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| BOSTON P<br>Form 4                                                                                                                                                              | ROPERTIES INC                           | C                                                                                       |     |                              |                                                                                                                                  |       |                                 |                                                                                                                    |                                                                            |                                                                   |  |
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| February 07                                                                                                                                                                     | , 2007                                  |                                                                                         |     |                              |                                                                                                                                  |       |                                 |                                                                                                                    |                                                                            |                                                                   |  |
| FORM                                                                                                                                                                            |                                         |                                                                                         | ECU |                              |                                                                                                                                  |       | NCE C                           | MARCION                                                                                                            |                                                                            | PROVAL                                                            |  |
| <b>I UNITED STATES SE</b>                                                                                                                                                       |                                         |                                                                                         |     |                              |                                                                                                                                  |       | INGE CO                         | JMIMISSION                                                                                                         | OMB<br>Number:                                                             | 3235-0287                                                         |  |
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| (Print or Type                                                                                                                                                                  | Responses)                              |                                                                                         |     |                              |                                                                                                                                  |       |                                 |                                                                                                                    |                                                                            |                                                                   |  |
| SELSAM ROBERT E Symbol                                                                                                                                                          |                                         |                                                                                         |     | er Name <b>an</b><br>ON PROF |                                                                                                                                  |       |                                 | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer                                                                   |                                                                            |                                                                   |  |
| (Last)                                                                                                                                                                          | (First) (                               |                                                                                         |     |                              |                                                                                                                                  |       |                                 |                                                                                                                    | all applicable                                                             | )                                                                 |  |
| C/O BOST<br>INC., 111 I<br>AVENUE                                                                                                                                               | Day/Year)<br>2007                       |                                                                                         |     | 1                            | Director 10% Owner<br>X Officer (give title Other (specify<br>below) below)<br>Senior Vice President                             |       |                                 |                                                                                                                    |                                                                            |                                                                   |  |
|                                                                                                                                                                                 | (Street)                                |                                                                                         |     | endment, D<br>nth/Day/Yea    | -                                                                                                                                | 1     |                                 | 6. Individual or Joi<br>Applicable Line)<br>_X_ Form filed by O<br>Form filed by Mo                                | ne Reporting Pe                                                            | rson                                                              |  |
| BOSTON,                                                                                                                                                                         | MA 02199                                |                                                                                         |     |                              |                                                                                                                                  |       |                                 | Person                                                                                                             | ore than one Re                                                            | porting                                                           |  |
| (City)                                                                                                                                                                          | (State)                                 | (Zip)                                                                                   | Tab | le I - Non-J                 | Derivative                                                                                                                       | Secur | ities Acqu                      | ired, Disposed of,                                                                                                 | or Beneficial                                                              | ly Owned                                                          |  |
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)                                                                                                                                            | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | unsaction Date 2A. Deemed<br>th/Day/Year) Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) |     |                              | 4. Securities Acquired (A<br>nsaction Disposed of (D)<br>de (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)<br>str. 8)<br>(A)<br>or<br>de V Amount (D) Price |       |                                 | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |
| Common<br>Stock, par<br>value \$.01                                                                                                                                             | 02/06/2007                              |                                                                                         |     | М                            | 25,000                                                                                                                           | A     | \$ 37.45<br>(1)                 | 46,956.2251                                                                                                        | D                                                                          |                                                                   |  |
| Common<br>Stock, par<br>value \$.01                                                                                                                                             | 02/06/2007                              |                                                                                         |     | S                            | 400                                                                                                                              | D     | \$<br>127.36                    | 46,556.2251                                                                                                        | D                                                                          |                                                                   |  |
| Common<br>Stock, par<br>value \$.01                                                                                                                                             | 02/06/2007                              |                                                                                         |     | S                            | 500                                                                                                                              | D     | \$<br>127.35                    | 46,056.2251                                                                                                        | D                                                                          |                                                                   |  |
| Common                                                                                                                                                                          | 02/06/2007                              |                                                                                         |     | S                            | 100                                                                                                                              | D     | \$                              | 45,956.2251                                                                                                        | D                                                                          |                                                                   |  |

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| Stock, par value \$.01              |            |   |        |   | 127.34       |             |   |                |
|-------------------------------------|------------|---|--------|---|--------------|-------------|---|----------------|
| Common<br>Stock, par<br>value \$.01 | 02/06/2007 | S | 600    | D | \$<br>127.31 | 45,356.2251 | D |                |
| Common<br>Stock, par<br>value \$.01 | 02/06/2007 | S | 600    | D | \$ 127.3     | 44,756.2251 | D |                |
| Common<br>Stock, par<br>value \$.01 | 02/06/2007 | S | 500    | D | \$<br>127.29 | 44,256.2251 | D |                |
| Common<br>Stock, par<br>value \$.01 | 02/06/2007 | S | 300    | D | \$<br>127.27 | 43,956.2251 | D |                |
| Common<br>Stock, par<br>value \$.01 | 02/06/2007 | S | 22,000 | D | \$<br>127.25 | 21,956.2251 | D |                |
| Common<br>Stock, par<br>value \$.01 |            |   |        |   |              | 800         | Ι | By<br>Children |

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

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# Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transactic<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | TransactiorDerivative<br>Code Securities |                     | 6. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |                 | 7. Title and Amount of<br>Underlying Securities<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |  |
|-----------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|------------------------------------------|---------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|--|
|                                                     |                                                                       |                                         |                                                             | Code V                                 | (A) (D)                                  | Date<br>Exercisable | Expiration<br>Date                                             | Title           | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of Shares                                 |  |
| Employee<br>Stock<br>Option<br>(right to<br>buy)    | \$ 37.45<br>(1)                                                       | 02/06/2007                              |                                                             | М                                      | 25,000                                   | (2)                 | 01/18/2011                                                     | Common<br>Stock | 25,000                                                              |  |

### **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                                              | Relationships |            |                       |       |  |  |  |  |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|------------|-----------------------|-------|--|--|--|--|
|                                                                                             | Director      | 10% Owner  | Officer               | Other |  |  |  |  |
| SELSAM ROBERT E<br>C/O BOSTON PROPERTIES, INC.<br>111 HUNTINGTON AVENUE<br>BOSTON, MA 02199 |               |            | Senior Vice President |       |  |  |  |  |
| Signatures                                                                                  |               |            |                       |       |  |  |  |  |
| /s/ Kelli A. DiLuglio, as<br>Attorney-in-Fact                                               | (             | 02/07/2007 |                       |       |  |  |  |  |
| **Signature of Reporting Person                                                             |               | Date       |                       |       |  |  |  |  |
|                                                                                             |               |            |                       |       |  |  |  |  |

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).
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In January 2007, the issuer paid a special dividend of \$5.40 per share of common stock to all stockholders of record as of the close of business on December 29, 2006. In connection with this special dividend, the issuer's Board of Directors adjusted all options that were awarded, but not exercised, prior to the ex-dividend date for the special dividend to account for the effect of the special dividend. The

- (1) number of shares subject to each such option was increased and the exercise price correspondingly decreased such that each option had the same fair value to the holder before and after giving effect to the payment of the special dividend. Pursuant to this adjustment the number of shares underlying Mr. Selsam's options increased by 2,364 from 47,058 to 49,422 and the per share exercise price was correspondingly decreased.
- (2) The options vested in three equal annual installments beginning on January 18, 2002.

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