#### REALTY INCOME CORP

Form 4

February 18, 2016

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * PFEIFFER MICHAEL R |             |          | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  |  |  |  |
|--|-------------|----------|--|---|--|--|--|
|  |             |          | REALTY INCOME CORP [O]                             | (Check all applicable)  |  |  |  |
| (Last)   | (First)     | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction                    |   |  |  |  |
| 11995 EL CAMINO REAL   |             |          | (Month/Day/Year)<br>02/16/2016                     | Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Executive VP, GC and Secretary    |  |  |  |
|  | (Street)    |          | 4. If Amendment, Date Original                     | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check   |  |  |  |
| SAN DIEGO  | O, CA 92130 |          | Filed(Month/Day/Year)                              | Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |  |  |  |
| (City)   | (State)     | (Zip)    | Toble I Non Derivative Securities Acc              | quired Disposed of ar Reposicially Owner  |  |  |  |

| (City)                               | (State)                                 | (Zip) Tabl  | le I - Non-l                          | Derivative S                         | Securi | ities Acqu  | iired, Disposed of   | f, or Beneficiall  | y Owned   |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------|-------------|--|--|---|
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3.<br>Transacti<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securit or(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4 | sposed | of (D)      | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 02/16/2016                              |   | S                                     | 10,804                               | D      | \$<br>59.76 | 41,873   | D  |   |
| Common<br>Stock                      |   |   |                                       |                                      |        |             | 6,697 <u>(1)</u>   | 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 | 2.          | 3. Transaction Date |                    | 4.         | 5.         | 6. Date Exer |            | 7. Title  |          | 8. Price of | 9. Nu  |
|-------------|-------------|---------------------|--------------------|------------|------------|--------------|------------|-----------|----------|-------------|--------|
| Derivative  | Conversion  | (Month/Day/Year)    | Execution Date, if | Transacti  | orNumber   | Expiration D | ate        | Amou      | nt of    | Derivative  | Deriv  |
| Security    | or Exercise |                     | any                | Code       | of         | (Month/Day/  | Year)      | Under     | lying    | Security    | Secur  |
| (Instr. 3)  | Price of    |                     | (Month/Day/Year)   | (Instr. 8) | Derivative | e            |            | Securi    | ties     | (Instr. 5)  | Bene   |
|             | Derivative  |                     |                    |            | Securities |              |            | (Instr.   | 3 and 4) |             | Own    |
|             | Security    |                     |                    |            | Acquired   |              |            |           |          |             | Follo  |
|             |             |                     |                    |            | (A) or     |              |            |           |          |             | Repo   |
|             |             |                     |                    |            | Disposed   |              |            |           |          |             | Trans  |
|             |             |                     |                    |            | of (D)     |              |            |           |          |             | (Instr |
|             |             |                     |                    |            | (Instr. 3, |              |            |           |          |             |        |
|             |             |                     |                    |            | 4, and 5)  |              |            |           |          |             |        |
|             |             |                     |                    |            |            |              |            |           |          |             |        |
|             |             |                     |                    |            |            |              |            |           | Amount   |             |        |
|             |             |                     |                    |            |            | Date         | Expiration |           | or       |             |        |
|             |             |                     |                    |            |            | Exercisable  | Date       | Title Num | Number   |             |        |
|             |             |                     |                    |            |            | Excicisable  |            |           | of       |             |        |
|             |             |                     |                    | Code V     | (A) (D)    |              |            |           | Shares   |             |        |

## **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer Other Director 10% Owner

PFEIFFER MICHAEL R 11995 EL CAMINO REAL SAN DIEGO, CA 92130

Executive VP, GC and Secretary

### **Signatures**

/s/ Michael R.

Pfeiffer 02/18/2016 \*\*Signature of Date Reporting Person

# **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) Holding represents restricted stock units. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock.

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