

GENERAL GROWTH PROPERTIES INC
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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 *
 DAlesandro Thomas J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 GENERAL GROWTH PROPERTIES INC [GGP]

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

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 C/O GENERAL GROWTH PROPERTIES, INC, 110 NORTH WACKER DRIVE

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 02/22/2007

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 SVP, Development

(Street)
 CHICAGO, IL 60606

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 ____ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

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)	Amount or Price		
Common Stock	02/22/2007		A ⁽¹⁾	10,000 A	\$ 0 25,517	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)

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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)	Amount or Number of Shares
				Code V (A) (D)		Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title	
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 65.81	02/22/2007		A ⁽²⁾	50,000	02/22/2007 02/22/2012	Common Stock	50,000
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 65.81	02/22/2007		A ⁽³⁾	13,893	⁽³⁾ 02/22/2012	Common Stock	13,893

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
DAlesandro Thomas J C/O GENERAL GROWTH PROPERTIES, INC 110 NORTH WACKER DRIVE CHICAGO, IL 60606			SVP, Development	

Signatures

/s/ Thomas J. D'Alesandro
02/26/2007
Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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).
- Represents the grant of stock to the reporting person under the General Growth Properties, Inc. 2003 Incentive Stock Plan. This grant is
- (1) exempt from Section 16(b) pursuant to Rule 16b-3(d). The grant vests 20% on each of 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th anniversaries of Grant date.
 - (2) Options acquired were granted under the General Growth Properties, Inc. 2003 Incentive Stock Plan. Such transaction is exempt from Section 16(b) pursuant to Rule 16b-3(d).
 - (3) Options were granted pursuant to the Issuer's 1998 Incentive Stock Plan in a transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3(d). The option will not vest unless and until the fair market value of the Issuer's Common Stock exceeds \$92.30 for 20 consecutive trading days within five years of the date of grant.

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