# FORM 4

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

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|                                                             | pe Response                                                           |                                            |                              |                                                                                     |        |                                   |              |                    |                                            |                                                                                                                                              |                                                                                                                                                  |                                                            |                                      |                                                                                                  |                                                                          | 1                                   |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------|-----------------------------------|--------------|--------------------|--------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *- CITRIN JEFFREY B |                                                                       |                                            |                              | 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) (Middle) 350 PARK AVENUE, 15TH FLOOR         |                                                                       |                                            |                              | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/15/2017                         |        |                                   |              |                    |                                            |                                                                                                                                              |                                                                                                                                                  |                                                            |                                      |                                                                                                  |                                                                          |                                     |
| (Street) NEW YORK, NY 10022                                 |                                                                       |                                            |                              | 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)                                    | (Zip)                        | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially O        |        |                                   |              |                    |                                            |                                                                                                                                              | Owned                                                                                                                                            |                                                            |                                      |                                                                                                  |                                                                          |                                     |
| (Instr. 3)                                                  |                                                                       | 2. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |                              |                                                                                     | e, if  | (Instr. 8)                        |              | (A) or Disposed of |                                            | of (D)                                                                                                                                       | Beneficia<br>Reported                                                                                                                            | nt of Securities<br>Illy Owned Following<br>Transaction(s) |                                      | 6.<br>Ownership<br>Form:                                                                         | Beneficial                                                               |                                     |
|                                                             |                                                                       | OI                                         |                              | (A) or (D)                                                                          | Price  |                                   |              |                    | Ownership<br>(Instr. 4)                    |                                                                                                                                              |                                                                                                                                                  |                                                            |                                      |                                                                                                  |                                                                          |                                     |
| Common Stock 05/15/2017                                     |                                                                       | 05/15/2017                                 |                              |                                                                                     |        | A                                 |              | 895.2<br>(1)       | 1 A                                        | \$ 0                                                                                                                                         | 22,122.2                                                                                                                                         | 22,122.2                                                   |                                      | D                                                                                                |                                                                          |                                     |
|                                                             |                                                                       |                                            | Table II - I                 |                                                                                     |        |                                   |              | contains the feet. | ained i<br>orm di                          | n this for<br>splays a<br>of, or Ben                                                                                                         | rm are<br>curre                                                                                                                                  | e not requently valid                                      | OMB conf                             | spond unle<br>trol numbe                                                                         | ss                                                                       | 1474 (9-02)                         |
| Security                                                    | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | *****                                      | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)                                                      |        | 5. Nu of De See Ac (A) Dis of (In | 5.<br>Number |                    | and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  S (I |                                                                                                                                              | 7. T<br>Am<br>Und<br>Sec                                                                                                                         | Title and ount of derlying urities str. 3 and              | Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction ((Instr. 4) | Ownersh<br>Form of<br>Derivativ<br>Security:<br>Direct (D<br>or Indirect | Beneficia<br>Ownershi<br>(Instr. 4) |
|                                                             |                                                                       |                                            |                              | Code                                                                                | Code V | V (A                              | .) (D)       | Date<br>Exer       | cisable                                    | Expiration Date                                                                                                                              | n<br>Titl                                                                                                                                        | Amount<br>or<br>e Number<br>of<br>Shares                   |                                      |                                                                                                  |                                                                          |                                     |

## **Reporting Owners**

| D ( O N (                                                               | Relationships |              |         |       |  |  |  |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|--------------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                          | Director      | 10%<br>Owner | Officer | Other |  |  |  |
| CITRIN JEFFREY B<br>350 PARK AVENUE<br>15TH FLOOR<br>NEW YORK, NY 10022 | X             |              |         |       |  |  |  |

### **Signatures**

| /s/ James F. Williams, attorney-in-fact for Mr. Citrin | 05/16/2017 |  |
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| **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 deferred share units issued pursuant to the Director Deferred Share Program of Tanger Factory Outlet Centers, Inc. and Tanger Properties Limited Partnership. Each deferred share unit is equivalent to one common share. The deferred share units become payable in common shares on January 15, 2024.

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