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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Karst Jan F

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Last)

(Middle)

W. P. Carey Inc. [WPC]

(Check all applicable)

C/O W. P. CAREY INC., 50

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

09/28/2012

Director _X__ 10% Owner Officer (give title __ Other (specify below)

ROCKEFELLER PLAZA

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

NEW YORK, NY 10020

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	ecurit	ties Acc	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficial	lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securition(A) or Dis(D) (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	l of	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	09/28/2012		A	20,971	A	<u>(1)</u>	61,891 (2) (3)	D	
Common Stock	09/28/2012		A	419	A	<u>(4)</u>	4,843 (3) (5)	I	Held in trust for minor child
Common Stock							2,970 (3) (6)	I	Held in trust for minor child
Common							3,955 (3) (7)	I	Held in

Stock trust for minor

child

Common 5,297 (3) Ι By wife Stock

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 Deriva		2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transacti	5. orNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration D		7. Title		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
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						4, and 5)						
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					Code V	(A) (D)			S	Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Karst Jan F							
C/O W. P. CAREY INC.	X						
50 ROCKEFELLER PLAZA							
NEW YORK NY 10020							

Signatures

/s/ James A. Fitzgerald, 10/12/2012 Attorney-in-fact

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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).

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- (1) Received in exchange for 90,164.936 shares of Corporate Property Associates 15 Incorporated ("CPA:15") common stock in connection with the merger of CPA:15 with and into a subsidiary of the Issuer. The most recent estimated net asset value of CPA:15's common stock was \$10.40 per share, and the market value of the Issuer's common stock (based on the closing price of its predecessor's stock on the date of the merger) was \$49 per share.
- (2) Includes 752.89 shares previously acquired under the Issuer's Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
- (3) Reflects an additional 300 shares received as a gift, prior to becoming a Reporting Person, that were not reflected in the previous filing.
 - Received in exchange for 1,805.035 shares of Corporate Property Associates 15 Incorporated ("CPA:15") common stock in connection
- (4) with the merger of CPA:15 with and into a subsidiary of the Issuer. The most recent estimated net asset value of CPA:15's common stock was \$10.40 per share, and the market value of the Issuer's common stock (based on the closing price of its predecessor's stock on the date of the merger) was \$49 per share.
- (5) Includes 11.2361 shares acquired between 1/13/2012 and 7/16/2012 under the Issuer's dividend reinvestment plan.
- (6) Includes 11.2537 shares acquired between 1/13/2012 and 7/16/2012 under the Issuer's dividend reinvestment plan.
- (7) Includes 11.226 shares acquired between 1/13/2012 and 7/16/2012 under the Issuer's dividend reinvestment plan.

Remarks:

On September 28, 2012, W. P. Carey Inc. became the successor of W. P. Carey & Co. LLC pursuant to a merger. In the merg

The Reporting Person is deemed to beneficially own more than 10% of the Issuer's outstanding Common Stock because he is a Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.