FORM 4

obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Allison Michael R						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol OFFICE DEPOT INC [ODP]									Check all ap Dire V Offi	oplicable) ector cer (give title	1 C	10% Owner Other (specif		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 6600 NORTH MILITARY TRAIL LEGAL DEPARTMENT					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/16/2013										below) below) EVP - Human Resources					
(Street) BOCA RATON FL 33496 (City) (State) (Zip)				_ 4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									5. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine) X 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																				
Di				Date	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Transaction Dispose Code (Instr. 5)		ities Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			nd Secu Bene	nount of rities ficially ed Following	6. Owners Form: Dire (D) or Indii (I) (Instr. 4)	ct ect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code	v	Amount	(A	A) or D)	Price	Trans	saction(s) . 3 and 4)			(1130.1.4)	
Common Stock 03/					16/2013				F		2,621	1)	D	\$4.	01 3	325,638				
Common Stock 03/16					16/2013						5,698(2)	D	\$4.	01 3	319,940				
		T	able II - I (sed of, onvertib				y Owned	i				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversio or Exercis Price of Derivative Security		3A. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,		Transaction Code (Instr.		of E		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		Owner Form: Direct or Indi (I) (Inst	(D) rect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Shares of common stock withheld by Issuer to satisfy tax withholding obligations on vesting of shares underlying the payout of performance stock units.
- $2. \ Shares \ of \ common \ stock \ withheld \ by \ Issuer \ to \ satisfy \ tax \ withholding \ obligations \ on \ vesting \ of \ shares \ with \ restrictions.$

<u>Darlene Quashie Henry,</u> <u>Attorney-in-Fact</u>

03/19/2013

** 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).
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