# 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): May 4, 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)

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) 333-57103

333-57103 (Commission File Number) **22-3315804** (IRS Employer Identification No.)

22-3305147

(IRS Employer

Identification No.)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

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(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):

□ Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

□ Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)

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))

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter). Emerging growth company

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

## Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On May 4, 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 first quarter 2017. 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

Press release of Mack-Cali Realty Corporation dated May 4, 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.

#### SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, each registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

## MACK-CALI REALTY CORPORATION

Dated: May 4, 2017		/s/ Gary T. Wagner Gary T. Wagner General Counsel and Secretary
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1		Mack-Cali Realty Corporation, its general partner
Dated: May 4, 2017		By: <u>/s/ Gary T. Wagner</u> Gary T. Wagner General Counsel and Secretary
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Exhibit Number	Exhibit Title
99.1	Press release of Mack-Cali Realty Corporation dated May 4, 2017.

#### MACK-CALI REALTY CORPORATION

#### NEWS RELEASE

For Immediate Release

## MACK-CALI ANNOUNCES FIRST QUARTER LEASING RESULTS

#### First Quarter Ends with Core, Waterfront, and Flex Properties Over 90 Percent Leased

11.4 Percent GAAP Rollup for the First Quarter Transactions

Jersey City, New Jersey—May 4, 2017—Mack-Cali Realty Corporation (NYSE: CLI) today announced that during the first quarter of 2017, it completed a total of 54 lease transactions aggregating 362,075 square feet in its consolidated commercial portfolio. Of these totals, 15 percent were for new leases and 85 percent were for renewals and other tenant transactions. With these transactions, the Company finished the quarter with a percentage leased of 90.4 in its Core, Waterfront, and Flex properties, compared to 90.6 percent at year-end 2016.

For the balance of 2017, expirations in the Company's Core, Waterfront, and Flex portfolio total 1.4 million square feet or 7.6 percent of the portfolio. These expirations are heavily weighted towards the end of the year. On the Hudson River Waterfront, where the Company feels the market is the healthiest, the Company expects a substantial rollup in rent at today's market levels versus expiring rent.

Rents on the first quarter transactions rolled up 11.4 percent on a GAAP basis in Mack-Cali's Core, Waterfront, and Flex portfolio and 1.2 percent on a cash basis.

In April, the Company signed a lease with 24 Hour Fitness for a state of the art fitness facility to be built in the Mack-Cali Business Campus in Parsippany, New Jersey. The project further enhances the amenities in the campus and will be located adjacent to the Wegman's shopping center scheduled to open this July. The 24 Hour Fitness lease is subject to standard contingencies and is expected to open in approximately 24 months.

"The first quarter was a workmanlike quarter where we continued to execute on our plan of leasing our key markets and locations. The market remained steady from a demand perspective with ongoing showings and interest throughout the portfolio, with growing interest in our waterfront properties. Specifically, tours have picked up significantly and a number of tenants are applying for the incentive packages offered by the state of New Jersey prior to choosing a location." said Michael J. DeMarco, chief executive officer.

### 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-C, 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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