TAUBMAN WILLIAM S

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

TAUBMAN CENTERS INC [TCO]

Symbol

response...

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

									(Check all applicable)				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 3				3. Date of	3. Date of Earliest Transaction								
					(Month/Day/Year)				_X_ Director		6 Owner		
		CENTERS, IN	03/18/2	010				_X_ Officer (giv below)	er (specify				
	E. LONG L.	AKE ROAD, SU						Chief Operating Officer					
(Street)				4. If Amendment, Date Original					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
				Filed(Month/Day/Year)					Applicable Line)				
									X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting				
BLOOMFIELD HILLS, MI 48304									Person				
	(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned		
	1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	mad	•				5. Amount of 6. 7. Nature of					
	Security	(Month/Day/Year)		Execution Date, if		1				Ownership	Indirect		
(Instr. 3) any			2,	Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)				Securities Beneficially	Form: Direct				
	· ·			Day/Year)					Owned	(D) or	Ownership		
									Following	Indirect (I)	(Instr. 4)		
							(A)		Reported	(Instr. 4)			
							or		Transaction(s)				
					Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)				
	C							\$			As UTMA		
	Common	03/18/2010			P	600	A	41.38	15,850	I	custodian		
	Stock							(1)			for son $\frac{(3)}{}$		
								_			_		
								\$			As UTMA		
	Common	03/18/2010			P	600	A	41.42	15,054	I	custodian		
	Stock	03/10/2010			1	000	11	(2)	13,034	•	for		
											daughter (3)		
	Common												
	Common								28,626	D			
	Stock												
	Common								500,000	I	By limited		
Stock											liability		
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Common Stock 186,837 I $\frac{\frac{(4)}{4}}{\text{By limited liability company }}$

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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)	4. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	5. ionNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	3	ate	7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	
			Code V	7 (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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TAUBMAN CENTERS, INC. 200 E. LONG LAKE ROAD, SUITE 300 BLOOMFIELD HILLS, MI 48304

Signatures

/s/ Michael S. Ben,
Attorney-in-Fact 03/19/2010

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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 purchased at prices ranging from \$41.37 to \$41.38 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 purchased at each separate price.
- (2) These shares were purchased at prices ranging from \$41.41 to \$41.42 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 purchased at each separate price.
- (3) Mr. Taubman disclaims all beneficial interest in the shares of common stock owned in the UTMA accounts for the benefit of his children.
- (4) Mr. Taubman disclaims all beneficial interest in the shares of common stock owned by such limited liability company beyond his pecuniary interest therein.

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