HIGHWOODS PROPERTIES INC

Form 4

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

may continue. See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Klinck Theo	Symbo HIGH	Symbol HIGHWOODS PROPERTIES INC [HIW]				Issuer (Check all applicable)					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 3100 SMOKETREE COURT		(Month	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/26/2014				Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)				
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person				
RALEIGH,						Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquir							ired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned			
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, i any (Month/Day/Year	Code	Fransaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)			
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				
Common Stock	11/26/2014	11/26/2014	M	4,553	A	\$ 31.36	31,834	D			
Common Stock	11/26/2014	11/26/2014	M	2,884	A	\$ 36.5	34,718	D			
Common Stock	11/26/2014	11/26/2014	S	7,437	D	\$ 43.13 (1) (2)	27,281	D			

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. I Der Sec (Ins
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 31.36	11/26/2014	11/26/2014	M	4,553	(3)	03/11/2019	Common Stock	4,553	\$
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 36.5	11/26/2014	11/26/2014	M	2,884	(3)	02/28/2020	Common Stock	2,884	\$

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Klinck Theodore J

3100 SMOKETREE COURT VP/Chief Investment Officer

RALEIGH, NC 27604

Signatures

/s/Willis B. Howard Attorney-in-fact for Theodore J.
Klinck

**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) Represents the weighted average sale price. Sale prices range from \$43.13-\$43.14
- (2) The reporting person upon request by the Commission staff, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer, agrees to disclose full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (3) Options vest ratably over 4 years on March 12th of each year after the grant date.

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