

Public Storage  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4** UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
HUGHES B WAYNE JR

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O PUBLIC STORAGE, 701  
WESTERN AVENUE

(Street)

GLENDALE, CA 91201-2349

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
Public Storage [PSA]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
12/05/2008

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)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D) Code V Amount (D) Price			
Depository Shares Representing Equity Stock					2,953	I	By children of <u>(10)</u>
Common Stock					8,005	D <u>(12)</u>	
Common Stock					11,348	D <u>(1)</u>	
Common Stock					1,068,511	D	
					3,762,040	I	

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Common Stock								As Trustee <u>(14)</u>
Common Stock					25,692		I	By wife as custodian <u>(2)</u>
Common Stock					3,390		I	Custodian <u>(3)</u>
Common Stock					8,506		I	Custodian <u>(4)</u>
Common Stock					233		I	By wife IRA <u>(5)</u>
Common Stock					444		I	By wife <u>(6)</u>
Common Stock					1,231		I	By IRA <u>(7)</u>
Common Stock					17,890		I	By wife as custodian <u>(8)</u>
Common Stock					394,060.9013		I	By 401(k) Plan <u>(9)</u>
Common Stock	12/05/2008	S	<u>330,000</u> <u>(15)</u>	D	\$ 65.9055	9,000 <u>(15)</u>	I	As trustees <u>(15)</u>
Common Stock	12/08/2008	S	<u>9,000</u> <u>(15)</u>	D	\$ 72.6527	0 <u>(15)</u>	I	As trustees <u>(15)</u>
Depository Shares Representing Equity Stock					43		D	<u>(1)</u>
Depository Shares Representing Equity Stock					32,159		D	
Depository Shares Representing Equity Stock					772		I	By wife as custodian <u>(2)</u>
Depository Shares Representing Equity Stock					96		I	Custodian <u>(3)</u>
					213		I	

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Depository Shares Representing Equity Stock				Custodian <u>(4)</u>
Depository Shares Representing Equity Stock	7		I	By wife IRA <u>(5)</u>
Depository Shares Representing Equity Stock	11		I	By wife <u>(6)</u>
Depository Shares Representing Equity Stock	40		I	By IRA <u>(7)</u>
Depository Shares Representing Equity Stock	581		I	By wife as custodian <u>(8)</u>
Depository Shares Representing Equity Stock	7,480.7711		I	By 401(k) Plan <u>(9)</u>

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. Price or Amount of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
						Code	V	(A)	(D)



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- (11) Stock Options granted pursuant to the 2001 Stock Option and Incentive Plan; options vest in 3 equal annual installments beginning 1 year from grant date.
- (12) By reporting person and wife as joint tenants.
- (13) Stock Options granted pursuant to the 2007 Equity and Performance-Based Incentive Compensation Plan; options vest in 3 equal annual installments beginning 1 year from grant date.
- (14) By B. Wayne Hughes, Jr., trustee for B. Wayne Hughes, Jr. Living Trust.  
By reporting person and wife each as a trustee under a trust dated December 8, 2005 for the benefit of their children of a 60% interest in
- (15) American Commercial Equities Three, LLC ("ACE 3"). On December 5 and 8, 2008, ACE 3 sold a total of 550,000 shares of Common Stock and 15,000 shares of Common Stock, respectively.

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