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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)											
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person– JONES TIMOTHY M	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MACK CALI REALTY CORP [CLI]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) C/O MACK-CALI REALTY CORP COMMERCE DRIVE	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/24/2003						X_Officer (give title below)Other (specify below) President				
(Street) CRANFORD, NJ 07016		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City) (State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									
(Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	3. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	on	or Dispo	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Owned Following Reported Owne Transaction(s) Form: (Instr. 3 and 4) Direct		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	12/24/2003		M <mark>(1)</mark>		6,500	А	\$38.75	87,969	D		
Common Stock	12/24/2003		S <mark>(1)</mark>		6,500	D	\$40.5313	81,469	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)															
1. Title of	2.		3A. Deemed	4.		5. Num	ber						9. Number of		11. Nature
Derivative	Conversion	Date	Execution Date, if	Transact	ion	of		Expiration Date		of Underlying Deriva		Derivative	Derivative	Ownership	of Indirect
Security	or Exercise	(Month/Day/Year)	any	Code		Derivat	ive	(Month/Day/Year	;)	Securities		Security	Securities	Form of	Beneficial
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8))	Securit	ies			(Instr. 3 and	4)	(Instr. 5)	Beneficially	Derivative	Ownership
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						and 5)							` ´	. ,	
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				Code	V	(A)	(D)				Shares				
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Option	\$38.75	12/24/2003		М <mark>(1)</mark>		6,500		12/31/1997 <mark>(2)</mark>	12/12/2007	Stock	6,500	\$38.75	12,795	D	
(Right to										Stock					
Buy)															
Duy)															

Reporting Owners

	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
JONES TIMOTHY M C/O MACK-CALI REALTY CORPORATION 11 COMMERCE DRIVE CRANFORD, NJ 07016			President				

Signatures

/s/ Timothy M. Jones	12/29/2003
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) The reporting person obtained and sold the Common Stock as a result of the cashless exercise of Employee Stock Options.
- (2) On December 12, 1997, the reporting person was granted an option to purchase 105,295 shares of Common Stock. The option vested in five equal annual installments beginning December 31, 1997.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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