

Reese Robert R
Form 4
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FORM 4

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

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1(b).

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Reese Robert R

(Last) (First) (Middle)

TAUBMAN CENTERS, INC., 200
E. LONG LAKE ROAD, SUITE 300

(Street)

BLOOMFIELD HILLS, MI 48304

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

TAUBMAN CENTERS INC [TCO]

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

11/13/2009

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)

Senior VP, Chief Admin Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
____X____ Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

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)	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)
Common Stock	11/13/2009		M	30,000	A \$ 13.83	33,664	D
Common Stock	11/13/2009		S	30,000	D \$ 33.49 (1)	3,664	D

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. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
Options (Right to Buy) ⁽²⁾	\$ 13.83	11/13/2019		M	30,000	⁽³⁾ 03/05/2019	Common Stock	30,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
Reese Robert R TAUBMAN CENTERS, INC. 200 E. LONG LAKE ROAD, SUITE 300 BLOOMFIELD HILLS, MI 48304	Senior VP, Chief Admin Officer

Signatures

/s/ Michael S. Ben,
Attorney-in-Fact
11/13/2009

**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) These shares were sold at prices ranging from \$33.30 to \$33.63 per share. Upon request by SEC staff, the issuer or any security holder of the issuer, the reporting person will provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (2) Options were granted to the reporting person pursuant to the 2008 Omnibus Plan. Options granted under the 2008 Omnibus Plan are exercisable for units of limited partnership interest in The Taubman Realty Group Limited Partnership ("TRG"); the Company is the managing general partner of TRG. Under the Company's Continuing Offer to employees covered by the 2008 Omnibus Plan and certain other partners in TRG, each unit of limited partnership interest in TRG held by an offeree is exchangeable for one share of the Company's common stock.
- (3) The options vested in the third quarter of 2009, upon satisfaction of the vesting condition that the closing price of the Company's common stock, as quoted on the New York Stock Exchange, is \$30 or greater for ten consecutive trading days.

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