

POST PROPERTIES INC  
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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 \*  
**STOCKERT DAVID P**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

4401 NORTHSIDE  
PARKWAY, SUITE 800

(Street)

ATLANTA, GA 30327-3057

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**POST PROPERTIES INC [PPS]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
02/14/2014

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)  
President and CEO

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)
				(A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	02/14/2014		M	7,452 (1)	A \$ 0 (1)	144,065 (2)	D
Common Stock	02/14/2014		F	3,230	D \$ 47.96	140,835 (2)	D
Common Stock						60,683	I By Spouse

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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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
Stock Option/Stock Appreciation Right <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 12.22	02/14/2014		M	10,000 <u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u> 02/02/2019	Common Stock 7,452 <u>(1)</u>

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
STOCKERT DAVID P 4401 NORTHSIDE PARKWAY SUITE 800 ATLANTA, GA 30327-3057	X		President and CEO	

## Signatures

/s/ Sherry W. Cohen, Power of Attorney  
Date: 02/19/2014

\_\_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) On February 9, 2009, reporting person received a grant of 80,000 shares under the Amended and Restated Post Properties, Inc. 2003 Incentive Stock Plan ("Plan"). The grant has fully vested. The terms of the grant provided the reporting person with a choice to treat the grant as options having an exercise price of \$12.22 or as a stock appreciation right ("SAR"). The reporting person choose to treat 10,000 shares as an SAR on the exercise date. Thus, the computation of the 7,452 shares received was determined as follows: difference between the \$47.96 fair market value on the date of exercise and the \$12.22 exercise price (\$35.74) times 10,000, then dividing that amount by the \$47.96 fair market value.

(2) The balance includes 27,146 restricted shares that have not vested.

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