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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SCOTT STUART L

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(First) (Middle) (Last)

LaSalle Hotel Properties [LHO]

(Check all applicable)

C/O LASALLE HOTEL PROPERTIES, 3 BETHESDA 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) X_ Director Officer (give title 01/02/2013 below)

10% Owner Other (specify

METRO CENTER, SUITE 1200

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

BETHESDA, MD 20814

(State) (Zip) (City)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) Code (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Indirect Beneficial Owned (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) Following (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 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 Derivative Conversion

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction of Derivative Expiration Date

5. Number

6. Date Exercisable and

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities**

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed o (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day	/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4	·)	(
				Code V	(A) (I	D) Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Deferred Common Shares of Beneficial Interest (1)	<u>(2)</u>	01/02/2013		A	5,456	<u>(3)</u>	(3)	Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	5,456	

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SCOTT STUART L

C/O LASALLE HOTEL PROPERTIES
3 BETHESDA METRO CENTER, SUITE 1200

BETHESDA, MD 20814

Signatures

/s/ Bruce A. Riggins, Attorney-in-Fact for Stuart L. Scott

01/04/2013

**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).
- Deferred Common Shares of Beneficial Interest ("Deferred Shares") were received in payment of the retainer for service as Trustee. The (1) Deferred Shares were valued at the average closing price of the Company's common shares for the year ended December 31, 2012, which was \$26.774.
- (2) Deferred Shares are exchangeable on a 1-for-1 basis into common shares of beneficial interest, par value \$0.01 per share, of LaSalle Hotel Properties.
- (3) Common Shares are issuable in exchange for Deferred Shares on a 1-for-1 basis on January 31st of the year following the year in which the holder thereof ceases to serve on the Board of Trustees of LaSalle Hotel Properties.
- (4) No price is given as the Deferred Shares are not purchased by the reporting person. See footnote (1) above.
 - Holders of Deferred Shares receive additional Deferred Shares in an amount equal to the amount of any dividends paid on the Common Shares exchangeable for the outstanding Deferred Shares, divided by the average closing price of the Common Shares on the NYSE
- (5) during the 10 trading days preceding the first day on which the Common Shares begin trading without entitlement to the applicable dividend. Includes additional 940 Deferred Shares received in lieu of any dividends paid on the Common Shares exchangeable for the outstanding Deferred Shares.

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