FORM 4

obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

<b>STATEMENT</b>	OF CHANGES IN	N BENEFICIAL	<b>OWNERSHIP</b>

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     STEIN MARTIN E JR				2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol REGENCY CENTERS CORP [ REG ]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)								
JILIIV	IVIZ CICLIII	V L JIC														Office			10% C	Owner (specify	
(Last) ONE INI SUITE 1	E INDEPENDENT DRIVE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/18/2009									X	Officer (give title Other (s below) Chairman and CEO					
(Street)					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
JACKSONVILLE FL 32202				X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person																	
(City)	(St	ate) (	Zip)																		
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Dat		Date	2. Transaction Date Month/Day/Year		Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) o Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a 5)			A) or 3, 4 an	and Secu Bene Own		nount of rities ficially ed Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	rect direct 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
							Code	v	Amount	(	A) or D)	Price	Tr	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)			
Common	Stock			02/18/	2009				A		17,768(1	l)	A	(1)	)	304	1,045	D			
Common	Stock			02/18/	2009				F		2,483		D	\$38	3.1	301	1,562	D			
Common	Stock															7	'54	I		See Footnote <sup>(2)</sup>	
Common	Stock															251	1,892	I		See Footnote <sup>(3)</sup>	
Common	Stock															6,	801	I		See Footnote <sup>(4)</sup>	
Common	Stock														160,263		),263	I		See Footnote <sup>(5)</sup>	
Common	Stock															415,382 I			See Footnote <sup>(6)</sup>		
Common	Stock															4,	4,000			See Footnote <sup>(7)</sup>	
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1. Title of Derivative Conversion Security Or Exercise (Month/Day/Year)  3. Transaction Date Execution Date, if any		4. Transa	I. 5. Number of Oracle (Instr. Derivative		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)						8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	y Dire or I (I) (	nership m: ect (D) ndirect Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)					
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	able	Expiration Date	Title	of	mber ares							

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Restricted shares which have vested based on performance criteria. Includes 8,884 shares deferred pursuant to Regency's Deferred Compensation Plan.
- 2. By a trust for the benefit of Mr. Stein's granddaughter for which he is a trustee.
- 3. Represents (1) 6,307 remainder shares held in a grantor retained annuity trust of which Mr. Stein is the trustee and the beneficiaries of which are Mr. Stein's children (none of whom shares the same home with him); (2) 100,000 shares abd 125,000 shares held by two additional grantor retained annuity trusts, repsectively, of which Mr. Stein is the trustee and currant annuitant and his children are remainder beneficiaries; and (3) 20,585 shares held by a trust of which Mr. Stein is the trustee and his children are the beneficiaries.
- 4. As custodian for minor children.
- $5.\ By\ a\ limited\ partnership,$  the general partner of which is controlled by Mr. Stein's family.
- 6. By two general partnerships, in which Mr. Stein is a general partner.
- 7. By a trust for Mr. Stein's benefit.

/s/ Linda Y. Kelso, Attorneyin-Fact for Martin E. Stein, Jr.

02/19/2009

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- \* 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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