

PFEIFFER MICHAEL R
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
PFEIFFER MICHAEL R

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
REALTY INCOME CORP [O]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
600 LA TERRAZA BLVD.

 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
01/01/2013

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Executive VP, GC and Secretary

ESCONDIDO, CA 92025

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	01/01/2013		F	(A) or (D) V Amount 10,031 (1) D Price \$ 40.21	98,822 (2)	D	

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)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Transaction (Instr. 5)
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
PFEIFFER MICHAEL R 600 LA TERRAZA BLVD. ESCONDIDO, CA 92025			Executive VP, GC and Secretary	

Signatures

/s/ Michael R.
Pfeiffer 01/01/2013

**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) Represents shares withheld upon the vesting of 27,349 restricted shares of common stock on January 1, 2013 in order to satisfy tax withholding obligations.
- (2) Pursuant to a domestic relations order (DRO), 1,897 of the 27,349 shares described in footnote 1 vested for the benefit of, and were transferred to, Mr. Pfeiffer's ex-wife on January 1, 2013. Mr. Pfeiffer no longer reports such shares as beneficially owned. Of the 98,822 shares shown in Table I, Box 5, Mr. Pfeiffer's ex-wife is entitled to 5,143 restricted shares of common stock which will be transferred to his ex-wife upon vesting pursuant to the DRO, and over which he disclaims any beneficial ownership or pecuniary interest.

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