FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>ALSCHULER JOHN H JR</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SL GREEN REALTY CORP [ SLG ]								ationship of k all applical Director		Persor	n(s) to Issue	
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O SL GREEN REALTY CORP. 420 LEXINGTON AVENUE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/26/2017									Officer (give title below)			Other (sp	
(Street) NY NY 10170  (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If Am	endment, C	Pate of	Original F	iled (I	Month/Da	y/Year)		6. Ind Line)		d by One	Report	Check Applioning Person One Reportion	
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
Date				2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year		Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4				and 5) Securities Beneficiall Owned Fol		6. Own Form: (D) or I (I) (Ins	Direct II Indirect B tr. 4) C	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
								Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	or	Price	Reported Transactio (Instr. 3 an			"	nstr. 4)
Common Stock 12/2'					7/2016			G	V	365	5 E	)	\$0	1,196			D	
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. Transa Code ( 8)				6. Date Exe Expiration (Month/Da	Date		7. Title and Amo Securities Unde Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)		erlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisabl		xpiration ate	Title		ount or ober of res		(Instr. 4)			
Phantom Stock	(1)	01/26/2017		A		2,919.487		(2)		(2)	Common Stock	2,9	19.487	\$0	12,625	.076	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

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/s/ John H. Alschuler, Jr., by

Andrew S. Levine, his attorney- 01/30/2017

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\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- \* 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).

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<sup>2.</sup> The phantom stock units become payable in common stock (or in certain cases in cash) upon (unless the reporting person elects otherwise in accordance with the documents governing the applicable program) the earlier of (i) the January 1 coincident with or next following the earlier of (A) the reporting person's ceasing to be a director, and (B) the reporting person's death, and (ii) a change of control of the Company (as determined under such governing documents), in each case to the extent vested. In addition, the reporting person (i) has been permitted to elect to receive distributions in the form of installment payments, and (ii) may be permitted to receive distributions for certain unforeseeable emergencies.