# SEC Form 4

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

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### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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I I Name and Address of Reporting Ferson			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>SL GREEN REALTY CORP</u> [SLG]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
LEVINE AIN	DREW 5		[ · · · · ]		Director	10% Owner			
				x	Officer (give title	Other (specify			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)		below)	below)			
		( )	01/01/2012		Chief Legal Offic	cer & GC			
C/U SL GREEN	REALTY CORP.								
420 LEXINGTO	N AVENUE								
,			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line)	idual or Joint/Group Filing	(Check Applicable			
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#### Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, 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)			4. Securities A Disposed Of ( 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(11311.4)
Common Stock	01/01/2012		F		5,147 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	<b>\$66.64</b>	78,580.78 <sup>(2)</sup>	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)		of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
LTIP Units <sup>(3)</sup>	(4)	01/03/2012		A		20,174		(4)(5)	(4)	Common Stock	20,174	\$0	36,786	D	

#### Explanation of Responses:

1. Represents shares retained by the Issuer to satisfy withholding obligations on 14,000 shares of restricted stock granted to the reporting person on January 6, 2011.

2. Includes 361.39 shares of Common Stock purchased through the Issuer's Employee Stock Purchase Plan.

3. Represents 17,174 LTIP Units earned (i.e. for which the performance-based hurdles have been met) pursuant to the SL Green Realty Corp. 2010 Notional Unit Long-Term Compensation Plan (the "Plan") and 3,000 LTIP Units granted in connection with 2011 performance.

4. Conditioned upon minimum allocations to the capital accounts of the LTIP Units for federal income tax purposes, each LTIP Unit may be converted, at the election of the holder, into a Class A Unit of limited partnership interest in SL Green Operating Partnership, L.P. (a "Commo Unit"). Each Common Unit aguige concernsion of a LTIP Unit may be presented for redemption, at the election of the holder, for cash equal to the then fair market value of a share of the Issuer's Common Stock, except that the Issuer may, at its election, acquire each Common Unit so presented for one share of Common Stock. The rights to convert LTIP Units into Common Units and redeem Common Units do not have expiration dates

5. 17,174 LTIP Units earned pursuant to the Plan vest 50% on January 1, 2013, 25% on January 1, 2014 and 25% on January 1, 2015 and the remaining 3,000 LTIP units are not subject to vesting.

#### /s/ Andrew S. Levine

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

01/04/2012

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).

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