

RETAIL PROPERTIES OF AMERICA, INC.

Form 4

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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 *
Grimes Steven P

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
RETAIL PROPERTIES OF AMERICA, INC. [RPAI]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
2021 SPRING ROAD, SUITE 200
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
02/19/2016

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
President, CEO

OAK BROOK, IL 60523

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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(City) (State) (Zip)

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

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | (A) or (D) | 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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|-----------------------|---|--|---|
| | | | Code | V | Amount | Price | | |
| Class A Common Stock | 02/19/2016 | | A | | 35,502 | \$ 14.26 | D | |
| Class A Common Stock | 02/20/2016 | | F | | 52,519 ⁽¹⁾ | \$ 14.22 | D | |
| Class A Common Stock | 02/21/2016 | | F | | 2,929 ⁽²⁾ | \$ 14.22 | D | |
| Class A Common | 02/21/2016 | | F | | 8,082 ⁽³⁾ | \$ 14.22 | D | |

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 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of 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) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Beneficially (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|--|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|----------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Grimes Steven P 2021 SPRING ROAD, SUITE 200 OAK BROOK, IL 60523 | X | | President, CEO | |

Signatures

/s/ Dennis K. Holland,
Attorney-in-Fact
Date: 02/23/2016

**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).
- (1) Represents shares retained by the Issuer to satisfy withholding obligations on 121,723 shares of restricted stock granted to the reporting person on February 20, 2015.
- (2) Represents shares retained by the Issuer to satisfy withholding obligations on 9,415 shares of restricted stock granted to the reporting person on February 21, 2013.
- (3) Represents shares retained by the Issuer to satisfy withholding obligations on 25,985 shares of restricted stock granted to the reporting person on February 21, 2014.

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