FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* RUBIN CARL | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol OFFICE DEPOT INC [ODP] | | | | | | | | | Check | all app | o of Reportin licable) ctor er (give title | 10 |)% O\ | | |
|--|---|-----|--|---------|---|---|---------|---|---|-----|---------------------|---|---------------|--------|---|---|---|---|---|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 6600 NORTH MILITARY TRAIL LEGAL DEPARTMENT | | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/01/2010 | | | | | | | | | X | belov | | | low) | |
| (Street) BOCA R (City) | ATON | | 33496 (Zip) | | 4. If | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | | G. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | | |
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| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date) | | | | | Execution Dat | | n Date, | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | | | | | nd | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported | | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | | | | | | | | v | Amount | | (A) or (D) | Price | | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | | (111501. 4) |
| Common Stock 03/ | | | | 03/01 | 03/01/2010 | | | | F | | 1,920(| 1) | D \$7 | | .09 222,597(2) | | D | | | |
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| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | | 3A. Deem Executior if any (Month/Da | n Date, | Date, Transaction Code (Instr | | | | 6. Date Exercisable an Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | | Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) | | | | ivative curity | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4) | Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | hip D) ect | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
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Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Shares of common stock withheld by Issuer to satisfy tax withholding obligation on vesting of shares with restrictions.
- $2.\ 89,760\ shares\ previously\ reported\ as\ Restricted\ Stock\ have\ now\ been\ included\ in\ the\ Insider's\ reported\ holdings\ of\ Common\ Stock.$

Remarks:

Elisa D. Garcia C., Attorney-

03/03/2010

in-Fact

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * 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).

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