

ACADIA REALTY TRUST  
Form 8-K  
January 27, 2009

**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): January 26, 2009

**ACADIA REALTY TRUST**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

<b><u>Maryland</u></b>	<b><u>1-12002</u></b>	<b><u>23-2715194</u></b>
(State or other	(Commission	(I.R.S.
jurisdiction of incorporation)	File Number)	Employer
		Identification
		No.)

**1311 Mamaroneck Avenue**

**Suite 260**

**White Plains, New York 10605**

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

**(914) 288-8100**

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

**N/A**

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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)

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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))

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**Item 8.01. Other Events.**

On January 26, 2009, Acadia Realty Trust (the “Company”) issued a press release relating to the special dividend to be paid on January 30, 2009, to the Company’s shareholders of record at the close of business on December 31, 2008. A copy of the press release is filed as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and incorporated by reference herein.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements, Pro Forma Financial Information and Exhibits**

(d) Exhibits

<u>Exhibit Number</u>	<u>Description</u>
99.1	Press Release of the Company dated January 26, 2009

**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.

**ACADIA REALTY TRUST**

Date: January 26, 2009 By: /s/ Michael Nelsen  
Name: Michael Nelsen  
Title: Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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**EXHIBIT INDEX**

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