

KROL CANDACE N.
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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, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
KROL CANDACE N.

(Last) (First) (Middle)
C/O PUBLIC STORAGE, 701
WESTERN AVENUE
(Street)

GLENDALE, CA 91201

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Public Storage [PSA]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
02/28/2012

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)
SR. VP OF HUMAN RESOURCES

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|--|
| | | | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price |
| Common Stock | 02/28/2012 | | A | | 15,000 | A | \$ 0 ⁽⁵⁾ |
| Common Stock | 02/28/2012 | | F | | 1,112 | D | \$ 135.03 |
| | | | | | | | 29,710 ⁽¹⁾ |
| | | | | | | | 28,598 ⁽²⁾ |

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price or Value of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|---|
| Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽⁴⁾ | \$ 50.3 | | | | | 03/02/2010 03/02/2019 | Common Stock 40,000 | |
| Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽⁴⁾ | \$ 80.48 | | | | | 02/27/2009 02/27/2018 | Common Stock 74,282 | |
| Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽³⁾ | \$ 97.47 | | | | | 03/15/2008 03/15/2017 | Common Stock 40,000 | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| KROL CANDACE N. C/O PUBLIC STORAGE 701 WESTERN AVENUE GLENDALE, CA 91201 | | | SR. VP OF HUMAN RESOURCES | |

Signatures

/s/ Candace Krol 03/01/2012
 **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) Includes 21,252 restricted share units.

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- (2) Includes 18,252 restricted share units.
- (3) Stock Options granted pursuant to the 2001 Stock Option and Incentive Plan.
- (4) Stock Options granted pursuant to the 2007 Equity and Performance-Based Incentive Compensation Plan; options vest in 5 equal annual installments beginning 1 year from date of grant.
- (5) Award of restricted share units that vest 20 percent on the date of grant, and 20 percent each year thereafter.

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