COUSINS THOMAS G

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **COUSINS THOMAS G**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

COUSINS PROPERTIES INC

(Check all applicable)

[CUZ]

(Middle) (Last) (First)

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

Director X__ 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title _ Other (specify below)

191 PEACHTREE STREET, SUITE 3600

06/05/2009

Director Emeritus

(Street)

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

ATLANTA, GA 30303

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acqu					ired, 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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securitie oner Disposee (Instr. 3, 4	d of (I	O)	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	06/05/2009		A	121,344 (1)	A	\$ 9.213	7,399,582	D			
Common Stock	06/05/2009		A	3,610 (1)	A	\$ 9.213	220,150 (2)	I	By A Grantor Trust		
Common Stock	06/05/2009		A	6,793 (1)	A	\$ 9.213	414,264 (3)	I	By a Limited Partnership		
Common Stock	06/05/2009		A	11,665 (1)	A	\$ 9.213	711,386 (4)	I	By Wife		

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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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title a	and	8. Price of	
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orNumber	Expiration Da	ate	Amount	of	Derivative	
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underlyi	ing	Security	
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securitie	es	(Instr. 5)	
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr. 3	and 4)		
	Security				Acquired						
					(A) or						
					Disposed						
					of (D)						
					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
								Δ	mount		
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						Date	Expiration	Title N			
						Exercisable	Date	of			
				Code V	(A) (D)				hares		
					(1-)			- 01			

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
Reporting Owner Name / Address	

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

COUSINS THOMAS G 191 PEACHTREE STREET SUITE 3600 ATLANTA, GA 30303

X Director Emeritus

Signatures

/s/ Kristin R. Myers, by Power of

Attorney 06/09/2009

**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).
 - Shares of common stock acquired as a result of the elective stock dividend paid on June 5, 2009. Shareholders elected, pursuant to the terms of the Prospectus Supplement filed May 6, 2009 ("Supplement"), to receive the dividend in all or partial stock. If all stock was
- (1) elected, shareholders received their entire dividend in stock. If partial stock was elected, shareholders received approximately \$0.1536 of the \$0.25 dividend in stock. The value of the shares distributed is \$9.213 per share which were valued at the average closing price on May 28, 29 and June 1 pursuant to the terms of the Supplement.
- (2) Shares held by a grantor trust under instrument dated December 28, 1988.
- (3) Shares held by a limited partnership in which the partners are a limited liability company and a charitable lead annuity trust. The LLC members include the reporting person, the reporting person's wife and the reporting person's daughter. The reporting person disclaims

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beneficial interest in any shares to the extent he has no pecuniary interest.

(4) Shares held by the reporting person's wife. Reporting person disclaims all beneficial ownership of his wife's shares.

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