### FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Miller Donald A		eporting Person <sup>*</sup>	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Piedmont Office Realty Trust, Inc. [PDM]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  X Director 10% Owner  X Officer (give Other (specify title below) below)  President and CEO				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 11695 JOHNS CREEK PARKWAY, STE. 350		( /	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/01/2015					
(Street) JOHNS CREEK	GA	30097	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)		Person				

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. Transac Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	05/01/2015		Α		82,931 (1)	Α	\$ 0	498,779	D		
Common Stock	05/01/2015		F		9,941 (2)	D	\$ 17.59	488,838	D		

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. Transac Code (Instr. 8		5. Number		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		sable 7. Title and Date Amount of		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

#### **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Of the shares granted, 25% vest on the day of the grant, and the remaining shares vest ratably on the anniversary date of the grant date over the following three years.
- 2. In connection with the vesting of 25% of the restricted stock award (20,732 shares) on May 1, 2015, 9,941 shares were forfeited by the employee and delivered to the Company to satisfy tax withholding obligations.

<u>/s/ Laura P. Moon as</u> <u>Attorney-in-Fact for Donald</u> <u>05/05/2015</u> <u>A. Miller, CFA</u>

\*\* Signature of Reporting
Person
Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- \* 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).

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