FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Lesson			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
TRICHE TIMOTHY			LTC PROPERTIES INC [ LTC ]	X	Director Officer (give title	10% Owner Other (specify			
		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/16/2004		below)	below)			
(Street) MALIBU (City)	CA (State)	90265 (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv	idual or Joint/Group Filing ( Form filed by One Repo Form filed by More than	rting Person			

## Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
		Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		(11301. 4)
Common Stock	03/16/2004	F		3,000	A	\$5.17	12,329	D	
Common Stock	03/16/2004	F		6,671	A	\$5.688	19,000	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 (II 8)		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 Reported	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		
Stock Options	\$5.17							10/03/2004	10/03/2011	Common Stock	3,000		3,000	D	
Stock Options	\$5.17							10/03/2005	10/03/2012	Common Stock	3,000		6,000	D	
Stock Options	\$5.17							10/03/2006	10/03/2013	Common Stock	3,000		9,000	D	
Stock Options	\$4.06							04/23/2004	04/23/2011	Common Stock	2,000		11,000	D	
Stock Options	\$4.06							04/23/2005	04/23/2012	Common Stock	2,000		13,000	D	
Stock Options	\$4.06							04/23/2006	04/23/2013	Common Stock	2,000		15,000	D	
Stock Options	\$5.688							05/02/2004	05/02/2011	Common Stock	3,000		18,000	D	
Stock Options	\$5.688							05/02/2005	05/02/2012	Common Stock	3,000		21,000	D	

**Explanation of Responses:** 

Remarks:

/s/ Timothy J. Triche

03/16/2004

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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