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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Addre Reddic Carro	ss of Reporting Pers	on [*]	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>Piedmont Office Realty Trust, Inc.</u> [PDM]		tionship of Reportir all applicable) Director	ng Person(s) to Issuer
(Last) 11695 JOHNS C	(Last) (First) (Middle) 11695 JOHNS CREEK PARKWAY		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/05/2011	x	Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below) P- RE Ops
STE. 350 (Street)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line) X		p Filing (Check Applicable e Reporting Person
JOHNS CREEK	GA	30097			Form filed by Mor Person	e than One Reporting
(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)	Code (Instr.		4. Securities Disposed Of and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(insu: 4)	(Instr. 4)
Class A common stock	04/05/2011		Α		3,157(1)	Α	\$ <mark>0</mark>	37,874	D	
Class A common stock	04/05/2011		Α		6,356(2)	Α	\$ <mark>0</mark>	44,230	D	
Class A common stock	04/05/2011		F		1,541(3)	D	\$19.4	42,689	D	

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 10 0 nute colle w

(e.g., puts, cans, warrants, options, convertible securities)											
ion	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and	8. Price	9. Nu				

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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. Transact Code (In 8)		5. Nu of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) of Dispe of (D (Instr and §	rative rities ired r osed) . 3, 4	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

Explanation of Responses:

1. Such shares were granted without restriction pursuant to the performance share component of the 2010 Long Term Incentive Compensation plan.

2. 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.

3. In connection with the grant of the unrestricted stock award (3,157), and the vesting of 25% of the restricted stock award (1,589) on April 5, 2011, 1,541 shares were delivered to the Company to satisfy tax withholding obligations, in accordance with the Company's 2007 Omnibus Incentive Plan.

Robert E. Bowers, Attorney-	04/07/2011
in-Fact	04/07/2011
** Signature of Penorting Person	Date

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).

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