

TAUBMAN CENTERS INC
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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 *
PAYNE LISA A

(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)

03/09/2015

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

Vice Chairman AND CFO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock	03/10/2015		S	1,250 (1) D \$ 75	57,311	D	
Common Stock					16,000	I	By Trust, for daughter (2)
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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. Pr Deriv Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)	
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
						Code	V	(A)	(D)
Restricted Stock Units ⁽³⁾	\$ 0	03/09/2015		A	7,796	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	7,796

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
PAYNE LISA A TAUBMAN CENTERS, INC. 200 E. LONG LAKE ROAD, SUITE 300 BLOOMFIELD HILLS, MI 48304	X		Vice Chairman AND CFO	

Signatures

/s/ Michael S. Ben,
Attorney-in-Fact

03/11/2015

**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) The sale was effected pursuant to a 10b5-1 trading plan initially adopted by the reporting person on March 5, 2015. The plan provides for monthly sales of 1,250 shares of common stock if the specified minimum trading price is satisfied. Shares that are not sold in a particular month will be available for sale in subsequent months under the plan. A maximum of 13,750 shares remain available for sale under the plan, which is set to expire on February 29, 2016.
- (2) Ms. Payne disclaims all beneficial interest in the shares of common stock owned by the Trusts for the benefit of her children. Ms. Payne is not the trustee of such Trusts.
- (3) Restricted stock units were granted to the reporting person pursuant to the Taubman 2008 Omnibus Long-term Incentive Plan. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive upon vesting one share of the Company's common stock and an amount equal to the cash value of the dividends that would have been paid to the reporting person if one share of common stock had been issued on the

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grant date for each RSU granted to the reporting person under this award.

- (4) The restricted stock units vest on March 1, 2018.

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