### Edgar Filing: CHAZEN JEROME A - Form 4

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| Form 4   | _                                 |                        |   |  |   |  |  |  |  |                          |  |  |
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| (Print or Type R   | esponses)                         |                        |   |  |   |  |  |  |  |                          |  |  |
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u></u><br>CHAZEN JEROME A |                                   |                        | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading<br>Symbol |  |   |  |  | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer   |  |                          |  |  |
|  |                                   |                        | TAUBMAN CENTERS INC [TCO]                             |  |   |  |  | (Check all applicable)   |  |                          |  |  |
| (Last)   | (Month/Day/Year)X_ Director       |                        |   |  | title Other (specify                              |  |  |  |  |                          |  |  |
|  | APITAL PAR<br>AST 58TH ST<br>¤R   |                        | 04/01/20  | 013                                    |   |  |  | Officer (give<br>below)  | below)   | er (speerly              |  |  |
|  | Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicabl   |                        |   |  |   | Applicable Line)                                 | al or Joint/Group Filing(Check<br>.ine)<br>led by One Reporting Person |  |  |                          |  |  |
| NEW YORK   | K, NY 10155                       |                        |   |  |   |  |  |  | More than One Re   |                          |  |  |
| (City)   | (State)                           | (Zip)                  | Table   | I - Non-De                             | erivative S                                       | Securi   | ties Ac  | quired, Disposed o   | of, or Beneficial  | lly Owned                |  |  |
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)                               | 2. Transaction 1<br>(Month/Day/Ye | ear) Executio<br>any   |   | 3.<br>Transactic<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securi<br>onAcquired<br>Disposed<br>(Instr. 3, | ties<br>l (A) c<br>l of (D<br>4 and<br>(A)<br>or | or<br>))<br>5)   | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | •                        |  |  |
| Common<br>Stock  | 04/01/2013                        |                        |   | Code V<br>A                            | $628 \underline{(1)}$                             | (D)<br>A   | Price<br>\$ 0  | 81,342 <u>(3)</u>  | 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)

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| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transactic<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5.<br>orNumber<br>of<br>Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired<br>(A) or<br>Disposed<br>of (D)<br>(Instr. 3,<br>4, and 5) |                     | ate                | Amou<br>Under<br>Secur | tle and<br>bunt of<br>erlying<br>rities<br>r. 3 and 4) | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Nu<br>Deriv<br>Secu<br>Bene<br>Owno<br>Follo<br>Repo<br>Trans<br>(Instr |
|---|---|---|---|--|---|---------------------|--------------------|------------------------|--|---|--|
|   |   |   |   | Code V                                 | (A) (D)   | Date<br>Exercisable | Expiration<br>Date | Title                  | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares                 |   |  |

## **Reporting Owners**

**Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address** Director 10% Owner Officer Other CHAZEN JEROME A CHAZEN CAPITAL PARTNERS, LLC Х 150 EAST 58TH STREET, 27TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10155 Signatures /s/ Michael S. Ben, Attorney-in-Fact 04/01/2013 \*\*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).

Under The Taubman Centers, Inc. Non-Employee Directors' Deferred Compensation Plan, each non-employee director may defer the receipt of all or a portion of his or her director retainer (cash and stock) until the earlier of the termination of such director's service on the Company's Board of Directors and upon a change of control. Such deferred compensation is denominated in restricted stock units, and the

(1) number of restricted stock units received equals the deferred retainer fee divided by the fair market value of the Company's common stock on the business day immediately before the date the director would otherwise have been entitled to receive the retainer fee. The shares referred to above represent the quarterly retainer fee, which has been deferred in full.

The restricted stock units represent the right to receive equivalent shares of common stock at the end of the deferral period, and each (2) director's account is 100% vested at all times. Therefore, the reporting person has elected to report the deferral as shares of common stock received on the grant date.

Under The Taubman Centers, Inc. Non-Employee Directors' Deferred Compensation Plan, each director's account is credited with dividend equivalents on the deferred restricted stock units when the Company pays cash dividends on its common stock, and such

dividend equivalents are denominated in additional restricted stock units based on the fair market value of the Company's common stock (3)on the business day immediately before the record date of the applicable dividend payment. The receipt of such dividends since the last Form 4 filing has been reflected in the column entitled 'amount of securities beneficially owned following reported transaction(s)', but has not been reported as a separate transaction.

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