FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1 . Name and Address of Reporting Lesson			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LTC PROPERTIES INC [LTC]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
KING EDMUND			[]	X	Director	10% Owner		
22917 PACIFIC COAST HWY SUITE 350					Officer (give title	Other (specify		
		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/17/2004		below)	below)		
(Street) MALIBU	CA 90265		4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicab X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting			
(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. Transac Code (li 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	02/17/2004		S		26,626	D	\$15.3619	36,974	D	
Common Stock								1,685	I	held by spouse
Common Stock								11,153	I	see footnote 1 ⁽¹⁾
Preferred B								4,534	D	

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 Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transac Code (li 8)		5. Number of Derivative		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
	Coounty			Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		
Stock options	\$5.375							03/31/2001	03/31/2008	Common Stock	3,000		3,000	D	
Stock options	\$5.375							03/31/2002	03/31/2009	Common Stock	3,000		6,000	D	
Stock options	\$5.375							03/31/2003	03/31/2010	Common Stock	3,000		9,000	D	
Stock options	\$5.375							03/31/2004	03/31/2011	Common Stock	3,000		12,000	D	
Stock options	\$5.375							03/31/2005	03/31/2012	Common Stock	3,000		15,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Company contribution/reinvestment of dividend held on shares held in deferred compensation trust. Individuals have no voting rights over such shares.

Remarks:

/s/ Edmund C. King

** Signature of Reporting Person

02/18/2004

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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