FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

wasiiiigion,	D.C. 20049	

on, D.C. 20549	OMB APPROVAL

OMB Number:	3235-0287
Estimated average bu	rden
hours per responses:	0.5

Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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* BURTON EDWIN T III					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SL GREEN REALTY CORP [SLG]								S. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O SL GREEN REALTY CORP. 420 LEXINGTON AVENUE			0	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/26/2011 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable					
(Street) NEW YO	ORK N	Y	10170								Lin						
(City)	(S		(Zip) ble I - Non-D) Derivati	V0 S0	ourities	- A C	nuired F)ien	need o	of or Re	neficial	v Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Tropate			Transaction			3. Transact Code (In:	ion str.	4. Securities Acquired (A Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3,		ed (A) or tr. 3, 4 and	5. Amoun Securities Beneficia Owned For Reported Transacti	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially		Direct III Indirect E str. 4)	. Nature of ndirect Beneficial bwnership Instr. 4)		
	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)	Code	action (Instr.	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 Amour of Securities Underlying Derivative Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	e s Illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		piration ite	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)			
Phantom Stock Units	(1)	04/18/2011		A		353.774		(2)		(2)	Common Stock	353.774	\$0	25,347.	227	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. 1 for 1.

/s/ Andrew S. Levine, his attorney-in-fact

04/28/2011

** Signature of Reporting Person

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).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB Number.

^{2.} 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 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.