FORM 3

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

Washington, D.C. 20549

## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>LAYNE PAUL H</u>			2. Date of Event Requiring Stater Month/Day/Yea 03/14/2013	ment	3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Howard Hughes Corp [ HHC ]							
(Last) ONE GALLE	(First)	(Middle)				nship of Reporting Perso I applicable) Director	n(s) to Issue	I	5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)			
13355 NOEL ROAD, 22ND FLOOR						Officer (give title below)  EVP, Master Plan.	Other (spe below)	, 10.	Applic	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check pplicable Line)		
(Street) DALLAS	TX	75240				EVP, Master Plan.	Colli.		X	•	y One Reporting Person y More than One erson	
(City) (State) (Zip)												
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned												
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)						ally Owned (Instr. 4)			4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)			
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share						14,900(1)	D					
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)												
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)  2. Date Exercisable Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		ate	3. Title and Amount of Securi Underlying Derivative Securi			4. Conversion or Exercise		5. Ownership Form:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)			
			Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	n Title		Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivativ Security	ve	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		
NQ Stock Opti	on (right to buy	y)	04/30/2017 <sup>(2)</sup>	04/30/2022	2	Common Stock	50,000	67.11	1	D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Represents restricted stock granted pursuant to The Howard Hughes Corporation 2010 Amended and Restated Incentive Plan. The shares vest on April 30, 2017, unless earlier vested in accordance with the terms of the restricted stock agreement, dated as of Apil 30, 2012, by and between The Howard Hughes Corporation and Paul H. Layne.
- 2. These options were granted on April 30, 2012 and become exercisable after April 30, 2017. Upon death or Permanent Disability (as defined in the award agreement), the options will be deemed to vest at a rate of 20% per year and the vested options will be immediately exercisable. Any or all of the options may become immediately exercisable upon retirement in the sole discretion of the Chief Executive Officer.

## Remarks:

<u>Timothy F. Hubach, Attorney-</u> in-fact for Paul H. Layne

03/25/2013

\*\* 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 5 (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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Know all by these presents, that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints Timothy F. Hubach as the undersigned's true and lawful attorney-in-fact to:

- (1) execute for and on behalf of the undersigned, in the undersigned's capacity as an officer and/or director of The Howard Hughes Corporation, a Delaware corporation (the "Company"), Forms 3, 4 and 5 in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules thereunder;
- (2) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such Form 3, 4 or 5, complete and execute any amendment or amendments thereto, and timely file such form with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority; and
- (3) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required by, the undersigned, it being understood that the documents executed by such attorney-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as such attorney-in-fact may approve in such attorney-in-fact's discretion.

The undersigned hereby grants to the attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary, or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney-in-fact, or such attorney-in-fact's substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this Power of Attorney and the rights and powers herein granted. The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

The execution by the undersigned of this Power of Attorney hereby expressly revokes and terminates any powers of attorney previously granted by the undersigned relating to Forms 3, 4 and 5 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company. This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4 and 5 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorneys-in-fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 19th day of March, 2013.

/s/ Paul H. Layne