#### **COUSINS PROPERTIES INC**

Form 4 June 04, 2013

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading CHARLESWORTH TOM G Issuer Symbol **COUSINS PROPERTIES INC** (Check all applicable) [CUZ] (Middle) (Last) (First) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction \_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) 191 PEACHTREE STREET, SUITE 05/31/2013 500 (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 ATLANTA, GA 30303 Person

(City)	(State)	Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	rities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common	05/31/2013		Code V	Amount 4,604	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	D	
Stock Common Stock	06/01/2013		M(2)	(1) 2,546	A	10.86 \$ 0	117,314	D	
Common Stock	06/01/2013		D	2,546	D	\$ 10.86	114,768	D	

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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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number	6. Date Exercis	sable and	7. Title and A	Amount of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction of Derivative		Expiration Date		Underlying Securities	
Security	or Exercise		any	Code Securities		(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)	
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired				
	Derivative				(A) or				
	Security				Disposed of				
					(D)				
				(Instr. 3, 4,					
					and 5)				
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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares
Phantom								Common	
Stock	<u>(3)</u>	06/01/2013		M	2,546	06/01/2013	06/01/2013	Stock	2,546

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
.t	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
CHARLESWORTH TOM G 191 PEACHTREE STREET SUITE 500 ATLANTA, GA 30303	X					

# **Signatures**

/s/ Kristin R. Myers, by Power of Attorney

06/04/2013 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).
- Half of the 2013-2014 director annual retainer was paid in stock under the Cousins Properties Incorporated 2009 Incentive Stock Plan.

  (1) For the purpose of determining the number of shares granted, the value of the Corporation's common stock is equal to the average closing price on each trading day during the 30 calendar day period ending May 31, 2013.
- Restricted stock units were granted under the Cousins Properties Incorporated 2005 Restricted Stock Unit Plan (the 2005 RSU Plan) and (2) have vested as to 100% of the total units granted. As required under the 2005 RSU Plan, the vested units were settled for cash from CPI. Each restricted stock unit is the economic equivalent of one share of CPI common stock.
  - Award of restricted stock units under Cousins Properties Incorporated (CPI) 2005 Restricted Stock Unit Plan. Each unit represents a right to receive a payment in cash equal to the average of the closing price of CPI's common stock on each trading day during the 30 day period
- (3) ending on the date payment is due under the plan. These units will vest 100% on the third anniversary of the grant date. Unforfeited shares held prior to vesting will earn dividends paid annually but will not have shareholder rights. All unvested shares will forfeit upon separation from service as a member of the Board.

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