## Edgar Filing: LEWIS THOMAS A - Form 4

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LEWIS THOMAS A Symbol			Symbol					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
_	REALTY INCOME CORP [O]					(Check all applicable)					
(Month/I				te of Earliest Transaction th/Day/Year) 1/2011				X Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Chief Executive Officer			
(Street) 4. If Amer			endment, Date Original			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check					
Filed(Mor ESCONDIDO, CA 92025				Ionth/Day/Year)				Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)									
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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	any				4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Securities Beneficially Owned	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		
				Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price \$	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	01/01/2011			F	24,979	D	φ 34.2 (1)	377,743	D		

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

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 Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

 (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Secur	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secu Bene Owna Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Add	lress	Relationships							
1 8	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other					
LEWIS THOMAS A 600 LA TERRAZA BLVD. ESCONDIDO, CA 92025	Х		Chief Executive Officer						
Signatures									
/s/ Thomas A. Lewis	01/01/2011								
<u>**</u> Signature of Reporting Person	Date								

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* 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).
- (1) Mr. Lewis has elected to satisfy the tax withholding obligation upon the vesting of shares by having the Company withhold shares equal to the amount of the minimum statutory withholding obligation.

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