BRAUN JOEL L Form 4 January 08, 2009

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

Beneficial Interest -\$.001 Par

may continue.

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BRAUN JOEL L			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ACADIA REALTY TRUST [AKR]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First) (N	,	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)				Director 10% Owner		
C/O ACADIA REALTY TRUST, 1311 MAMARONECK AVENUE, SUITE 260			01/06/2009				_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Executive Vice President		
	(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		
WHITE PLAINS, NY 10605							Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-I	Derivative S	Securiti	ies Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	urity (Month/Day/Year) Execution		Code	(A)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Ownership Indirect Form: Direct Benefic (D) or Owners	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Shares of Beneficial Interest - \$.001 Par Value	01/06/2009		F	15,991 (1)	D	\$ 14.43	85,079	D	
Common Shares of	01/06/2009		M	36,981 (2)	A	\$0	122,060	D	

Value

Common Shares of

16,198 Beneficial F 105,862 (4) D 01/06/2009 Interest -

\$.001 Par Value

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 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amount of 8. 4. 5. Number of Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if **TransactionDerivative Expiration Date Underlying Securities** Securities Security or Exercise Code (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and 4) any (Instr. 3) Price of (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) Derivative or Disposed of Security (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) Amount Date Expiration or Title Number Exercisable Date Code V (A) (D) of Shares Deferred Common Deferred Shares of (2) \$0 (2) 01/06/2009 M 36,981 Common 36,981 Beneficial Shares Interest -

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Other Director 10% Owner Officer

BRAUN JOEL L C/O ACADIA REALTY TRUST 1311 MAMARONECK AVENUE, SUITE 260 WHITE PLAINS, NY 10605

Executive Vice President

Signatures

Equivalent

01/08/2009 /s/ Joel Braun **Signature of Date Reporting Person

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- * 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) Mr. Braun canceled these shares in order to satisfy his tax obligation arising from the vesting of 36,509 Shares previously granted as Restricted Shares.
- (2) Mr. Braun acquired these Shares on December 17, 2004, when they were placed in a deferred account, pursuant to an Agreement with the Company. Those deferred Shares are now being converted to unrestricted, Common Shares.
- (3) Mr. Braun canceled these Shares in order to satisfy his tax obligation arising from the conversion of the deferred Shares to Common Shares.
- (4) This number represents 59,095 unvested, Restricted Shares and 46,767 vested Shares.
- Mr. Braun no longer owns any Deferred Common Shares. He does, however, own 13,240 Options to purchase Common Shares; 25,024 (5) restricted limited partnership units in Acadia Realty Limited Partnership (LTIPS); 5,604 unrestricted LTIP Units; and 6,667 common limited partnership units in Acadia Realty Limited Partnership (OP Units).

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