# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 20549

# FORM 8-K

### CURRENT REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): February 23, 2017

# **MACK-CALI REALTY CORPORATION**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Maryland

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

1-13274 (Commission File Number) 22-3305147 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

Harborside 3, 210 Hudson St., Ste. 400 (Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

(732) 590-1010

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

# MACK-CALI REALTY, L.P.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) 333-57103 (Commission File Number) 22-3315804 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

Harborside 3, 210 Hudson St., Ste. 400 (Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

(732) 590-1010

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions *kee* General Instruction A.2. below):

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□ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

□ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

#### Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On February 23, 2017, Mack-Cali Realty Corporation (the "Company"), the general partner of Mack-Cali Realty, L.P. (the "Operating Partnership"), issued a press release announcing leasing results for the fourth quarter and full year 2016. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

In connection with the foregoing, the Company and Operating Partnership hereby furnish the following documents:

Item 9.01	Financial Statements and Exhibits
(d) Exhibits	
Exhibit Number	Exhibit Title
99.1	Press release of Mack-Cali Realty Corporation dated February 23, 2017.

The information included in this Current Report on Form 8-K (including the exhibit hereto) is being furnished under Item 2.02, "Results of Operations and Financial Condition" and Item 9.01 "Financial Statements and Exhibits" of Form 8-K. As such, the information (including the exhibit) herein shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the

purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that Section, nor shall it be incorporated by reference into a filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing. This Current Report (including the exhibit hereto) will not be deemed an admission as to the materiality of any information required to be disclosed solely to satisfy the requirements of Regulation FD.

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	SIGNATURES	
Pursuant to the required hereunto duly authorized	irements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, each registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigne	
	MACK-CALI REALTY CORPORATION	
Dated: February 23, 2017	By: <u>/s/ Gary T. Wagner</u> Gary T. Wagner General Counsel and Secretary	
	MACK-CALI REALTY, L.P.	
	By: Mack-Cali Realty Corporation, its general partner	
Dated: February 23, 2017	By: <u>/s/ Gary T. Wagner</u> Gary T. Wagner General Counsel and Secretary	
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### NEWS RELEASE

For Immediate Release

### MACK-CALI ANNOUNCES FOURTH QUARTER AND YEAR-END LEASING RESULTS

### Company Ends 2016 With Core, Waterfront, and Flex Properties Over 90 Percent Leased

12.2 Percent GAAP Rollup for the Fourth Quarter Transactions

Jersey City, New Jersey—February 23, 2017—Mack-Cali Realty Corporation (NYSE: CLI) today announced that during 2016, it completed a total of 273 lease transactions aggregating 2.8 million square feet in its consolidated commercial portfolio. Of these totals, 35 percent were for new leases and 65 percent were for renewals and other tenant transactions. These deals allowed the Company to finish 2016 with a percentage leased of 90.6 percent in its Core, Waterfront, and Flex properties, 150 basis points higher than year-end 2015.

The 2017 expirations in the Company's Core, Waterfront, and Flex portfolio total 2.1 million square feet or 11.2 percent of the portfolio. These expirations are heavily weighted towards the end of the year and on the Waterfront, where the Company feels the market is the healthiest. Additionally, the 2017 expirations will be reduced to 1.8 million square feet after removing the additional assets the Company is currently considering for sale.

For the year, Mack-Cali's Core, Waterfront, and Flex portfolio produced a cash rental rate rollup of 10.9 percent and GAAP rollup of 20 percent. For the fourth quarter rollup was 3.5 percent cash and 12.2 percent on a GAAP basis. The Company experienced a roll up on 87 percent of the transactions. For 2016, 204 transactions were used in calculating rent roll, of those, 177 were up, five flat, and 22 down.

"We believe that the Cash and GAAP roll up we experienced in the last five quarters is embedded in our future expirations. We have also benefited from reduced tenant costs during 2016. The increasing revenue and reduction of attainment costs is leading us to an ever improving AFFO. Our transforming portfolio is providing us with a strong base to produce excellent results," said Michael J. DeMarco, Mack-Cali President.

#### About Mack-Cali Realty Corporation

Mack-Cali Realty Corporation is a fully integrated, self-administered, self-managed real estate investment trust (REIT) providing management, leasing, development, and other tenant-related services for its two-platform operations of waterfront and transit-based office and luxury multi-family assets. Mack-Cali provides its tenants and residents with the most innovative communities that empower them to re-imagine the way they work and live.

Additional information on Mack-Cali Realty Corporation and the commercial real estate

properties and multi-family residential communities available for lease can be found on the Company's website at www.mack-cali.com.

Statements made in this press release may be forward-looking statements within the meaning of Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. Forward-looking statements can be identified by the use of words such as "may," "will," "plan," "potential," "projected," "should," "expect," "anticipate," "estimate," "target," "continue," or comparable terminology. Such forward-looking statements are inherently subject to certain risks, trends and uncertainties, many of which the Company cannot predict with accuracy and some of which the Company might not even anticipate, and involve factors that may cause actual results to differ materially from those projected or suggested. Readers are cautioned not to place undue reliance on these forward-looking statements and are advised to consider the factors listed above together with the additional factors under the heading "Disclosure Regarding Forward-Looking Statements" and "Risk Factors" in the Company's Annual Reports on Form 10-Q, which are incorporated herein by reference. The Company assumes no obligation to update or supplement forward-looking statements that become untrue because of subsequent events, new information or otherwise.

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