

Mills Joshua A.  
Form 5  
February 04, 2013

**FORM 5**

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

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Reported

**ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL  
OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Mills Joshua A.

(Last) (First) (Middle)

FOUR EMBARCADERO CENTER,  
SUITE 3200

(Street)

SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
Digital Realty Trust, Inc. [DLR]

3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended  
(Month/Day/Year)  
03/15/2012

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)  
SVP & General Counsel

6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting

(check applicable line)

☒ Form Filed by One Reporting Person  
☐ Form Filed by More than One Reporting  
Person

**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) (A) or Amount (D) Price	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price Deriva Securit (Instr. 3)
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Derivative Security					Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)						
					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Class C Units <sup>(1)</sup>	Â	03/15/2012	Â	G <sup>(3)</sup>	Â	50	Â <sup>(1)</sup>	Â <sup>(4)</sup>	Common Stock	50	\$ 0

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Mills Joshua A. FOUR EMBARCADERO CENTER, SUITE 3200 SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111	Â	Â	Â SVP & General Counsel	Â

## Signatures

/s/ Barbara Polster,  
attorney-in-fact

02/01/2013

\_\_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) Class C Units are membership interests in Digital Realty Trust, L.P., a Maryland limited partnership (the "Operating Partnership"), of which Digital Realty Trust, Inc., a Maryland corporation (the "General Partner"), is the general partner. Vested Class C Units that have satisfied the performance condition and achieved full parity with the Common Units (as defined below) receive the same quarterly distributions as Common Units, and may be converted into an equal number of Common Units on a one-for-one basis at any time. Common Units will be redeemable for cash based on the fair market value of an equivalent number of shares of the General Partner's common stock, or, at the election of the General Partner, for an equal number of shares of the General Partner's common stock. The Class C Units have achieved full parity with Common Units.

(2) 1 for 1

(3) The reporting person converted Class C Profits Interest Units ("Class C Units") into common limited partnership units ("Common Units") of the Operating Partnership and subsequently transferred the Common Units as a gift to a charitable foundation, all in accordance with the requirements of the Limited Partnership Agreement of the Operating Partnership.

(4) N/A

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### Remarks:

This statement of changes in beneficial ownership ("Form 5") of securities of Digital Realty Trust, Â

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