#### FRIEDMAN ARTHUR M

Form 4

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# FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* FRIEDMAN ARTHUR M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

PS BUSINESS PARKS INC/CA [PSB]

(Check all applicable)

(First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/29/2012

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

C/O PS BUSINESS PARKS. INC, 701 WESTERN AVENUE

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

> > Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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GLENDALE, CA 91201-2397

(City)	(State) (Zip	Table I	- Non-Deri	ivative Se	curitie	es Acquir	ed, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securion(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose	d of (D)	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	02/29/2012		M	1,000	A	\$ 35.43	13,000	I	As Trustee
Common Stock	02/29/2012		S	1,000	D	\$ 62.9	12,000	I	As Trustee
Common Stock	02/29/2012		M	2,000	A	\$ 32.48	14,000	I	As Trustee
Common	02/29/2012		S	2,000	D	\$	12,000	I	As

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Stock	62.91		Trustee (1)
Common Stock	500	I	By SEP IRA (2)
Depositary Shares Representing Series H Preferred Stock	3,385	I	As Trustee
Depositary Shares Representing Series I Preferred Stock	3,200	I	As Trustee (1)
Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly	ly 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number one 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 60.66					05/02/2012	05/02/2021	Common Stock	2,000
Stock Option (right to buy) (3)	\$ 60.82					05/03/2011	05/03/2020	Common Stock	2,000
	\$ 43.84					05/04/2010	05/04/2019		2,000

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Stock Option (right to buy) (3)							Common Stock	
Stock Option (right to buy) (3)	\$ 57.79				05/05/2009	05/05/2018	Common Stock	2,000
Stock Option (right to buy) (3)	\$ 68.9				04/30/2008	04/30/2017	Common Stock	2,000
Stock Option (right to buy) (3)	\$ 51.25				05/01/2007	05/01/2016	Common Stock	2,000
Stock Option (right to buy) (3)	\$ 39.95				05/03/2006	05/03/2015	Common Stock	2,000
Stock Option (right to buy) (3)	\$ 39.26				05/04/2005	05/04/2014	Common Stock	2,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 32.48	02/29/2012	M	2,000	05/06/2004	05/06/2013	Common Stock	2,000
Stock Option (right to buy) (4)	\$ 35.43	02/29/2012	M	1,000	05/14/2003	05/14/2012	Common Stock	1,000

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
- 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
FRIEDMAN ARTHUR M						
C/O PS BUSINESS PARKS, INC	X					
701 WESTERN AVENUE	Λ					
GLENDALE, CA 91201-2397						

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## **Signatures**

/s/ Stephanie G. Heim, Attorney in Fact 03/01/2012

\*\*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) By Arthur M. Friedman as a trustee of the Friedman Family Trust.
- (2) By a custodian of a SEP IRA for benefit of the reporting person.
- (3) Stock Options granted pursuant to the 2003 Stock Option and Incentive Plan; options vest in 5 equal annual installments beginning 1 year from date of grant.
- (4) Stock Options granted pursuant to the 1997 Stock Option and Incentive Plan; options vest in 3 equal annual installments beginning 1 year from date of grant.

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