FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Pangburn Joseph H.						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Piedmont Office Realty Trust, Inc. [PDM]									ck all app Direc	,	ng Per	rson(s) to Is 10% O Other (s	wner	
l	Last) (First) (Middle) 5565 GLENRIDGE CONNECTOR STE, 450						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/02/2021									v) `` VP- South	nwest	below) t Region		
(Street) ATLANTA GA 30342 (City) (State) (Zip)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable le) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transact Date (Month/Day)						Executio					4. Securitie Disposed C 5)			and Securi Benefi		ties cially I Following	Form (D) o	n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	or Pr	ice	Transa	saction(s) r. 3 and 4)			(111341. 4)					
Common Stock 02/02/2						.021					8,408(1)	A	\	\$0	50	50,979		D		
Common Stock 02/02/2						2021					2,462(2)	Г	\$	15.68	48,517			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)	if any	emed ion Date, /Day/Year)		Transaction Code (Instr.		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Exercion Da /Day/Y		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Ins 3 and 4)		De Se (Ir	Price of erivative ecurity estr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	y	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership ct (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	sable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Share	er						

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Such shares were granted without restriction pursuant to the performance share component of the 2018-2020 Long Term Incentive Compensation plan.
- 2. In connection with the grant of the unrestricted stock award (8,408 shares) on February 2, 2021, 2,462 shares were forfeited by the employee and delivered to the Company to satisfy tax withholding obligations

Remarks:

/s/ Laura P. Moon as Attorney-

02/04/2021

<u>Pangburn</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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