SEXTON DR WILLIAM P

Form 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SEXTON DR WILLIAM P

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

MACERICH CO [MAC]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X_ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner

THE MACERICH COMPANY, 401

01/01/2007

(Zip)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Month/Day/Year)

below)

Other (specify

WILSHIRE BOULEVARD #700

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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

SANTA MONICA, CA 90401

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

(City)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

(State)

Execution Date, if

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

7. Nature of 6. Ownership Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) Ownership

(Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(Month/Day/Year)

Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Following Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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 Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Security or Exercise any

5. Number Transaction of Derivative Expiration Date Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of 8. Price **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(1	Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8		Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)					(Instr.	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Stock Units	\$ 0 (1)	01/01/2007		A		2,159		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	2,159	\$

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SEXTON DR WILLIAM P THE MACERICH COMPANY 401 WILSHIRE BOULEVARD #700 SANTA MONICA, CA 90401

X

Signatures

Madonna R. Shannon for WILLIAM P. SEXTON

01/03/2007

**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).
- (1) Convertible on a 1 for 1 basis.
- (2) The shares attributable to the phantom stock units first become distributable upon the January 1 following the date of termination of service pursuant to earlier elections in accordance with the Plan terms.
- (3) Includes 1,340 previously unreported phantom stock units accrued in 2006 under the dividend reinvestment feature of the Plan.
- (4) The reporting person also directly owns 2,000 shares of common stock.

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