## FORM 4

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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

Name and Address of Reporting Person *  REDDIN THOMAS			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)  _X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)				
(Last) (First) 2527 LEMON TREE LANE			3. Date of Earliest 02/14/2017	Transactio	on (Mon	nth/Day	/Year)						
(Street) CHARLOTTE, NC 28211			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 Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned										
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		nth/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transa Code (Instr. 8)	action (	4. Securities Acquir (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		uired of	5. Amoun Beneficial	nt of Securities ally Owned Following Transaction(s)		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D)	Beneficial Ownership
				Code	V	Amoun	(A) or (D)	Price				or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
	02/	14/2017		A		4,787 (1)	A	\$ 0	35,931			D	
Common Stock  Reminder: Report on a separate lin	_ ``		ities beneficially ov		tly or in Perso contai	directly	o respor	m are	not requ		pond unle	ss	474 (9-02)
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	e for each	Table II - E	Derivative Securities, puts, calls, wa 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	es Acquir rrants, op	Perso contaithe for the formula of t	directly ons who ined in rm dis	o respor this for plays a conf, or Bendible securicisable on Date	eficial rities) 7. Ti Amo Und Secu	not requesting ntly valid	omB conf	pond unle	of 10. Ownersh Form of Derivativ Security: Direct (I or Indire	11. Nai of Indi Benefic Owner (Instr.

#### **Reporting Owners**

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Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
REDDIN THOMAS 2527 LEMON TREE LANE CHARLOTTE, NC 28211	X					

## **Signatures**

/s/ James F. Williams, attorney-in-fact for Mr. Reddin	02/16/2017
**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).
- (1) Represents a grant of restricted common shares approved by the Company's Board of Directors on February 14, 2017 under the Company's Amended and Restated Incentive Award Plan. The restricted shares vest evenly over a three year period on December 31st of each year.

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