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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Number:

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Form 4 or

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

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Richards Christine			Symbol Education Poulty Trust Inc. [EDP]					Issuer			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	Education Realty Trust, Inc. [EDR] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction				DK]	(Check all applicable)			
999 SOUTH SHADY GROVE ROAD,, SUITE 600			(Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2012					Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Senior VP and COO			
	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					
MEMPHIS,						Person					
(City)	(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned										
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction D (Month/Day/Yea	ar) Execution any	med n Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	(A) or			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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	12/31/2012			A	30,000 (1)	A	\$ 0	83,875	D		
Common Stock	12/31/2012			F	10,935 (2)	D	\$ 10.64	72,940	D		
Common Stock	01/01/2013			F	6,291 (3)	D	\$ 10.64	66,649	D		
Common Stock	01/01/2013			A	5,921 (4)	A	\$ 0	72,570	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 Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transactio	5. orNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration Da		7. Titl		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Teal)	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of (Month/Day/Year) Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			Under	lying	Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Richards Christine 999 SOUTH SHADY GROVE ROAD, SUITE 600 MEMPHIS, TN 38120

Senior VP and COO

Signatures

/s/ Susan R. Koehn, as Attorney in Fact for Christine Richards

01/03/2013

**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).
- Common stock issued as a result of the vesting of performance based restricted stock units ("RSUs") previously granted pursuant to the Company's 2010 Long-Term Incentive Plan.
- (2) Represents shares withheld to cover taxes related to vesting of RSUs.
- Represents shares withheld to cover taxes related to vesting of previously granted shares of restricted stock.
- Represents shares of restricted stock granted pursuant to the Company's 2013 Long-Term Incentive Plan which vest ratably over three years.

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