

Edgar Filing: Digital Realty Trust, Inc. - Form 8-K

Digital Realty Trust, Inc.  
Form 8-K  
September 28, 2016

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 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): September 27, 2016

DIGITAL REALTY TRUST, INC.  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Maryland                      001-32336    26-0081711  
(State or other jurisdiction (Commission (IRS Employer  
of incorporation)              File Number) Identification No.)

Four Embarcadero Center, Suite 3200    94111  
San Francisco, California  
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)  
(415) 738-6500  
(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:

- ..  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))
-

Item 8.01 Other Events.

As previously disclosed in our Current Report on Form 8-K filed on May 20, 2016, on May 16, 2016, Digital Realty Trust, Inc., a Maryland corporation (the “Company,” “we,” “us,” or “our”) entered into forward sale agreements with each of Bank of America, N.A., Citibank N.A. and JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., London Branch (collectively, the “Forward Counterparties”). On September 27, 2016, we physically settled a portion of the forward sale agreements by issuing an aggregate of 12,000,000 shares of our common stock to the Forward Counterparties in exchange for net proceeds of approximately \$1.1 billion. Following such settlement, 2,375,000 shares of our common stock remain subject to the forward sale agreements.

---

SIGNATURES

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

Digital Realty Trust, Inc.

By: /s/ JOSHUA A. MILLS

Joshua A. Mills

Senior Vice President, General Counsel  
and Secretary

Date: September 28, 2016