FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Ty	pe Response	s)														
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* RIFFE STEPHEN EDWARD				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CORPORATE OFFICE PROPERTIES TRUST [OFC]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 6711 COLUMBIA GATEWAY DRIVE, SUITE 300				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/01/2012									EVP and CF	.0		
(Street) COLUMBIA, MD 21046				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City) (State) (Zip)			Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acqui						ired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned							
1.Title of Security 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)			2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		f Co	(Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		of (D)			Following	Ownership of Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
				(**************************************			Code	V A	mount	(A) or (D)	Price	Ì	,		or Indirect (In (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Common Shares 03/01/2012		03/01/2012				F	3	,170	D	<u>(1)</u>	105,625	5		D		
Restricted Common Shares 03/01/2012			03/01/2012				A	6	,381	A	(1)	112,006		D		
Common Shares 03/03/2012			03/03/2012				F	6	34	D	<u>(1)</u>	111,372	11,372		D	
Commor	n Shares		03/04/2012				F	1	,702	D	(1)	109,670)		D	
Reminder:	Report on a s	separate line fo	Table II - I		Securi	ties A	f d t	Person contain the form	is who ned in m disp	respor this for plays a o	m are curre eficial	not requesting ntly valid	OMB con	formation spond unle trol numbe	ess	1474 (9-02)
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transactio Date (Month/Day/	Execution Dat	Code	;	of	vative rities ired or cosed () : 3, d 5)	6. Date and Exp (Month) Date Exercise	piratior //Day/Y	n Date	Amo Und Secu (Inst 4)	Amount or Number of	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number Derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Owners Form o Derivat Securit Direct (or India	Beneficia Ownershi (Instr. 4)

Reporting Owners

	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
RIFFE STEPHEN EDWARD 6711 COLUMBIA GATEWAY DRIVE SUITE 300 COLUMBIA, MD 21046			EVP and CFO			

Signatures

Karen M. Singer, by Power of Attorney	03/05/2012	

**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) These shares were forfeited in a net share settlement in connection with restrictions lapsing on restricted shares.

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