#### **COUSINS PROPERTIES INC**

Form 4

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## FORM 4

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

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

**COUSINS PROPERTIES INC** 

Symbol

1(b).

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

CHARLESWORTH TOM G

may continue.

See Instruction

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(Last) (First) (Middle)  2500 WINDY RIDGE PARKWAY SUITE 1600				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/07/2005						Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Executive Vice President		
(Street) ATLANTA, GA 30339				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 Form filed by More than One Reporting		
Person												
	(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned										ly Owned	
	1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	y (Month/Day/Year) Execution			Code (Instr.				d of (D) 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	
	Common Stock	02/07/2005			M		2,305	A	\$ 17.36	193,603 (1)	D	
	Common Stock	02/07/2005			M		4,704	A	\$ 21.23	198,307 (1)	D	
	Common Stock	02/07/2005			M		4,029	A	\$ 18.6	202,336 (1)	D	
	Common Stock	02/07/2005			M		2,767	A	\$ 18.06	205,103 (1)	D	
	Common Stock									10,396 (2)	I	See Footnote

Footnote

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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 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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number conf Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 17.36	02/07/2005		M	2,305	12/14/2000(3)	12/14/2009	Common Stock	2,305
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 21.23	02/07/2005		M	4,704	11/14/2001(4)	12/28/2010	Common Stock	4,704
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 18.6	02/07/2005		M	4,029	11/13/2002(4)	11/13/2011	Common Stock	4,029
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 18.06	02/07/2005		M	2,767	11/19/2003 <u>(4)</u>	11/19/2012	Common Stock	2,767

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
. 9	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
CHARLESWORTH TOM G			Executive			
2500 WINDY RIDGE PARKWAY SUITE 1600			Vice			
ATLANTA, GA 30339			President			

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### **Signatures**

/s/ Tom G.

Charlesworth 02/08/2005

\*\*Signature of Reporting

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).
  - Includes 18,652 shares awarded under Cousins Properties Incorporated 1999 Incentive Stock Plan. The shares will be paid in any event if the employee is employed approximately six years from the grant date. Such shares may be awarded earlier as follows: (i) In three years if Funds from Operations Per Shares ("FFOPS") has grown 15% per annum; (ii) In four years if FFOPS has grown by 14% per annum;
- (1) and (iii) In five years if FFOPS has grown 13% per annum. Includes 14,571 shares of restricted stock awarded under the Cousins Properties Incorporated (CPI) 1999 Incentive Stock Plan. These shares will vest 25% per year on each anniversary date of the grant, and CPI will hold these shares until such shares become vested. While the shares are being held prior to vesting, the reporting person will have the right to receive all cash dividends and to vote the restricted shares.
- (2) Represents the shares deemed allocated to the reporting person as beneficiary in the Company's Profit Sharing Plan.
- These options were granted under the Cousins Properties Incorporated 1999 Incentive Stock Plan. These options will vest 20% per year
- (3) on the anniversary of the grant date, with shares being 100% vested in year 5 of the grant term. The Plan under which these options were granted complies with Rule 16b-3 and provides for tax withholding.
- These options were granted under the Cousins Properties Incorporated 1999 Incentive Stock Plan. These options will vest 25% per year on the anniversary of the grant date, with shares being 100% vested in year 4 of the grant term. The Plan under which these options were granted complies with Rule 16b-3 and provides for tax withholding.

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