

Easterly Government Properties, Inc.
 Form 4
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Bernard Alison M.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 Easterly Government Properties, Inc.
 [DEA]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 C/O EASTERLY GOVERNMENT PROPERTIES, INC., 2101 L STREET NW, SUITE 650

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 05/16/2016

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 EVP & CAO

(Street)
 WASHINGTON, DC 20037

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(City) (State) (Zip)

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock	05/16/2016		J(1)(2)	489 A \$ 0	489	D	

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)

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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. 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 Value of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
Partnership Units ⁽³⁾	<u>(3)</u>	05/16/2016		J ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾	12	<u>(3)</u> <u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	12 \$

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Bernard Alison M. C/O EASTERLY GOVERNMENT PROPERTIES, INC. 2101 L STREET NW, SUITE 650 WASHINGTON, DC 20037			EVP & CAO	

Signatures

/s/ Alison M. Bernard 05/18/2016

**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).
- Reflects shares of the Issuer's common stock and common units of limited partnership interest ("Partnership Units") in Easterly Government Properties LP (the "Operating Partnership") distributed to the Reporting Person on May 16, 2016 as a result of incentive distributions from USGP II Investor, LP ("Fund II") and its constituent funds in connection with its partial liquidation. The Issuer's common stock and Partnership Units were acquired by Fund II and its constituent funds as the result of the following transactions that were consummated concurrently with the Issuer's initial public offering on February 11, 2015: (i) Fund II contributed its interests in its property-owning subsidiaries to the Operating Partnership in exchange for Partnership Units, and in connection therewith received a special distribution of shares of common stock, and (ii) Fund II purchased from the Issuer shares of common stock for cash in a private placement.
- (1) (Continued from Footnote 1) The Reporting Person received 489 shares of common stock and 12 Partnership Units from Fund II and its constituent funds. The liquidation and distribution were completed in accordance with the organizational documents of Fund II and its constituent funds and no amounts were paid in connection with the distributions of these shares of common stock and Partnership Units.
- (2) Represents Partnership Units of the Operating Partnership. Each Partnership Unit is redeemable for cash equal to the then fair market value of one share of the Issuer's common stock, except that the Issuer may, at its election, acquire each Partnership Unit so presented for one share of common stock. These redemption rights have no expiration date.
- (3)

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