FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>GOOLSBY BRYAN L</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MEDICAL PROPERTIES TRUST INC [Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner						
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(Last)	(Fi	rst) (3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/18/2006										Officer (give title Othe below) below							
(Street)	eet)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(City)	(St	ate) (Zip)										X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person								
		Tab	le I - Nor	-Deriv	ative	Sec	urities	s Ac	quire	l, Di	spose	d of	f, or Be	neficia	lly Owne	ed .					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D				ar) E	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year		r, Transaction Disp Code (Instr. 5)		n Disp		eurities Acquired (A) sed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		Benefi Owned	ties cially Following	Form (D) o	n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Day	Date,	ate, Transacti Code (Ins				6. Date Expirati (Month/		and 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		f g Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		ly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	able	Expiration		Title	Amount or Number of Shares							
Deferred stock units ⁽¹⁾	\$10.69	05/18/2006			A		5,000		05/18/2	009	(2)		Common stock, par value \$.001	5,000	(3)	7,298		D			

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Represents the right to receive 5,000 shares of common stock at no cost in May, 2009.
- 2. The deferred stock units will not expires.
- 3. The deferred stock units were awarded at no costs.

Phil Summerlin, by power of

05/22/2006

attorney

** 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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