## FORM 4

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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Ty	pe Responses	s)													
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * HAMLIN CLAY W III				CORPORA	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CORPORATE OFFICE PROPERTIES TRUST [OFC]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  _X_ Director _X_ Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)  CEO and Trustee					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 424 MULBERRY LANE			3. Date of Earl 08/11/2004	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/11/2004							EO and 1	rustee			
(Street) HAVERFORD, PA 19041			4. If Amendmo 08/13/2004	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) 08/13/2004					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City		(State)	(Zip)		Table I	- Non-	Derivative	Securi	ties Acq	uired, Disp	osed of, or I	Beneficia	lly Owned	<u> </u>	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, is any (Month/Day/Year	Code		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)			6. Ownersh Form: Direct (D	ip Indire Benef Owne	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	V	Amount (D) Price (Instr. 3 and 4)			or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		.4)			
	Units of e Office Pi	roperties,	08/11/2004		С		120,000	D	<u>(1)</u>	3,729,33	30 (2)		D (3)		
	ı Stock of e Office Pı	roperties	08/11/2004		A		120,000	A	(1)	130,000			Ι	in IR Acco and 1200 owne LBC Limi	ount 000 ed by W
Common Stock of Corporate Office Properties Trust		08/11/2004		D		25,200	D	\$ 24.752	104,800 (4)			I (4)	LBC Limi	were ed by W	
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Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
HAMLIN CLAY W III 424 MULBERRY LANE HAVERFORD, PA 19041	X		CEO and Trustee					

## **Signatures**

Karen M. Singer, by Power of Attorney	08/12/2004
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

### **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).
- (1) Common Units of Corporate Office Properties, L.P. convert on a one-for-one basis into common shares of Corporate Office Properties Trust
- (2) Units that were converted were owned by LBCW Limited Partnership
- (3) After conversion, 3,729,330 Units are owned as follows: 3,041,427 owned by LBCW Limited Partnership, 566,492 owned by Clay W. Hamlin and 121,411 owned by Lynn Hamlin\*\*
- (4) After Sale, Shares are owned as follows: 10,000 held in IRA Account and 94,800 held by LBCW Limited Partnership.

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