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*  HAMNER R STEVEN						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  MEDICAL PROPERTIES TRUST INC [ MPW ]								eck all applic	rector 10% ficer (give title Othe		10% Ow	ner	
(Last) 1000 UR	Last) (First) (Middle) .000 URBAN CENTER DRIVE, SUITE 501						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/23/2019										Other (s below) dent & CF	, I	
(Street) BIRMINGHAM AL 35242 (City) (State) (Zip)					4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								e) X Form fi Form fi	Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
		Ta	ble I - Nor	n-Deriv	vativ	/e Se	curi	ties Acq	uired,	Dis	posed of	, or Be	neficial	y Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. To Date				2. Transaction Date		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A)			Beneficia Owned F	s ally ollowing	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
									Code	v	Amount	(A) o (D)	Price		Transaction(s) Instr. 3 and 4)		1	(Instr. 4)	
Common stock, par value \$0.001 01/2						/2019		С		50,167 <sup>(1)</sup> A		\$0	1,26	1,269,760		D			
Common stock, par value \$0.001 01/23					23/201	/2019		A		65,581 <sup>(2)</sup> A		\$0	1,33	5,341		D			
			Table II -								osed of, onvertib			Owned					
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	ate, T	Code (Instr.				6. Date Exercisable Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		te	d 7. Title and Am of Securities Underlying Derivative Seci (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti	e s Illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)	on(s)			
Restricted common stock units	\$0	01/23/2019			С			50,167 <sup>(1)</sup>	(3)		(3)	Common stock, par value \$0.001	50,167	\$0	108,94	12	D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Represents shares earned under the 2018 performance award equal to approximately one third of the target number of shares granted.
- 2. Represents additional shares earned based on the Company's actual performance as compared to the performance hurdles defined in the award agreement along with shares earned pursuant to the modifier provisions in the award, which allowed for more shares to be earned based on how the Company's relative total shareholder return compared to the SNL Healthcare REIT Index.
- 3. The shares vested on January 1, 2019.

Emily R. Sawyer, by power of

01/25/2019

<u>attorney</u>

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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