FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Guilbert Edward H III				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Piedmont Office Realty Trust, Inc. [ PDM ]									k all app Direc			10% Ov	wner		
(Last)	(Fir	st) (M	Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/17/2023							X	belov	cer (give title ow) VP - Finance		Other (specify below) & Treasurer			
SUITE 450				4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							Line)	,							
(Street)	ΓA GA	3	0342										^	X Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person					
(City)	(Sta	ate) (Z	(Zip)  Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication  Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10.								nded to								
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Da			Execu ay/Year) if any		Deemed cution Date, ny nth/Day/Year)					es Acquired (A Of (D) (Instr. 3,		3, 4 and Secu Bene Own		cially Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
								Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)		rice		ed ction(s) 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 03/1			03/17/	2023			P		2,850 A		1	\$7	74,343			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)	erivative Conversion Date Execution Date, curity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			Transaction Code (Instr.		of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Inst 3 and 4)		Price of erivative ecurity estr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	у	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					Code V		(A)	(D)			Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Share	per					

**Explanation of Responses:** 

Remarks:

/s/ Laura P. Moon as Attorney-

in-Fact for Edward H.

Guilbert III

03/20/2023

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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