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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* JESSUP MANUEL O					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol TANGER FACTORY OUTLET CENTERS INC [SKT]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Senior VP - Human Resources				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 3200 NORTHLINE AVE., SUITE 360				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/29/2016									Senior	VP - Human	Resources		
(Street) GREENSBORO, NC 27408				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting PersonForm filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City		(State)	(Ziŗ	p)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned												
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Execu any	Deemed cution Date, if	if Co	(Instr. 8)		(A) or Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		of (D)	Beneficia Reported	ant of Securities ally Owned Following d Transaction(s)		Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial
					(Mont	h/Day/Yea		Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price		Price	` ' '			Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common	Stock		02/29/20	016				F		648	11)	\$ 32.32	23,400			D	
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		Year) Execution D any		e, if	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5.		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration		7. Ti Amo Und Secu (Inst 4)	tle and ount of erlying rities r. 3 and	Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	Owner Form of Deriva Securit Direct or India	Beneficia Ownersh y: (Instr. 4)
					Cod	Code V	(A)	(D)				Title	Number of Shares				
Repor	ting O	wners															

D 41 0 N /	Relationships								
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other					
JESSUP MANUEL O 3200 NORTHLINE AVE. SUITE 360 GREENSBORO, NC 27408			Senior VP - Human Resources						

Signatures

/s/ James F. Williams, attorney-in-fact for Mr. Jessup	03/02/2016	
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).

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