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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)							
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] Guerrieri Thomas Joseph JR	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 05/19/2017	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol TANGER FACTORY OUTLET CENTERS INC [SKT]					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 3200 NORTHLINE AVENUE, SUITE 360	03/19/2017	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)		
^(Street) GREENSBORO, NC 27408		X_ Officer (give ti below)			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 Beneficially Owned						
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)		2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)		4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)			
Common Stock	24,904		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 Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

(Instr. 4)	and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		Securities Underlying Derivative Security		or Exercise Price of Derivative	Form of Derivative Security: Direct	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficia Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	(I)	(D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Notional Units (1) (2)	<u>(3)</u>	<u>(1)(3)</u>	Common Stock	4,450	\$ <u>(2)</u>	D	
Notional Units (4) (5)	<u>(6)</u>	<u>(4)(6)</u>	Common Stock	4,450	\$ <u>(5)</u>	D	
Notional Units (5) (7)	<u>(8)</u>	<u>(7)(8)</u>	Common Stock	4,100	\$ <u>(5)</u>	D	

Reporting Owners

	Relationships				
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Guerrieri Thomas Joseph JR 3200 NORTHLINE AVENUE, SUITE 360 GREENSBORO, NC 27408			VP, CAO and Controller		

Signatures

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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 a grant of performance shares which may convert, into an equivalent number of restricted common shares of the Company based on the Company's share price

(1) appreciation inclusive of all dividends (TRS), and its TRS relative to its peer group, over the three-year measurement period from January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2017. The share price targets will be reduced on a penny-for-penny basis with respect to any dividend payments made during the measurement period. The number of restricted shares earned shall in no event exceed the product of(a) the performance shares granted and (b) \$47.29. With respect to 60% of the performance shares, 33.33% of this portion of the award will be earned if the Company's aggregate TRS equals 25% over the three-year

measurement period, 66.67% of the award will be earned if the Company's TRS equals 30%, and 100% of this portion of the award will be earned if the Company's TRS equals or exceeds 35%. With respect to 40% of the performance shares, 33.33% of this portion of the award will be earned if the Company's TRS is in the 50th percentile of (2) its peer group over the three-year measurement period, 66.67% of this portion of the award will be earned if the Company's TRS is in the 60th percentile of its peer group during this period, and 100% of this portion of the award will be earned if the Company's TRS is in the 70th percentile of its peer group or greater during this period. The performance shares will convert on a pro-rata basis by linear interpolation between share price appreciation thresholds.

- (3) Any restricted common shares earned on December 31, 2017 are subject to a time based vesting schedule. 50% of the shares will vest on January 2, 2018 and the remaining 50% will vest on January 2, 2019, contingent upon continued employment with the Company through the vesting dates.
- Represents a grant of performance shares which may convert into an equivalent number of restricted common shares of the Company based on the Company's share price (4) appreciation inclusive of all dividends (TRS), and its TRS relative to its peer group, over the three-year measurement period from February 10, 2016 through February 9, 2019. The share price targets will be reduced on a penny-for-penny basis with respect to any dividend payments made during the measurement period.

With respect to 50% of the performance shares, 20% of this portion of the award will be earned if the Company's aggregate TRS equals 18% over the three-year measurement period, 60% of this portion of the award will be earned if the Company's TRS equals 26.5%, and 100% of this portion of the award will be earned if the Company's TRS equals or exceeds 35%. With respect to the other 50% of the performance shares, 20% of this portion of the award will be earned if the Company's TRS is

- (5)in the 40th percentile of its peer group over the three-year measurement period, 60% of this portion of the award will be earned if the Company's TRS is in the 55th percentile of its peer group during this period, and 100% of this portion of the award will be earned if the Company's TRS is in the 70th percentile of its peer group or greater during this period. The performance shares will convert on a pro-rata basis by linear interpolation between share price appreciation thresholds.
- Any restricted common shares earned on February 9, 2019 are subject to a time based vesting schedule. 50% of the shares will vest on February 15, 2019 and the remaining (6)50% will vest on February 15, 2020, contingent upon continued employment with the Company through the vesting dates.

Represents a grant of performance shares which may convert into an equivalent number of restricted common shares of the Company based on the Company's share price appreciation inclusive of all dividends (TRS), and its TRS relative to its peer group, over the three-year measurement period from February 14, 2017 through February 13, (7) 2020. The share price targets will be reduced on a penny-for-penny basis with respect to any dividend payments made during the measurement period.

Any restricted common shares earned on February 13, 2020 are subject to a time based vesting schedule. 50% of the shares will vest on February 15, 2020 and the (8) remaining 50% will vest on February 15, 2021, contingent upon continued employment with the Company through the vesting dates.

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Know all by these presents, that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of Chad D. Perry, James F. Williams and Eric Richardson, signing singly, the undersigned's true and lawful attorney-in-fact to:

(1) execute for and on behalf of the undersigned, in the undersigned's capacity as an officer and/or director of Tanger Factory Outlet Centers, Inc. (the "Company"), Forms 3, 4, and 5 in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules thereunder, and Form 144 in accordance with Rule 144 of the Securities Act of 1933 and the rules thereunder;

(2) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such Form 3, 4, 5, or 144, complete and execute any amendment or amendments thereto, and timely file such form with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority; and

(3) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required by, the undersigned, it being understood that the documents executed by such attorney-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as such attorney-in-fact may approve in such attorney-in-fact's discretion.

The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary, or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney-in-fact, or such attorney-in-fact's substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this power of attorney and the rights and powers herein granted. The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Rule 144 of the Securities Act of 1933.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4, 5, and 144 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorneys-in-fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 9th day of May, 2017.

/s/ Thomas J. Guerrieri Jr. Signature