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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* SUMMERELL VIRGINIA R (Last) (First) (Middle) 3200 NORTHLINE AVENUE, SUITE 360 (Street) GREENSBORO, NC 27408				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol TANGER FACTORY OUTLET CENTERS INC [SKT] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/02/2017 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Senior VP, Treasurer 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
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(Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		d of (D) 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)		Ownership Form:	Beneficial		
				(Month/Day/Y	Year)	Code	V	Amount	(A) o (D)		(Instr. 3 and 4	nd 4) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common	Stock		01/02/2017			M		5,621 (1)	A	\$ 0	33,436			D	
Common	Stock		01/02/2017			F		1,075	D	\$ 35.78	32,361			D	
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Reporting Owners

	Relationships				
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
SUMMERELL VIRGINIA R 3200 NORTHLINE AVENUE, SUITE 360 GREENSBORO, NC 27408			Senior VP, Treasurer		

Signatures

/s/ James F. Williams, attorney-in-fact for Ms. Summerell	01/04/2017
**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).
- Represents restricted shares received from the conversion of notional units. Based on the share price targets achieved, each notional unit was converted into .6575 restricted common (1) shares. 50% of the shares vest on January 2, 2017 and the remaining 50% will vest on January 2, 2018, contingent upon continued employment with the Company through the vesting
- (2) Represents notional units, each of which converted into .6575 restricted common shares based on the Company's share price appreciation inclusive of all dividends (TSR), and its TSR relative to its peer group, over the three-year measurement period from January 1, 2014 through December 31, 2016.
 - With respect to 70% of the notional units (the Absolute Portion), 33.33% of this portion of the award would be earned if the Company's aggregate TSR equaled 25% over the three-year measurement period, 66.67% of the award would be earned if the Company's TSR equaled 30%, and 100% of this portion of the award would be earned if the Company's TSR equaled
- (3) or exceeded 35%. With respect to 30% of the notional units (the Relative Portion), 33.33% of this portion of the award would be earned if the Company's TSR was in the 50th percentile of its peer group over the three-year measurement period, 66.67% of this portion of the award would be earned if the Company's TSR was in the 60th percentile of its peer group during this period, and 100% of this portion of the award would be earned if the Company's TSR was in the 70th percentile of its peer group or greater during this period.
- (4) 93.9% of the Absolute Portion was actually earned and none of the Relative Portion was earned. The notional units convert on a pro-rata basis by linear interpolation between share price appreciation thresholds.

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