Amendment No. 12 amends certain information contained in the Schedule 13D filed by First Union Real Estate Equity and Mortgage Investments, an Ohio business trust (First Union), with respect to its ownership interest in Sizeler Property Investors, Inc., as amended by Amendment No. 1 to Schedule 13D dated November 11, 2004, as further amended by Amendment No. 2 to Schedule 13D dated November 16, 2004, as further amended by Amendment No. 3 to Schedule 13D dated December 6, 2004, as further amended by Amendment No. 4 to Schedule 13D dated December 21, 2004, as further amended by Amendment No. 5 to Schedule 13D dated January 7, 2005, as further amended by Amendment No. 6 to Schedule 13D dated January 14, 2005, as further amended by Amendment No. 7 to Schedule 13D dated January 19, 2005, as further amended by Amendment No. 8 to Schedule 13D dated January 26, 2005, as further amended by Amendment No. 9 to Schedule 13D dated January 31, 2005, as further amended by Amendment No. 10 to Schedule 13D dated February 23, 2005, and as further amended by Amendment No. 11 to Schedule 13D dated March 9, 2005 (the 13D). Capitalized terms used but not defined herein have the meanings ascribed to them in the 13D.

Item 4.

Purpose of Transaction

Item 4 is hereby amended as follows:

On March 15, 2005, First Union sent a letter to the Chairman of the Board of the Issuer and filed a press release, communicating its dissatisfaction with the Issuer s plans to sell 2,649,000 shares of common stock at \$10.75 per share. In addition, First Union offered the Issuer four alternatives to the Issuer s proposed sale of common stock. Copies of the letter and the press release are attached hereto as Exhibits 8 and 9, respectively, and are incorporated by reference hereto

Item 7. Material to Be Filed as Exhibits

Item 7 is hereby amended as follows:

Exhibit 8. Letter, dated March 15, 2005, from First Union to the Issuer.

Exhibit 9. Press Release, dated March 15, 2005

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Signatures

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Dated: March 15, 2005 FIRST UNION REAL ESTATE EQUITY AND

MORTGAGE INVESTMENTS

By: /s/ Peter Braverman

Peter Braverman President

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