COPPOLA ARTHUR M

Form 4

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

(City)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * COPPOLA ARTHUR M

THE MACERICH COMPANY, 401

WILSHIRE BOULEVARD #700

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Issuer

MACERICH CO [MAC]

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

(Month/Day/Year) 02/01/2011

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Zip)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

SANTA MONICA, CA 90401

(State)

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Indirect Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Owned (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported

(A) Transaction(s) (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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number of	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amount of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	TransactionDerivative		Expiration Date	Underlying Securities
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

_X__ Director

Applicable Line)

below)

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

X_ Officer (give title

(Check all applicable)

Chairman & CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

10% Owner

Other (specify

Estimated average

burden hours per

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)					
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
LTIP Units	<u>(1)</u>	02/01/2011		A	207,360		<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	207,360

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
COPPOLA ARTHUR M						
THE MACERICH COMPANY	v		Chairman			
401 WILSHIRE BOULEVARD #700	X		& CEO			
SANTA MONICA, CA 90401						

Signatures

Madonna R. Shannon for ARTHUR M. COPPOLA

02/03/2011

Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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).

Represents the vesting of performance-based units of limited partnership interest in The Macerich Partnership, L.P. (the "Partnership"), of which the Issuer is the general partner. These LTIP Units were issued as long-term incentive compensation and vested upon achievement of certain pre-established performance criteria. Conditioned upon minimum allocations to the capital accounts of the LTIP Units for

(1) federal income tax purposes, each LTIP Unit may be converted, at the election of the holder, into a common unit of limited partnership interest in the Partnership (the "Common Unit"). Each Common Unit may be redeemed after January 31, 2013, 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 for one share of Common Stock. The rights to convert LTIP Units into Common Units and redeem Common Units do not have expiration dates.

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