## FORM 4

Instruction 1(b)

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Ross Mason G						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol MACERICH CO [ MAC ]										all app	ionship of Reporting all applicable) Director		g Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 401 WILSHIRE BLVD., SUITE 700						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/02/2018										Offic belov	ficer (give title low)		Other (specify below)	
(Street) SANTA MONICA	A CA	A 9	90401		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
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Common Stock					03/02/2018				A		2,117	(1) A		\$	16,424		424(2)(3)		D	
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Represents the reporting person's annual equity award for service on the Board of Directors which was paid in the form of restricted stock units that vest in one year and was granted on the date designated by the Compensation Committee for all annual employee and director bonuses and awards consistent with past practice.
- 2. Under The Macerich Company 2003 Equity Incentive Plan (the "2003 Plan"), a director may elect to have his or her account credited with dividend equivalents on the director's deferred restricted stock units when the Company pays cash dividends on its common stock, and to have such dividend equivalents denominated in additional stock units based on the fair market value of the Company's common stock on the applicable dividend payment date. Includes 256 previously unreported stock units that have been credited as dividend equivalents under the deferral feature of the 2003 Plan.
- 3. In addition, the reporting person holds 11,982 stock units under the Company's Director Phantom Stock Plan, which units are convertible for an equal number of shares of The Macerich Company's common stock.

Lisa Pena for MASON G. **ROSS** 

03/06/2018

\*\* 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).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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