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Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 10-Q

(Mark One)

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

For the quarterly period ended September 30, 2013

OR

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

For the transition period from _____ to _____

Commission file number 001-32039

CapLease, Inc.
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Maryland
(State or Other Jurisdiction)

52-2414533
(I.R.S. Employer Identification)

of
Incorporation or Organization) No.)

1065 Avenue of the Americas,
New York, NY 10018
(Address of Principal Executive (ZIP Code)
Offices)

Registrant's Telephone Number, (212) 217-6300
Including Area Code:

Indicate by check mark whether the Registrant: (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the Registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes No

Indicate by check mark whether the Registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Web site, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the Registrant was required to submit and post such files). Yes No

Indicate by check mark whether the Registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, or a smaller reporting company. See the definitions of "accelerated filer," "large accelerated filer" and "smaller reporting company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act. (Check one):

Large accelerated filer Accelerated filer Non-accelerated filer Smaller reporting company

(Do not check if a smaller reporting company)

Indicate by check mark whether the Registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). Yes No

As of October 31, 2013, there were 88,845,604 shares of common stock of CapLease, Inc., \$0.01 par value per share, outstanding ("Common Stock").

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PART I. FINANCIAL INFORMATION**Item 1. Financial Statements**

CapLease, Inc. and Subsidiaries

Consolidated Balance Sheets

As of September 30, 2013 (unaudited) and December 31, 2012

	As Of	As Of
	September	December
	30,	31,
	2013	2012
(Amounts in thousands, except share and per share amounts)		
Assets		
Real estate investments, net	\$ 1,626,713	\$ 1,541,416
Loans held for investment, net	23,839	26,972
Commercial mortgage-backed securities	59,774	62,318
Cash and cash equivalents	52,035	30,177
Other assets	89,434	89,560
Total Assets	\$ 1,851,795	\$ 1,750,443
Liabilities and Equity		
Mortgages on real estate investments	\$ 995,326	\$ 1,012,075
Credit agreements	128,899	67,655
Secured term loan	60,654	72,417
Convertible senior notes	19,210	19,210
Other long-term debt	30,930	30,930
Total Debt Obligations	1,235,019	1,202,287
Intangible liabilities on real estate investments	32,375	33,032
Accounts payable and other liabilities	32,016	27,926
Dividends and distributions payable	10,138	8,826

Total Liabilities	1,309,548	1,272,071
Commitments and contingencies		
Stockholders' equity:		
Preferred stock, \$0.01 par value, 100,000,000 shares authorized:		
Series A cumulative redeemable preferred, liquidation preference \$25.00 per share, 1,832,000 and 3,447,182 shares issued and outstanding, respectively	39,363	79,776
Series B cumulative redeemable preferred, liquidation preference \$25.00 per share, 2,941,073 shares issued and outstanding	71,665	71,665
Series C cumulative redeemable preferred, liquidation preference \$25.00 per share, 1,700,000 and 0 shares issued and outstanding, respectively	39,689	—
Common stock, \$0.01 par value, 500,000,000 shares authorized, 88,845,604 and 73,658,045 shares issued and outstanding, respectively	888	737
Additional paid in capital	388,036	325,824
Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)	1,056	(666)
Total Stockholders' Equity	540,697	477,336
Non-controlling interest in consolidated subsidiaries	1,550	1,036
Total Equity	542,247	478,372
Total Liabilities and Equity	\$1,851,795	\$1,750,443

See notes to consolidated financial statements.

CapLease, Inc. and Subsidiaries

Consolidated Statements of Operations

(Unaudited)

	For the Three Months		For the Nine Months	
(Amounts in thousands, except per share amounts)	Ended September 30, 2013	2012	Ended September 30, 2013	2012
Revenues:				
Rental revenue	\$37,421	\$ 35,137	\$109,956	\$ 101,815
Interest income from loans and securities	1,580	1,921	4,971	6,026
Tenant reimbursements	7,107	4,552	19,346	11,939
Other revenue	168	182	479	693
Total revenues	46,276	41,792	134,752	120,473
Expenses:				
Interest expense	16,796	16,723	49,303	50,666
Property expenses	10,062	7,209	28,402	20,242
Gain on derivatives	5	—	—	—
General and administrative expenses	2,650	2,754	8,963	8,604
General and administrative expenses-stock based compensation	995	830	2,764	2,441
Merger-related costs	1,067	—	3,488	—
Depreciation and amortization expense on real property	12,976	12,166	37,609	35,878
Other expenses	—	930	—	962
Total expenses	44,551	40,612	130,529	118,793
Other gains:				
Gain on investment	—	300	—	1,009
Gain on extinguishment of debt, net	—	—	—	11,012
Total other gains	—	300	—	12,021
Income from continuing operations	1,725	1,480	4,223	13,701
Discontinued operations:				
Loss from discontinued operations	—	(6)	—	(1,372)
Loss on investment	—	—	—	(15,229)
Total discontinued operations	—	(6)	—	(16,601)
Net income (loss) before non-controlling interest in consolidated subsidiaries	1,725	1,474	4,223	(2,900)
Non-controlling interest in consolidated subsidiaries	2	5	11	23
Net income (loss)	1,727	1,479	4,234	(2,877)
Dividends allocable to preferred shares	(3,240)	(2,731)	(10,032)	(6,812)
Net loss allocable to common stockholders	\$(1,513)	\$(1,252)	\$(5,798)	\$(9,689)

Income (loss) per common share, basic:

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Income (loss) from continuing operations	\$(0.02)	\$ (0.02)	\$(0.07)	\$ 0.10
Loss from discontinued operations	—	—	—	(0.25)
Net loss per common share, basic	\$(0.02)	\$ (0.02)	\$(0.07)	\$ (0.15)
Weighted average common shares outstanding, basic	88,846	66,767	84,381	66,616
Income (loss) per common share, diluted:				
Income (loss) from continuing operations	\$(0.02)	\$ (0.02)	\$(0.07)	\$ 0.10
Loss from discontinued operations	—	—	—	(0.25)
Net loss per common share, diluted	\$(0.02)	\$ (0.02)	\$(0.07)	\$ (0.15)
Weighted average common shares outstanding, diluted	88,975	66,767	84,510	66,616
Dividends declared per common share	\$0.0775	\$ 0.070	\$0.233	\$ 0.200
Dividends declared per preferred A share	\$0.42318	\$ 0.50781	\$1.43880	\$ 1.52344
Dividends declared per preferred B share	\$0.43620	\$ 0.52344	\$1.48307	\$ 1.02361
Dividends declared per preferred C share	\$0.37760	\$ —	\$1.23351	\$ —

See notes to consolidated financial statements.

CapLease, Inc. and Subsidiaries

Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Income (Loss)

(Unaudited)

(Amounts in thousands)	For the Three Months		For the Nine Months	
	Ended September 30, 2013	2012	Ended September 30, 2013	2012
Net income (loss) before non-controlling interest in consolidated subsidiaries	\$1,725	\$1,474	\$4,223	\$(2,900)
Other comprehensive income (loss):				
Change in fair value of securities available for sale	1,354	919	1,361	7,376
Change in fair value of derivatives	(137)	–	(45)	–
Reclassification of derivative items into earnings	141	40	406	22
Realized loss on derivatives	(5)	–	–	–
Other comprehensive income	1,353	959	1,722	7,398
Comprehensive income	3,078	2,433	5,945	4,498
Comprehensive income attributable to non-controlling interests	2	5	11	23
Comprehensive income attributable to CapLease, Inc.	\$3,080	\$2,438	\$5,956	\$4,521

See notes to consolidated financial statements.

CapLease, Inc. and Subsidiaries

Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity

(Unaudited)

(in thousands)

	Stockholders' Equity			Accumulated			Total
	Preferred Stock	Common Stock at Par	Additional Paid-In Capital	Other Comprehensive Income (Loss)	Retained Earnings	Non-controlling Interest	
Balance at December 31, 2012	\$ 151,441	\$ 737	\$ 325,824	\$ (666)	\$ –	\$ 1,036	\$ 478,372
Incentive stock plan compensation expense	–	–	2,764	–	–	–	2,764
Incentive stock plan grants issued and forfeited	–	3	(3)	–	–	–	–
Net income	–	–	–	–	4,234	–	4,234
Non-controlling interest in consolidated subsidiaries	–	–	–	–	–	(11)	(11)
Issuance of common stock	–	150	86,368	–	–	–	86,518
Repurchase of common stock	–	(2)	(1,141)	–	–	–	(1,143)
Issuance of preferred stock	39,689	–	–	–	–	–	39,689
Repurchase of preferred stock	(40,413)	–	–	–	–	–	(40,413)
Dividends declared-preferred	–	–	(5,790)	–	(4,234)	–	(10,024)
Dividends declared-common	–	–	(19,986)	–	–	–	(19,986)
Contributions from noncontrolling interest	–	–	–	–	–	561	561
Distributions declared-operating partnership units	–	–	–	–	–	(36)	(36)
Increase in fair value of securities available for sale	–	–	–	1,361	–	–	1,361
Decrease in fair value of derivatives	–	–	–	(45)	–	–	(45)
Reclassification of derivative items into earnings	–	–	–	406	–	–	406

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Balance at September 30, 2013	\$ 150,717	\$ 888	\$ 388,036	\$ 1,056	\$ -	\$ 1,550	\$ 542,247
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See notes to consolidated financial statements.

CapLease, Inc. and Subsidiaries

Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows

(Unaudited)

(in thousands)

	For the Nine Months	
	Ended September 30, 2013	2012
Operating activities		
Net income (loss)	\$4,234	\$(2,877)
Adjustments to reconcile net income (loss) to cash provided by operating activities:		
Depreciation and amortization	37,189	36,434
Stock based compensation	2,764	2,441
Amortization of above and below market leases	(1,301)	(612)
Loss on investments	–	14,220
(Gain) on extinguishment of debt, net	–	(11,012)
Non-controlling interest in consolidated subsidiaries	(11)	(23)
Straight-lining of rents	1,435	11,261
Amortization of discounts/premiums, and origination fees/costs, net	(374)	(331)
Amortization of debt issuance costs, leasing commissions and fair market value of debt issued or assumed	2,289	1,921
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:		
Other assets	706	(14,364)
Accounts payable and other liabilities	3,408	6,230
Deposits and escrows	1	1
Net cash provided by operating activities	50,340	43,289
Investing activities		
Principal received from borrowers	3,262	5,401
Proceeds from sale of securities	–	3,744
Repayments of commercial mortgage-backed securities	4,150	3,671
Proceeds from sale of real estate investments	–	9,611
Purchases of real estate investments	(70,543)	(87,970)
Real estate improvements, additions and construction in progress	(21,052)	(29,893)
Leasing commission costs	(2,467)	(3,601)
Purchases of furniture, fixtures, equipment and leasehold improvements	(620)	(15)
Net cash used in investing activities	(87,270)	(99,052)
Financing activities		
Borrowings from mortgages on real estate investments	23,312	68,580
Repayments of mortgages on real estate investments	(69,356)	(43,507)
Borrowings from credit agreements	73,000	78,056
Repayments on credit agreements	(11,757)	(100,627)
Repayments on secured term loan	(11,763)	(12,042)

Debt issuance costs	(1,127)	(3,451)
Common stock issued, net of offering costs	86,518	–
Common stock repurchased	(1,143)	–
Preferred stock issued, net of offering costs	39,689	56,570
Preferred stock repurchased	(40,413)	–
Contributions from noncontrolling interest	561	–
Distributions to noncontrolling interest	(36)	(30)
Dividends paid on common and preferred stock	(28,697)	(18,754)
Net cash provided by financing activities	58,788	24,795
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	21,858	(30,968)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	30,177	71,160
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	\$52,035	\$40,192

Supplemental disclosure of cash flow information

Cash paid for interest expense	\$47,935	\$49,265
Capitalized interest on development properties	619	443
Net change in accrued construction expenditures	635	–
Distributions declared but not paid	12	11
Dividends declared but not paid	10,126	7,521

Supplemental disclosure of noncash operating, investing and financing information

Value of in-place leases and above-market leases acquired	\$12,546	\$6,725
Value of below-market leases acquired	933	–
Mortgage notes payable assumed on properties acquired	29,427	–
Mortgage note payable-notional amount repurchased	–	11,000

See notes to consolidated financial statements.

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Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements

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September 30, 2013 (unaudited)

1. Organization and Business

CapLease, Inc. (“CapLease” and collectively with its majority-owned subsidiaries, the “Company”) is a real estate investment trust, or REIT, that primarily owns and manages a diversified portfolio of single tenant commercial real estate properties subject to long-term leases to high credit quality tenants. Many of the properties the Company owns are subject to a net lease, or a lease that requires the tenant to pay all or substantially all property operating expenses, such as utilities, real estate taxes, insurance and routine maintenance.

The Company’s tenants are primarily large public companies or their significant operating subsidiaries and governmental entities with investment grade credit ratings, defined as a published senior unsecured credit rating of BBB-/Baa3 or above from one or both of Standard & Poor’s (“S&P”) and Moody’s Investors Service (“Moody’s”). The Company also implies an investment grade credit rating for tenants that are not publicly rated by S&P or Moody’s but (i) are 100% owned by an investment grade parent, (ii) for which it has obtained a private investment grade rating from either S&P or Moody’s, (iii) for which it has evaluated the creditworthiness of the tenant and estimated a credit rating that is consistent with an investment grade rating from S&P or Moody’s, or (iv) are governmental entity branches or units of another investment grade rated governmental entity.

In addition to its portfolio of owned properties, the Company has a modest portfolio of first mortgage loans and other debt investments on single tenant properties.

The Company has invested in certain owned properties that are leased primarily but not exclusively by one tenant. The Company has also invested in certain owned properties which were previously leased by one tenant but as a result of lease non-renewals have now become multi-tenant properties. The Company expects these types of properties will continue to comprise a portion of its portfolio for the foreseeable future.

CapLease has made an election to qualify, and believes it is operating so as to qualify, as a REIT for federal income tax purposes. As such, it will generally not be subject to federal income tax on that portion of its taxable income that is distributed to stockholders if it distributes at least 90% of its taxable income to its stockholders by prescribed dates and complies with various other requirements.

CapLease conducts its business through a variety of subsidiaries. CapLease owns most of its owned properties through its predecessor and operating partnership, Caplease, LP (the "Operating Partnership"). CapLease is the indirect sole general partner of, and owns approximately 99.8% of the common equity of, the Operating Partnership.

The accompanying consolidated financial statements and related notes of the Company have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States, or GAAP, for interim financial reporting and the instructions to Form 10-Q and Rule 10-01 of Regulation S-X. Accordingly, certain information and footnote disclosures normally included in the financial statements prepared under GAAP have been condensed or omitted. In the opinion of management, all adjustments considered necessary for a fair presentation of the Company's financial position, results of operations and cash flows have been included and are of a normal and recurring nature. The operating results presented for interim periods are not necessarily indicative of the results that may be expected for any other interim period or for the entire year. These financial statements should be read in conjunction with the Company's consolidated financial statements for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2012 and notes thereto, included in the Company's Form 10-K filed with the SEC on February 21, 2013.

2. Merger Agreement

On May 28, 2013, CapLease, and certain subsidiaries of CapLease, including the Operating Partnership, entered into an Agreement and Plan of Merger (the "Merger Agreement") with American Realty Capital Properties, Inc., a Maryland corporation ("ARCP"), ARC Operating Partnership, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership and the operating partnership of ARCP (the "ARCP Operating Partnership"), and Safari Acquisition, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company and wholly owned subsidiary of ARCP ("Merger Sub"). The Merger Agreement provides for (i) the merger of CapLease with and into Merger Sub (the "Merger"), with Merger Sub surviving as a wholly owned subsidiary of ARCP, and (ii) the merger of the Operating Partnership with and into ARCP Operating Partnership, with ARCP Operating Partnership surviving (the "Partnership Merger" and, together with the Merger, the "Mergers"). The Board of Directors of CapLease has unanimously approved the Merger Agreement, the Mergers and the other transactions contemplated by the Merger Agreement, and the holders of CapLease's common stock have approved the Merger and the other transactions contemplated by the Merger Agreement.

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Pursuant to the terms and subject to the conditions set forth in the Merger Agreement, at the effective time of the Merger (the “Effective Time”), each outstanding share of CapLease common stock, other than shares owned by ARCP, CapLease or any of their respective wholly owned subsidiaries, will be converted into the right to receive \$8.50 in cash without interest (the “Common Merger Consideration”). Each outstanding share of CapLease preferred stock, other than shares owned by ARCP, CapLease or any of their respective wholly owned subsidiaries, will be converted into the right to receive an amount in cash, without interest, equal to the sum of \$25.00 plus all accrued and unpaid dividends on such shares up to, but excluding, the closing date of the Merger. The CapLease preferred stock consists of (i) 8.125% Series A Cumulative Redeemable Preferred Stock, (ii) 8.375% Series B Cumulative Redeemable Preferred Stock and (iii) 7.25% Series C Cumulative Redeemable Preferred Stock. In addition, in connection with the Partnership Merger, each outstanding unit of equity ownership of the Operating Partnership other than units owned by CapLease or any wholly owned subsidiary of CapLease will be converted into the right to receive \$8.50 in cash, without interest.

The Merger Agreement provides that, immediately prior to the Effective Time, any outstanding shares of restricted stock held by any employee of the Company on the closing date of the Merger will become fully vested and will have the right to receive the Common Merger Consideration. The Merger Agreement also provides that, immediately prior to the Effective Time, any outstanding performance share unit awards held by any employee of the Company on the closing date of the Merger will become fully earned and settled as to 100% of the target number of shares of CapLease common stock, and all shares of CapLease common stock outstanding as a result of such settlement will have the right to receive the Common Merger Consideration.

3. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Basis of Presentation and Principles of Consolidation

The accompanying consolidated financial statements include the assets, liabilities, and results of operations of the Company. Results of operations of properties acquired are included in the Consolidated Statements of Operations from the date of acquisition. All significant intercompany transactions, balances and accounts have been eliminated in consolidation.

References in these financial statements to the Company's carrying amount or value of an asset or liability means such asset's or liability's book value reported on the Company's Consolidated Balance Sheet in accordance with GAAP.

Accounting for Real Estate

Real estate held for investment is carried on the Company's Consolidated Balance Sheets at historical cost to the Company, less accumulated depreciation, amortization and impairment charges. Depreciation and amortization are determined by the straight-line method over the remaining estimated economic useful lives of the properties. The Company generally depreciates building and building improvements over periods not exceeding 40 years. Direct costs incurred in acquiring completed properties that meet the classification of a business for accounting purposes are charged to operations as incurred. Expenditures for maintenance and repairs of owned properties are also charged to operations as incurred. Significant renovations which extend the useful life of the properties are capitalized.

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The Company reviews its owned real properties for impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount of the asset may not be recoverable. The evaluation includes estimating and reviewing anticipated future undiscounted cash flows to be derived from the asset. If such cash flows are less than the asset's net carrying value, an impairment charge is recognized to earnings to the extent by which the asset's carrying value exceeds the estimated fair value. Estimating future cash flows is highly subjective and includes an evaluation of factors such as the anticipated cash flows from the property, which may include rent from current leases in place and projected future leases, estimated capital expenditures, and an estimate of proceeds to be realized upon sale of the property. The Company's estimates could differ materially from actual results. The Company has determined that the significant inputs used to evaluate its owned properties for impairment primarily rely on Level 3 inputs in accordance with the fair value measurement topic in the applicable accounting guidance as described in Note 8 below. The Company did not recognize any impairment losses on long-lived assets during the nine months ended September 30, 2013. The Company did not recognize any impairment losses on long-lived assets during the nine months ended September 30, 2012, although it did recognize a loss on sale of one real property during the nine months ended September 30, 2012. See Note 7.

Assets and liabilities of properties that meet various held for sale criteria, including that it is probable that a sale will occur within 12 months, are presented separately in the Consolidated Balance Sheets, with assets and liabilities being separately stated. The operating results of properties held for sale and those that have been sold are reflected as discontinued operations in the Consolidated Statements of Operations. Properties that the Company has determined to classify as held for sale are also required to be simultaneously reviewed for impairment and carried on the Company's Consolidated Balance Sheets at the lower of net carrying value or estimated fair value.

The Company is required under GAAP to allocate the purchase price of rental real estate acquired to the following based on estimated fair values on the acquisition date:

acquired tangible assets, consisting of land, building and improvements; and

identified intangible assets and liabilities, consisting of above-market and below-market leases, in-place leases and tenant relationships.

The fair value of tangible and intangible assets acquired is considered to be a Level 3 input in accordance with the fair value measurement topic in the applicable accounting guidance as described in Note 8 below. In estimating the fair value of the tangible and intangible assets acquired, the Company considers information obtained about each property as a result of its due diligence activities and other market data, and utilizes various valuation methods, such as estimated cash flow projections utilizing appropriate discount and capitalization rates, estimates of replacement costs, and available market information. The fair value of the tangible assets of an acquired property considers the value of the property as if it were vacant (the “dark value”).

Above-market and below-market lease values for acquired properties are recorded based on the present value of the difference between (i) the contractual amounts to be paid pursuant to each in-place lease and (ii) management’s estimate of fair market lease rates for each corresponding in-place lease. Fair market lease rates are measured over a period equal to the remaining term of the lease for above-market leases and the initial term plus the term of any below-market rate renewal options for below-market leases. In computing present value, the Company considers the costs which would need to be invested to achieve the fair market lease rates. The Company uses a discount rate which reflects the risks associated with the leases acquired. The capitalized above-market lease values are amortized as a reduction of base rental revenue over the remaining term of the respective leases, and the capitalized below-market lease values are amortized as an increase to base rental revenue over the remaining initial terms plus the terms of any below-market renewal options of the respective leases.

Other intangible assets acquired include amounts for in-place lease values and tenant relationship values which are based on management’s evaluation of the specific characteristics of each tenant’s lease and the Company’s overall relationship with the respective tenant. Factors considered by management in its analysis of in-place lease values include estimates of the dark value of the property, carrying costs during the hypothetical expected time it would take management to find a tenant to lease the space for the existing lease term (a “lease-up period”) considering current market conditions, and costs to execute similar leases. Management estimates carrying costs, including such factors as real estate taxes, insurance and other operating expenses during the expected lease-up period, considering current market conditions and costs to execute similar leases. In estimating costs to execute similar leases, management considers leasing commissions and other related expenses. Characteristics considered by management in estimating the value of tenant relationships include the nature and extent of the Company’s existing business relationships with the tenant, growth prospects for developing new business with the tenant, the tenant’s credit quality and expectations of lease renewals. The value of in-place leases is amortized as a component of depreciation expense over the remaining initial terms of the respective leases. The value of tenant relationship intangibles, if any, is amortized as a component of depreciation expense over the anticipated life of the relationships. Through September 30, 2013, the Company has assigned no value to tenant relationships on any of its acquisitions.

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For property acquisitions where the Company assumes existing mortgage debt, the debt is recorded at its estimated fair value, based on management's estimate of current borrowing rates available for comparable financing. The Company amortizes any discount or premium as part of interest expense on the related debt using the effective interest method.

Development Activities

Project costs and expenses, which include interest expense, associated with the development, construction and lease-up of a real estate project are capitalized as construction in progress. Once the development and construction of the building is substantially completed, the amounts capitalized to construction in progress are transferred to (i) land and (ii) buildings and improvements. As required by GAAP, the Company computes interest expense on the full amount it has invested in the project, whether or not such investment is externally financed.

Loan Investments

The Company classifies its loans as long-term investments, as its strategy is to hold the loans for the foreseeable future or until maturity. Loan investments are carried on the Company's Consolidated Balance Sheet at amortized cost (unpaid principal balance adjusted for unearned discount or premium and loan origination fees), net of any allowance for loan losses. Unearned discounts or premiums and loan origination fees are amortized as a component of interest income using the effective interest method over the life of the loan.

From time to time, the Company may determine to sell a loan in which case it must reclassify the asset as held for sale. Loans held for sale are carried at lower of cost or estimated fair value. The Company did not sell any of its loan investments during the nine months ended September 30, 2013, and, as of September 30, 2013, the Company has not classified any of its loans as held for sale. The Company also did not sell any of its loan investments during the nine months ended September 30, 2012.

The Company evaluates its loan investments for possible impairment on a quarterly basis. The Company's impairment analysis includes both a general reserve component and an asset-specific component. The general reserve component covers performing loans and in accordance with relevant accounting guidance an allowance for loan losses is recorded when (i) available information as of each balance sheet date indicates that it is probable a loss has occurred in the portfolio and (ii) the amount of the loss can be reasonably estimated. Actual loan losses are then charged against the allowance when management believes that uncollectibility of a loan balance is confirmed. Subsequent recoveries, if any, are credited to the allowance. Significant judgment is required in determining reserve balances for the performing loan portfolio, including estimates of the likelihood of default and lease rejection given the credit characteristics of the tenant, and estimates of stressed collateral values and potential bankruptcy claim recoveries. These estimates are highly subjective and could differ materially from actual results. As of September 30, 2013, the Company has a general loan loss reserve of \$500. See Note 5.

The asset-specific component of the loan loss impairment analysis relates to specific loans where the Company has deemed it probable that it will not be able to collect all amounts due according to the contractual terms of the loan. Any resulting loan specific loss is measured based on the present value of expected future cash flows from the loan or the fair value of the loan collateral, if the loan is collateral dependent. Significant judgment is required in determining any resulting loan specific loss, including factors such as the status of the loans (i.e., current or actual or expected payment or other defaults), the credit quality of the underlying tenants, the present value of expected future cash flows on the loans, the fair value of any collateral, and the amount and status of any senior debt. These estimates are highly subjective and could differ materially from actual results. The Company's accounting policy is to continue to accrue interest income on specific impaired loans as long as it concludes it is likely to collect it. As of September 30, 2013, the Company did not have any asset-specific loan loss reserves.

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Commercial Mortgage-Backed Securities

The Company classifies all of its securities investments as “available for sale” for financial accounting purposes. Under GAAP, securities classified as “available for sale” are carried on the Consolidated Balance Sheet at fair value with the net unrealized gains or losses included in Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income (Loss), a component of Stockholders’ Equity on the Company’s Consolidated Balance Sheet.

Any premiums or discounts on securities are amortized as a component of interest income using the effective interest method.

The Company estimates fair value on all securities investments quarterly based on a variety of inputs. Under applicable accounting guidance, securities where the fair value is less than the Company’s cost are deemed “impaired,” and, therefore, must be measured for “other-than-temporary impairment.” If an impaired security (i.e., fair value below cost) is intended to be sold or required to be sold prior to expected recovery of the impairment loss, the full amount of the loss must be charged to earnings as other-than-temporary impairment. Otherwise, impairment losses on the security must be further analyzed for separation into two categories: (i) credit losses and (ii) losses due to factors other than credit. The portion which is considered credit loss is charged to earnings as other-than-temporary impairment. The portion which is due to other factors is not charged to earnings. Also, if the security is classified as available for sale, the non-credit portion of the impairment loss is charged to other comprehensive income (loss), a component of equity on the Company’s Consolidated Balance Sheet.

In estimating credit or other-than-temporary impairment losses, management considers a variety of factors including (1) the financial condition and near-term prospects of the credit, including credit rating of the security and the underlying tenant and an estimate of the likelihood, amount and expected timing of any default, (2) whether the

Company expects to hold the investment for a period of time sufficient to allow for anticipated recovery in fair value, (3) the length of time and the extent to which the fair value has been below cost, (4) current market conditions, (5) expected cash flows from the underlying collateral and an estimate of underlying collateral values, and (6) subordination levels within the securitization pool. These estimates are highly subjective and could differ materially from actual results. The Company had no other-than-temporary impairment losses on securities charged to the Statement of Operations during the nine months ended September 30, 2013. The Company also had no other-than-temporary impairment losses on securities charged to the Statement of Operations during the nine months ended September 30, 2012.

Deferred Fees and Costs

In connection with its leasing efforts, the Company may incur primarily two types of costs: (i) allowances paid to the tenant or on its behalf for the construction of leasehold improvements, or tenant improvement allowances, and (ii) commissions paid to leasing brokers, or leasing commissions. Tenant improvement allowances are initially capitalized as part of "Construction in progress" and then transferred to "Building and improvements" at completion and depreciated on a straight-line basis over periods not exceeding 40 years. Leasing commissions are capitalized as "Deferred leasing costs" (a component of "Other assets" on the Company's Consolidated Balance Sheet) and amortized on a straight-line basis over the term of the related lease.

In accordance with applicable accounting guidance, the Company defers the recognition of fees and expenses associated with the origination of its loans held for investment. These items include lender fee income, rate lock income, direct loan origination costs, certain legal expenses, insurance costs, rating agency fees and certain other expenses. Net deferred fees and costs are presented as an offset to the carrying amount of loans held for investment on the Company's Consolidated Balance Sheet and are recognized as an adjustment to the effective yield over the life of the related asset.

The Company also defers the recognition of expenses associated with the issuance of its debt obligations. These items include placement fees, lender fees, legal expenses, broker fees and certain other expenses. Deferred debt issuance costs are presented as a component of "Other assets" on the Company's Consolidated Balance Sheet and are recognized as an adjustment to the effective financing rate over the term of the related debt obligation. Upon the retirement of the related debt obligation, any unamortized debt issuance costs are charged off as a component of gain or loss on extinguishment of debt.

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Costs incurred in connection with debt obligations that have been modified or restructured are subject to the provisions of FASB ASC 470-50, Debt -- Modification and Extinguishment. If the terms of the modified debt instrument are deemed to be substantially different (i.e., a 10 percent or greater difference in the present value of cash flows between instruments), the original debt is deemed extinguished and all unamortized financing costs associated with the extinguished debt are charged to earnings in the current period. If the cash flows are deemed to be not substantially different, the original debt is deemed modified and the unamortized financing costs and any additional costs between the borrower and lender in connection with the modification are capitalized and amortized into interest expense over the remaining term of the related debt instrument, and other related costs of the modification are expensed.

Risk Management Transactions

The Company may enter into risk management transactions as part of its overall portfolio financing strategy. These transactions are intended to manage the Company's exposure to changes in interest rates associated with its present or expected future debt obligations. As of September 30, 2013, the Company was party to a single risk management transaction to manage its exposure to changes in interest rates under the loan agreement with Bank of Oklahoma which is a floating rate borrowing facility. See Note 13. The Company accounts for the interest rate swap agreement in accordance with FASB ASC Topic 815, Derivatives and Hedging ("Topic 815"). In accordance with Topic 815, the agreement is carried on the Company's Consolidated Balance Sheets at its fair value, as an asset if fair value is positive, or as a liability if fair value is negative. If the interest rate swap is designated as a cash flow hedge, the effective portion of the interest rate swap's change in fair value is reported as a component of Other Comprehensive Income (Loss) on the Company's Consolidated Balance Sheets; the ineffective portion, if any, is recognized directly in earnings. The fixed rate interest rate payments that the Company makes pursuant to the swap agreement are recognized as a component of interest expense on the Company's Consolidated Statements of Operations.

The Company has been party to other risk management transactions in the past and these transactions continue to impact the Company's current results through amortization of the effective portion under GAAP of the realized gains and losses on these transactions into interest expense on the Company's Consolidated Statements of Operations. See Note 13.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

The Company defines cash equivalents as highly liquid investments purchased with maturities of three months or less at date of purchase. From time to time, the Company's account balance held at financial institutions exceeds Federal Depository Insurance Corporation ("FDIC") insurance coverage and, as a result, there is a concentration of credit risk related to the balance on deposit in excess of FDIC insurance coverage. The Company believes that the risk of loss is not significant.

Revenue Recognition

The Company recognizes rental revenue on real estate on a straight-line basis over the non-cancelable term of the lease. The excess of straight-line rents over base rents under the lease is included in "Accrued rental income" on the Company's Consolidated Balance Sheet and any excess of base rents over the straight-line amount is included as "Deferred rental income" on the Company's Consolidated Balance Sheet. The Company's leases also generally require the tenants to pay directly or reimburse the Company for occupancy and operating costs of the properties, or in certain cases reimburse the Company for increases in certain operating costs and real estate taxes above their base year costs. The Company recognizes such income in the period the related expenses are incurred.

Interest income from loans, securities, and structuring fees receivable is recognized on the accrual basis of accounting. Interest income from securities (including interest-only strips) is recognized over the life of the investment using the effective interest method. The cost basis of interest-only strips is adjusted to reflect any prepayments from underlying assets, using the initial yield-to-maturity at the purchase date. The Company has adopted the cost-recovery method, in which all receipts are applied to reduce the Company's cost basis, on a limited number of its securities investments.

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On occasion, the Company may consider a loan to be non-performing and place the loan on non-accrual status when there is sufficient doubt as to the ultimate ability to collect interest on the loan. While on non-accrual status, the loan is accounted for on either a cash basis, in which case interest income is recognized only upon actual receipt, or on a cost-recovery basis based upon management's judgment as to the collectibility of the investment.

Income Taxes

CapLease has made an election to qualify, and believes it is operating so as to qualify, as a REIT for federal income tax purposes. As such, it will generally not be subject to federal income tax on that portion of its taxable income that is distributed to stockholders if it distributes at least 90% of its taxable income to its stockholders by prescribed dates and complies with various other requirements. From time to time, the Company may conduct a portion of its business through a taxable REIT subsidiary ("TRS"), and the income from the activities of the TRS is subject to federal and state taxation at the applicable corporate rates.

Earnings per Share

As required by GAAP, the Company presents both basic and diluted earnings per share ("EPS"). Basic EPS excludes dilution and is computed by dividing net income (loss) allocable to common stockholders by the weighted average number of shares outstanding for the period. Diluted earnings per share reflects the potential dilution that could occur if securities or other contracts to issue common stock were exercised or converted into common stock, where such exercise or conversion would result in a lower EPS amount. For the 2013 periods, the Company's computation of diluted EPS includes 128,900 shares of common stock, which represents the target number of shares of common stock associated with outstanding performance share unit awards. As described in Note 2 above, the performance share unit awards will become fully earned and settled as to 100% of the target number of shares of common stock on the

closing date of the Merger, and all such settled shares will have the right to receive the Common Merger Consideration. The Company's computation of diluted earnings per share does not include shares of common stock that may be issued in the future upon conversion of the convertible senior notes issued in October 2007, as the impact would not be dilutive. The number of weighted average common shares not included was 1,697,595 for each of the three and nine months ended September 30, 2013, and 3,093,759 for each of the three and nine months ended September 30, 2012.

The following summarizes the Company's EPS computations for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2013 and September 30, 2012 (in thousands, except per share amounts):

	For the three months		For the nine months	
	ended September 30,		ended September 30,	
	2013	2012	2013	2012
Net loss allocable to common stockholders	\$(1,513)	\$(1,252)	\$(5,798)	\$(9,689)
Weighted average number of common shares outstanding, basic	88,846	66,767	84,381	66,616
Weighted average number of common shares outstanding, diluted	88,975	66,767	84,510	66,616
Net loss per share, basic	\$(0.02)	\$(0.02)	\$(0.07)	\$(0.15)
Net loss per share, diluted	\$(0.02)	\$(0.02)	\$(0.07)	\$(0.15)
Non-vested shares included in weighted average number of shares outstanding above	1,137	1,520	1,137	1,520

Recently Issued Accounting Pronouncements

In May 2011, the Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") issued new accounting guidance ASU 2011-04, *Amendments to Achieve Common Fair Value Measurement and Disclosure Requirements in U.S. GAAP and IFRSs*, which amends various sections of Accounting Standards Codification ("ASC") 820 and changes the wording used to describe the requirements in U.S. GAAP for measuring fair value and for disclosing information about fair value measurements in order to improve consistency in the application and description of fair value between U.S. GAAP and International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS"). ASU 2011-04 clarifies how the concepts of highest and best use and valuation premise in a fair value measurement are relevant only when measuring the fair value of nonfinancial assets and are not relevant when measuring the fair value of financial assets or of liabilities. In addition, the guidance expanded the disclosures for the unobservable inputs for Level 3 fair value measurements, requiring quantitative information to be disclosed related to (1) the valuation processes used, (2) the sensitivity of the fair value measurement to changes in unobservable inputs and the interrelationships between those unobservable inputs, and (3) use of a nonfinancial asset in a way that differs from the asset's highest and best use. The revised guidance is effective for interim and annual periods beginning after December 15, 2011 and early application by public entities is prohibited. ASU 2011-04 is to be applied prospectively. The Company's adoption of this ASU for the reporting period ended March 31, 2012, as required, did not have a material effect on the Company's consolidated financial statements.

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In June 2011, the FASB issued new accounting guidance ASU 2011-05, *Presentation of Comprehensive Income*, which amends various sections of ASC 220 and allows an entity the option to present the total of comprehensive income, the components of net income, and the components of other comprehensive income either in a single continuous statement of comprehensive income or in two separate but consecutive statements. In both choices, an entity is required to present each component of net income along with total net income, each component of other comprehensive income along with a total for other comprehensive income, and a total amount for comprehensive income. ASU 2011-05 eliminates the option to present the components of other comprehensive income as part of the statement of changes in stockholders' equity. The amendments in ASU 2011-05 do not change the items that must be reported in other comprehensive income or when an item of other comprehensive income must be reclassified to net income. ASU 2011-05 should be applied retrospectively. For public entities, the amendments in ASU 2011-05 are effective for fiscal years, and interim periods within those years, beginning after December 15, 2011. The Company elected early adoption of this ASU for the reporting period ended December 31, 2011, as permitted by the ASU. The Company's adoption of this ASU did not have a material effect on the Company's consolidated financial statements.

In December 2011, the FASB issued new accounting guidance ASU 2011-12, *Deferral of the Effective Date for Amendments to the Presentation of Reclassifications of Items Out of Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income in Accounting Standard Update No. 2011-05*, which amends various sections of ASC 220-10. The amended sections indefinitely defer the effective date of the presentation of reclassification adjustments out of accumulated other comprehensive income on the components of net income and other comprehensive income, which ASU 2011-05 would require. All other requirements of ASU 2011-05 are unaffected by this new guidance. For public entities, the amendments in ASU 2011-12 are effective concurrent with ASU 2011-05, for fiscal years and interim periods within those years, beginning after December 15, 2011. The Company elected to adopt this ASU for the reporting period ended December 31, 2011, as it is required to be adopted concurrently with ASU 2011-05. The Company's adoption of this ASU did not have a material effect on the Company's consolidated financial statements.

In December 2011, the FASB issued new accounting guidance ASU No. 2011-11, *Balance Sheet (ASC Topic 210): Disclosures about Offsetting Assets and Liabilities*. ASU No. 2011-11 creates new disclosure requirements about the nature of an entity's rights of setoff and related arrangements associated with its financial instruments and

derivative instruments. The changes to the ASC as a result of this update are effective for periods beginning on or after January 1, 2013 (January 1, 2013 for the Company) and must be shown retrospectively for all comparative periods presented. The Company's adoption of this ASU for the reporting period ended March 31, 2013, as required, did not have a material effect on the Company's consolidated financial statements.

In December 2011, the FASB issued new accounting guidance ASU No. 2011-10, *Derecognition of in Substance Real Estate – a Scope Clarification*, which amends ASC Topic 360, Property, Plant and Equipment. ASU No. 2011-10 states that when an investor ceases to have a controlling financial interest in an entity that is in-substance real estate as a result of a default on the entity's nonrecourse debt, the investor should apply the guidance under ASC Subtopic 360-20, Property, Plant and Equipment – Real Estate Sales to determine whether to derecognize the entity's assets (including real estate) and liabilities (including the nonrecourse debt). The changes to the ASC as a result of this update are effective prospectively for deconsolidation events occurring during fiscal years, and interim periods within those years, beginning on or after June 15, 2012 (January 1, 2013 for the Company). The Company's adoption of this ASU for the reporting period ended March 31, 2013, as required, did not have a material effect on the Company's consolidated financial statements.

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In July 2012, the FASB issued new accounting guidance ASU 2012-02, *Intangibles – Goodwill and Other (Topic 250): Testing Indefinite-Lived Intangible Assets for Impairment*, which amends various sections of ASC 350. The amendments update guidance with respect to annual impairment testing of indefinite-lived intangible assets. The standards update is effective for annual and interim impairment tests performed for fiscal years beginning after September 15, 2012, and early adoption is permitted. The Company's adoption of this ASU for the reporting period ended March 31, 2013, as required, did not have a material effect on the Company's consolidated financial statements.

In February 2013, the FASB issued new accounting guidance ASU No. 2013-02, *Reporting of Amounts Reclassified Out of Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income*, an amendment to FASB ASC Topic 220. ASU No. 2013-02 requires disclosure of amounts reclassified out of accumulated other comprehensive income by component. In addition, an entity is required to present either on the face of the statement of operations or in the notes, significant amounts reclassified out of accumulated other comprehensive income by the respective line items of net income but only if the amount reclassified is required to be reclassified to net income in its entirety in the same reporting period. For amounts not reclassified in their entirety to net income, an entity is required to cross-reference to other disclosures that provide additional detail about those amounts. This ASU is effective prospectively for fiscal and interim periods beginning after December 15, 2012. The Company's adoption of this ASU for the reporting period ended March 31, 2013, as required, did not have a material effect on the Company's consolidated financial statements.

Reclassifications

Certain prior year amounts have been reclassified to conform to the current presentation. There was no effect on net income (loss) or equity related to these reclassifications.

4. Real Estate Investments

Real estate held for investment and related intangible liabilities consisted of the following at September 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012:

	Sep 30, 2013	Dec 31, 2012
	Unaudited	
Real estate investments:		
Land	\$235,282	\$219,059
Building and improvements	1,544,258	1,410,767
Construction in progress, land	6,426	5,635
Construction in progress, building and improvements	6,651	47,113
Intangible assets	183,939	171,393
Less: Accumulated depreciation and amortization	(349,843)	(312,551)
Real estate investments, net	\$1,626,713	\$1,541,416
Intangible liabilities on real estate investments:		
Intangible liabilities	\$46,884	\$47,908
Less: Accumulated amortization	(14,509)	(14,876)
Intangible liabilities on real estate investments, net	\$32,375	\$33,032

Except for the speculative development project described below, the Company did not make any real estate acquisitions during the quarter ended September 30, 2013. In addition to the speculative development project, the Company also continued to fund the build-to-suit project described below during the quarter ended September 30, 2013.

Leasing Activity

During January 2013, Bob's Stores, LLC, the sole tenant at the Company's 88,420 square foot retail property located in Randolph, Massachusetts, exercised its right to extend the lease for five additional years, until January 31, 2019. The lease extension commences February 1, 2014 and the rental rate is \$9.76 per square foot. The tenant's obligations under the foregoing lease are guaranteed by various subsidiaries of CVS Caremark Corporation.

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During July 2013, the Company entered into a multi-year lease of 19,345 square feet at the multi-tenant office building at 1299 Farnam Street in Omaha, NE.

During August 2013, the Company entered into a one-year lease commencing in November 2013 of the 764,177 square foot warehouse property located in Fort Wayne, IN. The lease is with The Procter & Gamble Manufacturing Company and also includes a tenant option to extend for an additional five years. The annual rental rate during the one year term is \$2.75 per square foot.

Development Activities

During June 2013, the Company entered into an agreement to construct a distribution warehouse in Columbia, SC on a build-to-suit basis for a large private company tenant. The new build-to-suit project has an estimated total investment of \$22,033. Construction activity and funding of the project commenced during June 2013. The Company will fund all of the project costs from cash on hand and other sources of available liquidity.

During August 2013, the Company entered into an agreement with a major Texas-based developer to develop a 150,000 square foot speculative office building in The Woodlands, TX, adjacent to and part of the same development as an existing office building owned by the Company and purchased in 2012. Costs of the project which are budgeted to be \$33,987 are scheduled to be funded by equity contributions from the Company and its developer partner, and \$17,000 of advances during the construction period under a development loan entered into with Amegy Bank. All equity contributions are scheduled to be borne as follows: the Company, 90%; and the developer, 10%; except for cost overruns, which will be borne 50% each. Because the Company has a controlling financial interest in the investment, it consolidates the investment for financial accounting purposes. The Company has an option to purchase, and the developer the option to sell to the Company, in each case at fair market value, the developer's interest in the project

upon (i) substantial completion of the project and (ii) leases being entered into for 95% of the square footage of the project. Construction activity and funding of the project commenced during the quarter ended September 30, 2013. The Company will fund its share of the project costs from cash on hand and other sources of available liquidity.

The table below details the Company's investment in its pending development projects as of September 30, 2013. The information included in the table below represents management's estimates and expectations at September 30, 2013 which are subject to change. The Company's disclosures regarding certain projections or estimates of completion dates may not reflect actual results.

Location	Tenant	Property Type	Approximate Square Feet	Lease Term (years)	Percent Owned	Investment through 9/30/13	Estimated Remaining Investment	Estimated Total Investment	Estimated Completion Date
Columbia, SC	Large private company	Warehouse	450,000	10.5 ⁽¹⁾	100%	\$ 7,426	\$ 14,632	\$ 22,033	Q1 2014
The Woodlands, TX	N/A – speculative development	Office building	150,000	N/A	90%	\$ 5,660	\$ 28,352	\$ 33,987	Q3 2014

(1) The lease is in force and rent and the 10.5 year lease term will commence upon substantial completion of the building.

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The amount of the “Investment” as of September 30, 2013, includes capitalized interest of \$50, including imputed interest on equity funded by the Company in accordance with GAAP of \$25 for the Columbia, SC project and \$25 for The Woodlands, TX project. The “Estimated Remaining Investment” and “Estimated Total Investment” are based on project budgets and therefore do not include any amounts of imputed interest under GAAP.

Straight-Line Rent Adjustment

As described under “Revenue Recognition” in Note 2 above, the Company recognizes rental revenue from its owned properties on a straight-line basis as required by relevant accounting guidance. The impact of the straight-line rent adjustment on rental revenue is recorded on the Company’s Consolidated Balance Sheet through accrued rental income. Amounts for accrued rental income as of September 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012, were as follows:

	Sep 30, 2013 Unaudited	Dec 31, 2012
Accrued Rental Income	\$ 33,708	\$35,144

Accrued rental income is included in “Other assets” on the Company’s Consolidated Balance Sheet. See Note 9.

Depreciation and Amortization Expense

Depreciation expense and amortization of intangible assets and liabilities on real estate investments for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2013 and September 30, 2012, were as follows:

	For the three months		For the nine months	
	ended September 30,		ended September 30,	
	2013	2012	2013	2012
Depreciation on real estate (included in depreciation and amortization expense)	\$9,803	\$8,574	\$28,257	\$24,930
Amortization of in-place leases (included in depreciation and amortization expense)	2,946	3,479	8,746	10,653
Amortization of above-market leases (included as a reduction of rental revenue)	114	319	290	1,027
Amortization of below-market leases (included as an increase to rental revenue)	512	547	1,591	1,640

As of September 30, 2013, the Company's weighted average amortization period on intangible assets was 7.5 years, and the weighted average amortization period on intangible liabilities was 24.5 years.

Scheduled amortization on existing intangible assets and liabilities on real estate investments as of September 30, 2013, was as follows:

	Intangible Assets	Intangible Liabilities
3 months ending December 31, 2013	\$ 3,060	\$ 512
2014	12,239	2,048
2015	11,580	1,772
2016	9,994	1,707
2017	7,284	1,525
Thereafter	27,281	24,812
Total	\$ 71,436	\$ 32,375

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Owned Property Investment and Financing Strategy

Nearly all of the Company's owned properties are subject to financing and have been pledged as collateral to the Company's lender that has provided the applicable financing. Many of these properties are owned and financed on a long-term basis with fixed rate, non-recourse debt. Each property is owned through a separate and distinct special purpose entity, or SPE, with the property and the related lease or leases on the property generally representing the sole assets of the SPE and the sole collateral available to the Company's lender in the event the Company defaults on the debt that finances the property. Also see Note 10. Certain of the Company's owned properties are pledged to Wells Fargo Bank, N.A., as lender under the revolving credit agreement described at Note 10, to secure the Company's borrowings from time to time outstanding thereunder. These properties are otherwise unencumbered and the related debt can be repaid and the lender's lien released at any time without payment of a penalty or premium to the lender.

5. Loans Held for Investment

Loans held for investment at September 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012, are summarized in the following table. These investments consist predominantly of mortgage loans on properties subject to leases to investment grade tenants. As of September 30, 2013, the weighted average credit rating of the underlying tenants was BBB+ from Standard & Poor's. As of September 30, 2013, none of the Company's loans held for investment were on non-accrual status or past due 90 days or more.

Sep 30,	Dec 31,
2013	2012

	Unaudited	
Principal	\$ 28,099	\$ 31,329
Discount	(3,703)	(3,797)
Cost basis	24,396	27,532
Allowance for loan losses	(500)	(500)
Carrying amount of loans	23,896	27,032
Deferred origination fees, net	(57)	(60)
Total	\$ 23,839	\$ 26,972

As of September 30, 2013, the Company's loan investments carried interest rates ranging from 5.28% to 7.24%. As of December 31, 2012, the Company's loan investments carried interest rates ranging from 5.28% to 9.32%. During May 2013, the mortgage loan on the property in Wilmington, DE leased to Hercules Incorporated matured and was paid in full. At September 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012, the weighted average effective interest rate on the Company's loan investments, as measured against its cost basis, was 6.6% and 6.9%, respectively.

The Company's loan portfolio is comprised primarily of fully amortizing or nearly fully amortizing first mortgage loans on commercial real estate leased to a single tenant. Payments of debt service on the Company's loans is, in substantially all cases, funded directly by rent payments paid into a lockbox account by the underlying tenant. Therefore, the Company's monitoring of the credit quality of its loans held for investment is focused primarily on an analysis of the tenant, including review of tenant credit ratings (including changes in ratings) and other measures of tenant credit quality, trends in the tenant's industry and general economic conditions, and an analysis of measures of collateral coverage, such as an estimate of the loan's loan-to-value (LTV) ratio (principal amount outstanding divided by estimated value of the property) and its remaining term until maturity.

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The following table is a summary of the Company's loans held for investment by credit category with the credit ratings of the underlying tenants presented as of each applicable balance sheet date:

Credit rating (1)	Carry Value	
	9/30/13	12/31/12
	(unaudited)	
Investment grade rating of A- or A3 and above	\$5,247	\$5,301
Investment grade rating of below A- or A3	19,149	19,761
Non-investment grade rating	-	2,470
General loan loss reserve	(500)	(500)
	\$23,896	\$27,032

(1) Reflects the underlying tenant's or lease guarantor's actual or implied senior unsecured credit rating from S&P or equivalent rating if rated only by Moody's.

As of September 30, 2013, the Company has a general loan loss reserve of \$500, reflecting management's estimate of losses that have probably occurred in its mortgage loan portfolio. The loan loss reserve was established at December 31, 2008, and to date the Company has not had any actual losses charged against the allowance.

During the nine months ended September 30, 2012, the Company received net proceeds of \$709 in satisfaction of the outstanding balance of its loan to the franchise lending venture. The amount received is included in "Gain on investment" in the Company's Consolidated Statements of Operations. The Company previously recorded aggregate losses of \$1,432 related to this investment, including \$444 during the quarter ended June 30, 2009 and \$988 during the quarter ended June 30, 2011.

6. Commercial Mortgage-Backed Securities

As of September 30, 2013, the Company classifies all of its commercial mortgage-backed securities as “available for sale” for financial accounting purposes and carries those securities on the Consolidated Balance Sheet at fair value with the net unrealized gains or losses included in Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income (Loss), a component of Stockholders’ Equity on the Company’s Consolidated Balance Sheet.

A detailed schedule of the Company’s securities investments at each of September 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012 follows:

Description	Face Amount (1)		Cost Basis		Fair Value	
	Sep 30, 2013	Dec 31, 2012	Sep 30, 2013	Dec 31, 2012	Sep 30, 2013	Dec 31, 2012
	Unaudited		Unaudited		Unaudited	
Certificated Mortgage Loan (with Alcatel-Lucent USA Inc. as tenant in Highlands Ranch, CO) (rated B-)	\$22,286	\$23,487	\$22,502	\$23,741	\$21,471	\$21,675
Certificated Mortgage Loan (with CVS Corporation as tenant / multi-property) (rated BBB+)	15,703	16,216	15,703	16,216	17,060	18,689
Certificated Mortgage Loan (with Koninklijke Ahold, N.V. as tenant / multi-property) (rated BBB)	5,687	6,546	5,739	6,616	6,369	7,534
BACM 2006-4, Class H (rated D)	4,000	4,000	–	–	100	60
BACMS 2002-2, Class V-1 (7-Eleven, Inc.) (rated AA-)	761	714	683	625	683	625
BACMS 2002-2, Class V-2 (Sterling Jewelers) (not rated)	1,162	1,090	1,020	933	1,021	935
CALFS 1997-CTL1, Class D (rated B-)	1,613	2,550	1,613	2,550	1,533	2,423
CMLBC 2001-CMLB-1, Class H (rated B-)	11,907	11,907	7,476	7,321	7,144	5,954
CMLBC 2001-CMLB-1, Class J (rated D)	6,383	6,383	101	362	1,277	1,213
NLFC 1999-LTL-1, Class X (IO) (rated AAA)	3,097	3,474	3,097	3,474	3,117	3,210
Total	\$72,598	\$76,368	\$57,933	\$61,838	\$59,774	\$62,318

(1) Reflects face amount, or, in the case of the NLFC 1999-LTL-1 Class X (IO) bond, amortized cost.

All credit ratings in the above table are as of September 30, 2013.

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The Company evaluated each of its securities for other-than-temporary impairment at September 30, 2013, and determined that no other-than-temporary impairment charges on its securities were appropriate.

Unrealized gains and losses on securities at September 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012, included as a component of Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income (Loss) on the Company's Consolidated Balance Sheet, consisted of the following, and did not include any other-than-temporary impairment charges:

	Sep 30, 2013 Unaudited	Dec 31, 2012
Unrealized gains on securities available for sale	\$ 3,284	\$4,304
Unrealized losses on securities available for sale	(1,443)	(3,824)

The following table summarizes the Company's securities in an unrealized loss position as of September 30, 2013.

	Aggregate Fair Value	Aggregate Unrealized Loss	Number of Securities
In unrealized loss position 12 or more consecutive months	\$ 30,148	\$ 1,443	3

The credit rating on all 3 securities in a continuous unrealized loss position for more than 12 months as of September 30, 2013, was B- and those securities have a weighted average maturity of approximately 6.0 years. The Company believes that none of the unrealized losses on investment securities are other-than-temporary because management expects the Company will receive all contractual principal and interest related to these investments. In addition, the Company did not have the intent to sell the securities or believe it would be required to sell them as of September 30, 2013.

At September 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012, the weighted average effective interest rate (yield to maturity on adjusted cost basis) on securities was approximately 8.8% and 8.4%, respectively.

7. Assets Sold and Discontinued Operations

Nine Months Ended September 30, 2013

The Company did not sell any assets during the nine months ended September 30, 2013, and has not classified any assets as held for sale as of September 30, 2013.

Nine Months Ended September 30, 2012

The Company sold the following investments during the nine months ended September 30, 2012:

During July, the Company sold two securities investments. The \$2,379 face amount of Class A bonds and \$2,000 face amount of Class B bonds in the CapLease 2005 CDO transaction were sold for total sales proceeds of \$3,744, and the Company recognized a gain on investment during the quarter ended September 30, 2012 of \$300. The gain is included as a component of "Gain on investment" in the Company's Consolidated Statement of Operations. The aggregate carrying amount of the securities sold was \$3,444 as of June 30, 2012.

During June, the Company sold the vacant Johnston, Rhode Island property to the former tenant at the building. As part of the sale, the Company also settled its litigation with the former tenant regarding its end-of-lease surrender obligations. The Company sold the property for a cash purchase price of \$9,750, before transaction expenses. The Company recognized a loss on such sale during the nine months ended September 30, 2012, of \$15,229. The loss is included as a component of discontinued operations under the caption "Loss on investment" on the Company's Consolidated Statement of Operations. The operating results of the sold property have been reclassified as a

component of discontinued operations for all periods presented.

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8. Fair Value

The Company is required to disclose fair value information about all of its financial instruments (as defined under prevailing accounting guidance), whether or not these instruments are measured at fair value on the Company's Consolidated Balance Sheet. Under such guidance, substantially all of the Company's assets and liabilities other than its owned property investments are classified as financial instruments.

The Company estimates that the fair values of cash and cash equivalents, other assets, accounts payable and other liabilities, and dividends and distributions payable approximate their carrying values due to the short-term maturities of these items.

The carrying amounts, notional or face amounts and estimated fair values of the Company's other financial instruments (as defined under GAAP) at September 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012, are as follows:

	Carrying Amount		Notional Amount		Estimated Fair Value	
	9/30/2013	12/31/2012	9/30/2013	12/31/2012	9/30/2013	12/31/2012
	Unaudited		Unaudited		Unaudited	
Assets:						
Loans held for investment	\$23,896	\$27,032	\$28,099	\$31,329	\$26,483	\$31,303
Commercial mortgage-backed securities	59,774	62,318	72,598	76,368	59,774	62,318
Liabilities:						
Mortgages on real estate investments	\$995,326	\$1,012,075	\$994,326	\$1,010,754	\$1,039,454	\$1,072,963
Credit agreements	128,899	67,655	128,899	67,655	128,899	67,655
Secured term loan	60,654	72,417	60,654	72,417	61,538	68,750

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Convertible senior notes	19,210	19,210	19,210	19,210	19,208	19,202
Other long-term debt	30,930	30,930	30,930	30,930	26,775	29,736
Derivative liabilities	45	–	30,853	–	45	–

The fair values indicated above are indicative of the interest rate and credit spread environment as of September 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012, respectively, and may not take into consideration the effects of subsequent changes in interest rates, credit spreads and ratings of the underlying tenants on the related leases. The methodologies used and key assumptions made to estimate fair values are as follows:

Loans held for investment— The fair value of the Company’s fixed-rate loan portfolio is estimated with a discounted cash flow analysis, utilizing scheduled cash flows and discount rates estimated by management to approximate those that a willing buyer and seller might use.

Commercial mortgage-backed securities— The fair values of the securities reflect management’s best estimate and require a considerable amount of judgment and assumptions. Management evaluates a variety of inputs and then estimates fair value based on those inputs. The primary inputs evaluated by management are broker quotations, collateral values, subordination levels, and liquidity of the security.

Credit agreements— Management believes that the stated interest rate (which floats based on short-term interest rates) approximates market rates (when compared to similar credit facilities with similar credit risk). As such, the fair value of these obligations is estimated to be equal to the outstanding principal amount.

Mortgages on real estate investments and secured term loan — The fair value of mortgages payable on real estate investments and the secured term loan is estimated using a discounted cash flow analysis, based on management’s estimates of market interest rates. For mortgages where the Company has an early prepayment right, management also considers the prepayment amount to evaluate the fair value.

Convertible senior notes —The fair value is estimated using a discounted cash flow analysis, based on management’s estimates of market interest rates, and indications of market yields, where available.

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Other long-term debt— The fair value of the Company's other long-term debt is estimated using a discounted cash flow analysis, based on management's estimates of market interest rates.

Derivative liabilities— This instrument represents a hedging and risk management transaction involving an interest rate swap. It has been valued by reference to market quotations and counterparty credit risks.

On January 1, 2008, the Company adopted accounting guidance (codified at FASB ASC 820) that defines fair value, establishes a framework for measuring fair value under GAAP, and expands disclosures about fair value measurements. The guidance does not impose any new requirements around which assets and liabilities are to be measured at fair value, and instead applies to asset and liability balances required or permitted to be measured at fair value under existing accounting pronouncements.

The guidance applies principally to the Company's securities investments, all of which are classified as available for sale for accounting purposes and, as such, are measured at fair value on a recurring basis on the Company's financial statements. The guidance also applies to the Company's derivative transactions which, as of September 30, 2013, comprised a single interest rate swap transaction that the Company entered into during the nine months ended September 30, 2013. See Note 13.

FASB ASC 820 establishes a valuation hierarchy based on the transparency of inputs used in the valuation of an asset or liability. Classification is based on the lowest level of inputs that is significant to the fair value measurement. The valuation hierarchy contains three levels:

Level 1 – Quoted prices are available in active markets for identical assets or liabilities at the reporting date.

As of September 30, 2013, the Company has not classified any of its securities or its one outstanding derivative transaction as Level 1.

Level 2 – Pricing inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable for substantially the full term of the asset or liability. Level 2 assets include quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in active markets; quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities that are not active; and inputs other than quoted prices that are observable, such as models or other valuation methodologies.

As of September 30, 2013, the Company has classified three securities in total as Level 2: two certificated mortgage loans (one with CVS Corporation as underlying tenant and the other with Koninklijke Ahold, N.V. as underlying tenant) and its sole remaining generic commercial mortgage-backed security investment (BACM 2006-4, Class H), as Level 2.

The majority of the inputs used to estimate the fair value of the Company's derivatives fall within Level 2 of the fair value hierarchy. The Company does utilize credit valuation adjustments in estimating the fair value of derivatives, and such credit valuation adjustments utilize Level 3 inputs, such as estimates of current credit spreads to evaluate the likelihood of default by itself and its counterparties. However, as of September 30, 2013, the Company assessed the significance of the impact of the credit valuation adjustments on the overall valuation of its derivative positions and determined that the credit valuation adjustments are not significant to the overall valuation of the derivatives. Therefore, the Company has also classified its one outstanding derivative transaction as of September 30, 2013, as Level 2 in the fair value hierarchy.

Level 3 – Inputs reflect management's best estimate of what market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability at the measurement date. These valuations require a considerable amount of judgment and assumptions.

As of September 30, 2013, the Company has classified all of its securities that are backed primarily by single tenant loan collateral, other than the CVS and Ahold backed certificated loans discussed above, as Level 3. The valuation technique utilized by management is a discounted cash flow analysis. Management evaluates a variety of inputs to estimate the applicable discount rate. The primary inputs evaluated by management in estimating the discount rate are broker quotations (observable), collateral values (observable), subordination levels (observable), and liquidity of the security (unobservable). These inputs are the factors employed by management and to its knowledge other parties in determining where to price actual transactions. The Company's securities available for sale that are classified as Level 3 are unique in that in most cases the Company owns the entire bond class. As a result, the broker quotes obtained by the Company reflect expected pricing rather than actual trades and may also reflect transactions in inactive markets. Therefore, the Company believes Level 3 is the appropriate classification in the fair value hierarchy for the Company's available for sale securities.

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The table below presents the fair value of the Company's securities investments and the fair value of the outstanding derivative transaction as of September 30, 2013, aggregated by the level in the fair value hierarchy within which those measurements fall.

	Quoted Prices in	Active Markets for Identical Assets and Liabilities (Level 1)	Significant Other Observable Inputs (Level 2)	Significant Unobservable Inputs (Level 3)	Balance at September 30,2013
Assets					
Securities available for sale	\$	–	\$ 23,529	\$ 36,245	\$ 59,774
Liabilities					
Derivative liabilities	\$	–	\$ 45	\$ –	\$ 45

A 50 basis point (or 0.50%) change in the discount rate utilized to estimate fair value would result in a change in the fair value of securities that are classified as Level 3 of approximately \$744 as of September 30, 2013.

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The following table summarizes the change in the fair value for Level 3 items for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2013 and September 30, 2012:

	Three months ended September 30,		Nine months ended September 30,	
<u>Securities available for sale</u>	2013	2012	2013	2012
Beginning balance	\$35,021	\$37,246	\$36,034	\$32,829
Gains (losses) included in net income (loss):				
Included in interest income	84	72	264	228
Gains (losses) included in other comprehensive income	1,480	544	2,724	6,713
Purchases, sales, issuances and settlements (net)	(340)	(4,081)	(2,777)	(5,989)
Transfers in (out) of Level 3	—	—	—	—
Ending balance	\$36,245	\$33,781	\$36,245	\$33,781

9. Other Assets

Other assets as of September 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012, consisted of the following:

Sep 30,	Dec 31,
2013	2012

	Unaudited	
Receivables and accrued interest	\$ 9,630	\$8,713
Prepaid expenses and deposits	2,035	1,798
Mortgage lender reserve accounts	28,861	30,758
Restricted cash	402	413
Amounts held by servicer	1,053	932
Accrued rental income	33,708	35,144
Debt issuance costs, net	5,492	5,775
Deferred leasing costs, net	6,559	4,699
Investment in statutory trust	930	930
Other	764	398
Total	\$ 89,434	\$89,560

Mortgage lender reserve accounts represent cash on deposit with the lender on the Company's owned properties to fund future debt service or other future property related costs such as taxes and insurance, repairs and maintenance, tenant improvement allowances and other re-tenanting costs.

10. Debt Obligations

Credit Agreements

Credit Agreement with Wells Fargo Bank, N.A.

During June 2012, the Company entered into a senior secured revolving credit agreement with Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. The agreement authorizes the Company to borrow up to \$100,000 from time to time from Wells Fargo Bank. This credit agreement is the Company's primary short-term borrowing facility.

During June 2013, the Company entered into an amendment to the credit agreement with Wells Fargo Bank. The amendment temporarily increases the Company's aggregate borrowing capacity under the revolving credit agreement to up to \$150,000 (from up to \$100,000). The additional \$50,000 in aggregate borrowing capacity will remain available to the Company until December 21, 2013, provided that the Company may extend the increased capacity for an additional six months until June 21, 2014, subject to the payment of an extension fee and the satisfaction of certain other routine conditions.

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The credit agreement with Wells Fargo is for a three year term scheduled to mature on June 28, 2015, although the Company has an option to extend the term for one additional year subject to the payment of an extension fee and the satisfaction of certain other routine conditions. The Company is obligated to pay interest on its borrowings pursuant to the agreement at a floating rate of LIBOR plus 275 basis points. The Company may select a one month, three month or six month interest period for its LIBOR-based borrowings.

As of September 30, 2013, the collateral pool consisted of 21 real properties: the 11 Kroger grocery store properties the Company owns located in GA, TN and KY, the two multi-tenant properties the Company owns in Omaha, NE, the property the Company owns in Columbus, OH leased to Abbott Laboratories, the property the Company owns in Bloomington, IN leased to Baxter International, Inc., the property the Company owns in Louisville, KY leased to Michelin North America, Inc., the two properties the Company owns in Englewood, CO (one leased to Comcast Corporation and the other to Pulte Mortgage LLC), the property the Company owns in Plano, TX leased to Capital One Financial Corporation, the property the Company owns in Ashland, VA leased to Vitamin Shoppe Industries Inc. and the property the Company owns in Malvern, PA leased to Teva Pharmaceuticals Industries Limited. Advance rates on these properties are generally equal to 60% or 65%, depending on the property, of the lender's as-is appraised value. The Company is authorized to add additional real estate properties to the collateral pool over time subject to the lender's approval of the property, and the Company has done so and expects to continue to do so as it adds additional real estate properties and as mortgage debt matures on properties the Company currently owns. The Company is also authorized to remove assets provided it repays any associated borrowings at par.

The Company's borrowings are a recourse obligation, and CapLease has guaranteed all obligations of its various subsidiaries that act as borrowers under the agreement and own the real property that comprises the initial collateral pool.

The Company made various customary representations and warranties and affirmative and negative covenants pursuant to the credit agreement, and agreed to various customary events of defaults. The Company also agreed to

various financial covenants which it is required to be in compliance with during the term of the credit agreement. The principal financial covenants are as follows:

Maximum Leverage: The Company's total indebtedness divided by the capitalized value of its portfolio based on an 8.0% capitalization rate may not exceed 77% initially and declining to 70% over the agreement term.

Minimum Fixed Charge Coverage: The Company's adjusted EBITDA (as defined in the credit agreement) divided by its fixed charges (basically interest expense, principal payments, net of principal received, and preferred dividends) may not be less than 100% initially increasing to 105% over the agreement term. For this purpose, EBITDA excludes non-recurring gains and losses and stock-based compensation and is adjusted to remove the impact of straight-line rents.

Minimum Debt Yield: The Company's total net operating income (as defined in the credit agreement) divided by total liabilities may not be less than 9% initially increasing to 9.75% over the agreement term. For this purpose, total net operating income includes interest income on the Company's loans and securities and rental revenues are adjusted to remove the impact of straight-line rents.

Minimum Interest Coverage Ratio: The Company's adjusted EBITDA divided by interest expense may not be less than 140% initially increasing to 150% over the agreement term.

Minimum Tangible Net Worth: The Company's tangible net worth (basically stockholders' equity before accumulated depreciation and amortization) may not be less than 85% of such tangible net worth as of June 29, 2012 plus 80% of net proceeds of any future equity issuances.

Maximum Dividends: Cash dividends to CapLease shareholders may not exceed the greater of (i) the amount required to maintain REIT status and avoid the payment of income or excise tax and (ii) 95% of adjusted funds from operations (as defined in the credit agreement). For this purpose, funds from operations excludes non-recurring gains and losses.

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As of September 30, 2013, the Company was in compliance with the above financial covenants.

Credit Agreement with KeyBank N.A.

During October 2012, the Company entered into a senior secured credit agreement with KeyBank National Association, pursuant to which KeyBank made a \$10,000 term loan to the Company. The proceeds of the term loan were utilized to repay in full and terminate a predecessor senior secured credit agreement with Wells Fargo Bank, N.A., entered into in July 2010.

The credit agreement with KeyBank is for a three year term scheduled to mature on October 12, 2015, although the Company has two successive options to extend the maturity date, in each case for one additional year, subject to the payment of an extension fee and the satisfaction of certain other routine conditions. The Company is obligated to pay interest on its borrowings pursuant to the agreement at a floating rate of LIBOR plus 300 basis points. The Company may select a one month, two month or three month interest period for its LIBOR-based borrowings.

The collateral pool consists principally of fully amortizing mortgage notes on various real properties owned by the Company. Debt service on those notes is funded directly by rent paid by the tenant, and is expected to fully amortize the outstanding principal balance of the KeyBank loan over the loan term.

The Company's borrowings are a recourse obligation, and CapLease has guaranteed all obligations of its subsidiary that acts as borrower under the agreement and owns the notes that comprise the collateral pool.

The Company made various customary representations and warranties and affirmative and negative covenants pursuant to the credit agreement, and agreed to various customary events of defaults. The Company also agreed to various financial covenants which it is required to be in compliance with during the term of the credit agreement. The financial covenants, as well as the representations and warranties, affirmative and negative covenants, and events of default, closely conform to those included in the Company's senior secured credit agreement with Wells Fargo described above.

As of September 30, 2013, the Company was in compliance with the financial covenants under the KeyBank credit agreement.

Borrowings and collateral carry values related to the Company's credit agreements as of September 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012, were as follows:

	At September 30, 2013		At December 31, 2012	
	Collateral		Collateral	
	Borrowings	Carry	Borrowings	Carry
	Value	Value	Value	Value
	Unaudited	Unaudited		
<u>Wells Fargo Bank Credit Agreement</u>				
Owned properties	\$121,000	\$247,101	\$58,056	\$133,530
<u>KeyBank Credit Agreement</u>				
Loans held for investment	1,347	2,150	1,414	2,277
Intercompany mortgage loans on CapLease properties	4,929	7,179	6,410	9,765
Commercial mortgage-backed securities	1,622	3,117	1,776	3,210
Total	\$128,898	\$259,547	\$67,656	\$148,782

For the three and nine months ended September 30, 2013 and September 30, 2012, the following interest rates applied with respect to the Company's credit agreement borrowings:

	For the three months		For the nine months	
	ended September 30,		ended September 30,	
	2013	2012	2013	2012
	(unaudited)	(unaudited)	(unaudited)	(unaudited)

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Weighted average effective financing rate	3.9 %	4.9 %	3.9 %	4.2 %
One-Month LIBOR rate	0.18 %	0.24 %	0.20 %	0.25 %

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Mortgage Notes on Real Estate Investments

The Company has financed many of its owned real properties with first mortgage debt. The Company's mortgage notes payable are summarized in the following table:

Property Description	Sep 30, 2013		Dec 31, 2012		Coupon	Effective		
	Face	Carry	Face	Carry		Financing Rate	Maturity Date	(1)
	Amount of Debt Unaudited	Value of Debt Unaudited	Amount of Debt	Value of Debt				
Abbott Laboratories, Waukegan, IL	\$13,753	\$13,753	\$14,056	\$14,056	5.11	% 5.2	% Aug 2015	
Aetna Life Insurance Company, Fresno, CA	16,043	16,043	16,043	16,043	5.63	% 5.7	% Dec 2016	
Allstate Insurance Company, Charlotte, NC	18,926	18,926	19,156	19,156	5.68	% 5.7	% Jan 2016	
Allstate Insurance Company, Roanoke, VA	20,149	20,149	20,394	20,394	5.68	% 5.8	% Jan 2016	
AMEC plc, Houston, TX	15,820	16,060	15,977	16,284	5.85	% 5.3	% Apr 2016	
Aon Corporation, Glenview, IL	56,043	56,043	57,522	57,522	5.23	% 5.8	% Nov 2014	
AT&T Services, Inc./MetroPCS Communications, Inc., Richardson, TX	20,306	20,306	20,546	20,546	4.60	% 4.8	% Jun 2022	
Becton, Dickinson and Company, San Antonio, TX	10,000	10,000	–	–	3.95	% 4.2	% Apr 2023	
Breinigsville, PA (Nestle); Fort Wayne, IN (Vacant); and Lathrop, CA (Del Monte)	105,287	105,287	105,305	105,305	6.32	% 6.8	% Feb 2014	
	6,262	6,262	6,262	6,262	5.45	% 5.6	%	

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Bunge North America, Inc., Fort Worth, TX								May 2017
Cadbury Holdings Limited, Whippany, NJ	31,287	31,287	31,848	31,848	5.26	%	5.3	% Mar 2015
Cadbury Holdings Limited, Whippany, NJ	834	834	1,227	1,227	5.26	%	6.5	% Mar 2015
Capital One Financial Corporation, Plano, TX	–	–	18,767	18,767	5.24	%	5.3	% N/A
Choice Hotels International, Inc., Silver Spring, MD	–	–	25,189	25,189	5.30	%	5.3	% N/A
Cimarex Energy Company, Tulsa, OK	30,853	30,853	17,688	17,688	LIBOR+275	Floats		Jul 2018
Con-Way Freight, Inc., Ann Arbor, MI	29,488	29,305	–	–	4.00	%	4.1	% Sep 2022
Cooper Tire & Rubber Company, Franklin, IN	17,090	17,090	17,355	17,355	5.54	%	5.8	% May 2021
County of Yolo, California, Woodland, CA	10,332	10,332	10,332	10,332	5.68	%	5.8	% Feb 2017
Crozer-Keystone Health System, Ridley Park, PA	2,417	2,417	2,662	2,662	5.40	%	6.0	% Apr 2019
CVS Caremark Corporation, Randolph, MA	7,018	7,018	7,275	7,275	5.40	%	6.4	% Jan 2014
Exelis, Inc. (formerly ITT Corporation), Herndon, VA	38,356	38,356	39,014	39,014	5.33	%	5.4	% Jun 2015
Exelis, Inc. (formerly ITT Corporation), Herndon, VA	1,613	1,613	2,233	2,233	5.33	%	6.4	% Jun 2015
Farmers Group, Inc., Simi Valley, CA	25,620	25,620	25,620	25,620	5.81	%	5.9	% Jan 2017
Farmers New World Life Insurance Company, Mercer Island, WA	29,259	29,259	29,538	29,538	5.69	%	5.7	% Jan 2016
General Motors Financial Company, Inc., Arlington, TX	25,700	25,545	26,128	25,947	5.28	%	5.5	% Sep 2017
Invesco Holding Co. Ltd., Denver, CO	43,700	43,700	43,700	43,700	6.03	%	6.1	% Jul 2016
Johnson Controls, Inc., Largo, FL	16,200	16,200	16,200	16,200	5.48	%	5.5	% Jan 2017
Koninklijke Ahold, N.V., Levittown, PA	13,404	13,404	13,588	13,588	6.05	%	6.1	% Jul 2016
Lowes Companies, Inc., Aliso Viejo, CA	40,193	40,193	40,681	40,681	5.10	%	5.4	% Jul 2015
Lowes Companies, Inc., New Orleans, LA	8,117	8,689	8,330	8,938	5.57	%	4.8	% Aug 2030
Lowes Companies, Inc., New Orleans, LA	7,259	7,634	7,454	7,854	5.32	%	4.7	% Aug 2030
Lowes Companies, Inc., New Orleans, LA	410	449	420	462	5.93	%	4.8	% Aug 2030
Omnicom Group, Inc., Irving, TX	–	–	12,144	12,144	5.24	%	5.3	% N/A
Pearson Plc., Lawrence, KS	15,236	15,236	15,404	15,404	5.84	%	6.0	% May 2016

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Praxair, Inc., The Woodlands, TX	22,440	22,440	22,440	22,440	3.70	%	3.9	% Aug 2022
Tiffany & Co., Parsippany, NJ	56,000	56,000	56,655	56,655	5.33	%	5.3	% Oct 2015
Time Warner Cable Enterprises LLC, Milwaukee, WI	17,500	17,500	17,500	17,500	5.55	%	5.6	% Dec 2016
Time Warner Cable Enterprises LLC, Milwaukee, WI	1,819	1,819	1,991	1,991	6.18	%	6.8	% Dec 2016
Time Warner Cable Enterprises LLC, Milwaukee, WI	1,464	1,464	1,910	1,910	5.83	%	6.8	% Dec 2015
TJX Companies, Inc., Philadelphia, PA	67,537	67,537	68,118	68,118	5.57	%	5.6	% Mar 2016
T-Mobile USA, Inc., Nashville, TN	10,336	10,336	10,456	10,456	5.59	%	5.7	% Dec 2016
United States Government (DEA), Birmingham, AL	10,615	10,615	10,751	10,751	5.23	%	5.4	% Sep 2015
United States Government (EPA), Kansas City, KS	17,216	17,216	18,180	18,180	3.23	%	3.8	% Mar 2023
United States Government (FBI), Albany, NY	10,137	10,137	10,137	10,137	5.50	%	5.7	% Nov 2016
United States Government (FBI), Birmingham, AL	17,719	17,719	17,946	17,946	5.23	%	5.3	% Sep 2015
United States Government (NIH), N. Bethesda, MD	54,996	54,996	56,281	56,281	5.32	%	5.6	% Sep 2015
United States Government (SSA), Austin, TX	5,069	5,069	5,134	5,134	5.23	%	5.5	% Sep 2015
United States Government (VA), Ponce, PR	2,812	2,853	3,367	3,428	7.30	%	6.4	% Apr 2016
Walgreen Co., Portsmouth, VA	2,166	2,237	2,306	2,390	7.20	%	6.2	% Jul 2018
WorleyParsons Limited, Houston, TX	19,525	19,525	19,525	19,525	4.00	%	4.3	% Jan 2023
Total	\$994,326	\$995,326	\$1,010,754	\$1,012,075				

(1) The effective financing rate is the Company's approximate borrowing cost, including the effect of hedge gains or losses and other deferred financing costs associated with the related borrowing.

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During August 2012, the Company extended the mortgage debt on the Breinigsville, PA, Lathrop, CA and Fort Wayne, IN properties for up to five years inclusive of one 18-month extension option and two one year extension options. The face amount of the note and the note coupon of 6.32% were not modified by the extension. Pursuant to the extension option provisions of the note, the Company may not extend the loan maturity date beyond August 2015 unless it has fully leased the Fort Wayne, IN property. The extension option rights if exercised also require the Company to make the following principal payments on the note:

\$7,500 during the first extension option term;

\$7,500 during the second extension option term; and

\$5,000 during the third extension option term.

Since the terms of the extended loan are deemed for financial accounting purposes to be not substantially different to the original loan, the Company accounted for the extension as a modification on its financial statements. See "Deferred Fees and Costs" under Note 3 above. Total transaction costs incurred in connection with the extension were \$1,626, including \$710 of fees paid to the lender to obtain the extension and expenses paid on the lender's behalf which were added to debt issuance costs for the loan and increase the Company's effective financing rate of the loan. The remaining \$916 of advisory costs related to the extension were charged to earnings during the quarter ended September 30, 2012.

The mortgage notes in the above table are non-recourse to the Company subject to limited non-recourse exceptions and are secured by the respective properties and an assignment of the relevant leases on the properties. See Note 4 regarding the separate and distinct nature of the Company's SPEs. The Company's book value before accumulated depreciation and amortization on owned properties encumbered with mortgage debt aggregated \$1,599,217 at

September 30, 2013, and \$1,627,788 at December 31, 2012.

The Company has classified its loan agreement related to the Cimarex Energy Co. property in Tulsa, OK as a component of "Mortgages on real estate investments" on the Company's Consolidated Balance Sheet. The Company entered into the loan agreement with Bank of Oklahoma during July 2011, to initially provide construction financing of approximately one-half of the project costs related to the development of the property and subsequently, upon completion of construction, provide term financing of the Company's investment in the property. During the construction period, interest only was payable by the Company to the lender each month at a rate equal to the prevailing one month LIBOR rate plus 300 basis points (subject to a 4.00% floor).

During the nine months ended September 30, 2013, the construction loan was converted to a floating rate term loan bearing interest calculated monthly at a rate equal to the one month LIBOR rate plus 275 basis points and maturing in July 2018. Final funding of the loan which increased the total amount advanced under the loan to \$31,000 also occurred during the nine months ended September 30, 2013. During the term loan period, in addition to monthly payments of interest, the Company is also obligated to pay principal to the lender based on a 25-year amortization period. Subject to customary non-recourse exceptions, the lender's recourse in the event of a default of the loan is limited to the property and the other assets of the Company's joint venture entity that owns the property.

Also during the nine months ended September 30, 2013, the Company entered into a swap agreement with Bank of Oklahoma related to the debt on the Cimarex property. The swap agreement is structured to fix the interest rate payable on the Company's borrowings under the loan agreement with Bank of Oklahoma at 4.10% annually during the full five year term loan period. See Note 13.

Loan Agreement for The Woodlands, TX Development Project

During August 2013, the Company entered into a loan agreement with Amegy Bank National Association related to the speculative office building project described at Note 4 above. The loan agreement provides that the lender will advance up to \$17,000 to fund project costs during the construction period beginning after the full \$17,000 of equity is contributed by the Company and its developer partner. The lender has also agreed to advance another \$6,800 of loan proceeds upon the satisfaction of certain leasing and debt service conditions.

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The loan with Amegy Bank is for a three year term scheduled to mature on August 19, 2016, although the Company has successive options to extend the term for one additional year each subject to the payment of an extension fee and the satisfaction of certain debt service and other conditions. Until the scheduled maturity date in August 2016, interest only will be payable to the lender on outstanding borrowings at a floating rate of LIBOR plus a LIBOR spread. The LIBOR spread will be 295 basis points until the property achieves debt service coverage of 1.40 to 1.00, at which point it will be 225 basis points. The Company may select a one month, three month or six month interest period for its LIBOR-based borrowings. Liability for the obligations under the loan agreement is limited to the Company's special-purpose subsidiary that owns and is developing the property. As of September 30, 2013, the Company had not borrowed any amounts under the loan agreement with Amegy Bank.

Secured Term Loan

During December 2007, the Company completed a secured term loan with KBC Bank, N.V. The Company transferred a pool of assets into a wholly-owned special purpose entity, called CapLease 2007-STL LLC, and issued debt to the lender secured by the assets in the pool. The Company retained all of the equity in the special purpose entity and, therefore, is entitled to all residual cash after the payment of scheduled principal and interest on the debt. The lender's debt is structured to be senior to the Company's equity. For example, all principal payments on the assets transferred to the SPE will be paid to the lender until the secured term loan is repaid in full. The Company is in a first loss position in the event of a payment default or loss on any of the SPE assets.

The interest coupon on the loan is fixed at 5.81% annually until the loan matures in January 2018. The Company's effective financing rate on the loan is approximately 6.0% annually (inclusive of hedge and closing costs). The loan is non-recourse to the Company, subject to limited non-recourse exceptions.

Amounts related to the secured term loan as of September 30, 2013, were as follows:

	Borrowings	Collateral Carry Value
Loans held for investment	\$ 14,308	\$ 20,289
Intercompany mortgage loans on CapLease properties	11,067	23,017
Commercial mortgage-backed securities	35,279	46,533
Total	\$ 60,654	\$ 89,839

Convertible Senior Notes

During October 2007, CapLease issued \$75,000 principal amount of 7.50% convertible senior notes due 2027. As of September 30, 2013, CapLease had \$19,210 principal amount of convertible senior notes outstanding. The notes represent general unsecured recourse obligations of CapLease and rank equally in right of payment with all of its other existing and future obligations that are unsecured and unsubordinated.

The notes are scheduled to mature on October 1, 2027, unless earlier converted, redeemed or repurchased. Holders were entitled to require CapLease to repurchase their notes, in whole or in part, on October 1, 2012 (the “initial put date”), for a cash price equal to 100% of the principal amount of the notes to be repurchased, plus any accrued and unpaid interest, and remaining note holders may require CapLease to repurchase their notes on subsequent put dates of October 1, 2017 and October 1, 2022, at the same price.

CapLease has the right to redeem the notes in whole or in part, for cash at any time or from time to time. The redemption price will be 100% of the principal amount of the notes to be redeemed, plus any accrued and unpaid interest.

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The Company recorded interest expense on the convertible senior notes for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2013 and September 30, 2012 as follows:

	For the three months		For the nine months	
	ended September 30,		ended September 30,	
	2013	2012	2013	2012
Interest expense paid or accrued at stated interest rate of 7.5%	\$361	\$657	\$1,076	\$1,963
Convertible senior notes issuance costs expensed as a component of interest expense	-	59	1	172
Interest expense at the nonconvertible debt incremental borrowing rate of 2.5%	-	164	-	485
Total convertible senior notes interest expense	\$361	\$880	\$1,077	\$2,620

For financial accounting purposes and because the notes may be converted into equity in the future, the Company was required to bifurcate the proceeds from the original issuance of the notes between a liability component and an equity component and record interest expense on the liability component at the Company's estimated nonconvertible debt borrowing rate on the date of issue. The liability component was initially recorded at a discount from the principal amount of the notes and was subsequently accreted back to the principal amount over the expected useful life of the notes as interest expense at the estimated nonconvertible debt borrowing rate was recorded. As of the initial put date of October 1, 2012, the liability component of the notes had accreted back to the full principal amount of the notes and, therefore, during the three and nine months ended September 30, 2013, the Company was no longer recording interest expense beyond the stated interest rate on the notes.

The carry value of the equity component of the convertible senior notes was \$6,189 at each of September 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012, and is included as a component of “Additional paid in capital” on the Company’s Consolidated Balance Sheet.

The holders may convert their notes into cash, shares of CapLease common stock, or any combination thereof, at CapLease’s option, under certain circumstances, including in connection with certain change of control events defined in the note indenture (each, a “change of control”) or a transaction that results in CapLease’s common stock or other securities into which the notes are convertible not being approved for listing on a U.S. national securities exchange (a “termination of trading”). Upon conversion, if CapLease does not elect otherwise, it will settle its conversion obligation in shares of its common stock.

The conversion rate for each \$1 principal amount of notes is 88.3704 shares of CapLease’s common stock, which is equivalent to a conversion price of approximately \$11.32 per share. As of September 30, 2013, the if-converted value of the convertible senior notes is less than the principal amount of the notes. The conversion rate will be adjusted for certain events, including in the event CapLease makes any quarterly cash dividend in excess of \$0.20 per share.

The convertible senior notes are convertible into CapLease common stock at the option of the holders in connection with the closing of the Merger described in Note 2 above.

Trust Preferred Securities

In December 2005, the Operating Partnership issued \$30,000 in aggregate principal amount of fixed/floating rate preferred securities through its wholly-owned subsidiary, Caplease Statutory Trust I. The trust preferred securities represent an unsecured subordinated recourse debt obligation of the Company and require quarterly interest payments calculated at a fixed interest rate equal to 7.68% per annum through January 30, 2016, and subsequently at a variable interest rate equal to LIBOR plus 2.60% per annum. The securities must be redeemed on January 30, 2036, and may be redeemed, in whole or in part, at par, at the Company’s option, at any time. The Company’s effective financing rate on the trust preferred securities, inclusive of deferred issuance costs, is approximately 7.7% per annum.

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Scheduled Principal Payments on Debt Obligations

Scheduled principal amortization and balloon payments for all of the Company's outstanding debt obligations as of September 30, 2013, for the next five years and thereafter are as follows:

	Scheduled Amortization	Balloon Payments	Total
3 months ending December 31, 2013	\$ 7,864	\$—	\$7,864
2014	35,780	165,666	201,446
2015	29,639	378,373	408,012
2016	19,661	272,614	292,275
2017	14,059	100,721	114,780
Thereafter	36,963	172,679	209,642
Total	\$ 143,966	\$1,090,053	\$1,234,019

11. Gain on extinguishment of debt

The Company had no gain or loss on extinguishment of debt during the nine months ended September 30, 2013.

The Company had net gain on extinguishment of debt of \$11,012 during the nine months ended September 30, 2012, primarily comprised of \$9,000 of gain on the repurchase for \$2,000 (including transaction costs) of an \$11,000 first mortgage note on certain Company owned properties.

During the nine months ended September 30, 2012, the Company repaid at par the outstanding mortgage debt on the properties owned in Columbus, Ohio (leased to Abbott Laboratories) and Bloomington, Indiana (leased to Baxter International, Inc.), and refinanced the mortgage debt on the property owned in Kansas City, Kansas (leased to the United States Government (EPA)). These transactions resulted in net gain on debt extinguishment of \$2,012, including primarily gain of \$2,392 on the reversal of the remaining unamortized balance of the fair value adjustment on the debt repaid on the EPA property, and losses of \$196 from the charge-off of deferred hedge and other costs associated with the debt repaid on all three properties.

The net gain on debt extinguishment for the 2012 periods is included as a component of “Other gains” under the caption “Gain on extinguishment of debt, net” in the Company’s Consolidated Statements of Operations.

12. Accounts payable and other liabilities

Accounts payable and other liabilities as of September 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012 consisted of the following:

	Sep 30, 2013	Dec 31, 2012
	Unaudited	
Accounts payable and other liabilities	\$ 16,497	\$ 13,045
Accrued interest	4,824	4,499
Accrued expenses	4,700	5,460
Derivative liabilities	45	–
Unearned rental income	5,950	4,922
Total	\$ 32,016	\$ 27,926

13. Risk Management Transactions

As part of its financing strategy, the Company may use interest rate swap transactions to manage its exposure to changes in interest rates associated with its present or expected future debt obligations. During the first three months of 2013 and all of 2012, the Company had no open interest rate swap positions.

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During May 2013, the Company entered into a single swap agreement with Bank of Oklahoma related to the financing of the Cimarex Energy property in Tulsa, OK. Pursuant to the agreement, the Company agreed to make fixed rate interest payments to the Bank of Oklahoma at an annual rate of 4.10% on a notional amount of debt expected to match the principal amount outstanding under the loan agreement with Bank of Oklahoma. Also pursuant to the swap, the Bank of Oklahoma agreed to make floating rate interest payments to the Company on an equivalent notional amount at the one month LIBOR rate plus 275 basis points. The initial notional amount was \$31,000, and the notional amount as of September 30, 2013 was \$30,853.

The Company entered into the interest rate swap agreement described above for risk management purposes. The Company's objective in entering into the interest rate swap agreement is to manage its exposure to interest rate movements on its loan agreement with Bank of Oklahoma. The Company's strategy for the swap is to fix at an attractive rate the amount of interest expense the Company pays on the outstanding debt.

The interest rate swap is designated as a cash flow hedge under Topic 815. Accordingly, the effective portion of changes in the fair value of the swap are recorded as a component of Other Comprehensive Income (Loss) on the Company's Consolidated Balance Sheets, and the ineffective portion, if any, is recognized directly in earnings. See Note 3 under the heading "Risk Management Transactions."

As of September 30, 2013, the Company had one outstanding interest rate swap transaction. The swap had a negative fair value of \$45 as of September 30, 2013, and hence is classified as part of "Accounts payable and other liabilities" on the Company's Consolidated Balance Sheet. All of the unrealized losses on the swap as of September 30, 2013 were deemed effective and, therefore, deferred in Other Comprehensive Income (Loss). See Note 17. \$5 of hedge ineffectiveness gain from the second quarter of 2013, was reversed during the quarter ended September 30, 2013.

As of September 30, 2013, the Company had \$740 of net realized losses on derivatives deferred on the Company's Consolidated Balance Sheet as a component of Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income (Loss) related to prior interest rate swaps for certain of the Company's long-term debt issuances. These losses will be reclassified to the Company's Consolidated Statements of Operations as additional interest expense over the term of the related debt. Within the next twelve months, the Company estimates that \$509 of realized losses on derivatives will be reclassified to earnings.

The Company classifies the cash flows from derivatives as a financing activity on the Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows.

14. Commitments and Contingencies

The Company is committed to fund \$22,033 of project costs related to the Columbia, SC development project described at Note 4 above. As of September 30, 2013, the Company had funded \$4,063 of such commitment.

The Company is committed to fund approximately \$15,300 of project costs related to the speculative development project in The Woodlands, TX (90% of total project equity; see Note 4 above). As of September 30, 2013, the Company had funded \$4,691 of such commitment.

As an owner of commercial real estate, the Company is subject to potential environmental costs. At September 30, 2013, the Company was not aware of any environmental concerns that would have a material adverse effect on the Company's business, results of operations or financial condition.

The Company is involved from time to time in litigation arising in the ordinary course of business. The Company is not currently involved in any matter which management believes will have a material adverse effect on the Company's business, results of operations or financial condition. However, periodic settlements and/or professional or other fees and expenses related to any matter could have an adverse impact on our results of operations in the quarterly or annual period in which they are recognized.

The Company is party to four lawsuits related to the Merger transaction described in Note 2 above.

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On June 4, 2013, CapLease, its directors, and certain of its subsidiaries, including the Operating Partnership, as well as ARCP, the ARCP Operating Partnership and Merger Sub, were named as defendants in a putative class action lawsuit in connection with the proposed Merger, styled *Mizani v. CapLease, Inc.*, No. 651986/2013, in the Supreme Court of the State of New York, New York County. The complaint alleges, among other things, that the Merger Agreement was the product of breaches of fiduciary duty by CapLease's directors because the Merger does not provide for full and fair value for CapLease's stockholders, the Merger was not the result of a competitive bidding process, the Merger Agreement contains coercive deal protection measures, and the Merger Agreement and the Merger were approved as a result of improper self-dealing by certain defendants who would receive certain alleged employment compensation benefits and continued employment pursuant to the Merger Agreement. The complaint also alleges that CapLease, ARCP, the ARCP Operating Partnership and Merger Sub aided and abetted the directors' alleged breaches of fiduciary duty. The plaintiff seeks, among other things, to enjoin completion of the Merger.

On June 25, 2013, CapLease, its directors, and certain of its subsidiaries, including the Operating Partnership, as well as ARCP, the ARCP Operating Partnership and Merger Sub, were named as defendants in a putative class action and derivative lawsuit in connection with the proposed Merger, styled *Tarver v. CapLease, Inc.*, No. 24C13004176, in the Circuit Court of the State of Maryland, Baltimore City. The complaint alleges, among other things, that the Merger Agreement was the product of breaches of fiduciary duty by CapLease's directors because the Merger does not provide for full and fair value for CapLease's stockholders, the Merger Agreement contains coercive deal protection measures, the Merger was not the result of a competitive bidding process, and the Merger Agreement and the Merger were approved as a result of improper self-dealing. The complaint also alleges that CapLease, certain of its subsidiaries, including the Operating Partnership, ARCP, the ARCP Operating Partnership and Merger Sub aided and abetted the directors' alleged breaches of fiduciary duty. The plaintiff seeks, among other things, to enjoin completion of the Merger and declaratory relief, including rescission of the Merger Agreement. On July 17, 2013, the plaintiff filed an amended complaint in which he preserved his existing claims and added additional claims that the Preliminary Proxy Statement filed by CapLease on July 2, 2013 failed to fully disclose material information concerning the process that led to the Merger.

On July 3, 2013, CapLease, its directors, and certain of its subsidiaries, including the Operating Partnership, as well as ARCP, the ARCP Operating Partnership and Merger Sub, have been named as defendants in a putative class action and derivative lawsuit in connection with the proposed Merger, styled *Carach v. CapLease, Inc.*, No. 651986/2013, in the Supreme Court of the State of New York, New York County. The complaint alleges, among other things, that the Merger Agreement was the product of breaches of fiduciary duty by CapLease's directors because the Merger does not provide for full and fair value for CapLease's stockholders, the directors failed to take steps to maximize the value of CapLease or properly value CapLease, failed to protect against various alleged conflicts of interest, and failed to fully disclose material information concerning the process that led to the Merger. The complaint also alleges that the certain subsidiaries of CapLease, including the Operating Partnership, and ARCP, the ARCP Operating Partnership and Merger Sub aided and abetted the directors' alleged breaches of fiduciary duty. The plaintiff seeks, among other things, to enjoin completion of the Merger and declaratory relief, including rescission of the Merger Agreement.

On August 9, 2013, the parties filed a joint motion to stay the *Tarver* action in the Circuit Court of the State of Maryland, Baltimore City. Also on August 9, 2013, the plaintiff in the *Carach* action filed an amended complaint. The amended complaint preserved the claims in the plaintiff's prior complaint and added additional claims that the Definitive Proxy Statement filed by CapLease on July 31, 2013 failed to fully disclose material information concerning the process that led to the Merger. On August 22, 2013, the Supreme Court of the State of New York, New York County entered an agreed order consolidating the *Mizani* and *Carach* actions, appointing co-lead interim class counsel for plaintiffs, and providing for limited expedited recovery, which has now been completed. Plaintiffs also designated the amended complaint in the *Carach* action as the operative complaint in the consolidated action. On September 23, 2013, all defendants filed motions to dismiss the amended complaint. The Company believes that the allegations of the operative complaint, like those of the complaints in each of the underlying actions, are without merit and that it has substantial meritorious defenses to the claims set forth in the complaint.

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On October 8, 2013, CapLease, its directors, and certain of its subsidiaries, including the Operating Partnership, as well as ARCP, the ARCP Operating Partnership and Merger Sub, were named as defendants in a putative class action lawsuit styled *Poling v. CapLease, Inc.*, in the Circuit Court for Baltimore City, Maryland. The lawsuit was filed on behalf of a putative class of holders of CapLease's 8.375% Series B Cumulative Redeemable Preferred Stock and 7.25% Series C Cumulative Redeemable Preferred Stock. The complaint alleges, among other things, that the Merger Agreement violates the Articles Supplementary governing the preferred shares by effecting a redemption of those shares in advance of the redemption date set out in the Articles Supplementary. The complaint alleges breaches of contract and fiduciary duty. The plaintiff seeks, among other things, to enjoin completion of the Merger. The Company believes that the allegations of the *Poling* complaint are without merit and that it has substantial meritorious defenses to the claims set forth in the complaint.

15. Stockholders' Equity

Authorized Capital Stock; Issued and Outstanding Capital Stock

CapLease's authorized capital stock consists of 500,000,000 shares of common stock, par value \$0.01 per share, and 100,000,000 shares of preferred stock, par value \$0.01 per share. As of September 30, 2013, CapLease had issued and outstanding 88,845,604 shares of common stock, 1,832,000 shares of 8.125% Series A cumulative redeemable preferred stock, 2,941,073 shares of 8.375% Series B cumulative redeemable preferred stock, and 1,700,000 shares of 7.25% Series C cumulative redeemable preferred stock. The terms of the Company's three series of preferred stock are described in the Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements included in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2012.

See Note 2 above for a discussion of the treatment of the CapLease common stock and preferred stock in the Merger.

Stock Issuances During Periods Presented

During the nine months ended September 30, 2013, CapLease issued an aggregate of 6,434,391 shares of common stock through its “at the market offering” program with Cantor Fitzgerald, at an average price of \$5.94 per share, and for aggregate net proceeds of \$37,425. The Company used the proceeds to repay a portion of the mortgage debt obligations that were prepaid during April 2013. During the nine months ended September 30, 2012, CapLease issued an aggregate of 196,207 shares of Series A preferred stock and 140,913 shares of Series B preferred stock through its “at the market offering” program with Cantor Fitzgerald, at an average price of \$25.13 per share of Series A preferred stock and \$26.06 per share of Series B preferred stock, and for aggregate net proceeds of \$8,431, including accrued dividends of \$117.

During April 2013, CapLease issued 8,625,000 shares of common stock in a public offering at a price to the public of \$5.97 per share, and raised net proceeds of \$49,097, after the underwriting discount and offering expenses. The Company used \$31,171 of the proceeds to fund a portion of the purchase price for the property acquisitions made by the Company during the second quarter of 2013, and \$17,926 of the proceeds to repay a portion of the mortgage debt obligations that were prepaid during April 2013.

During March 2013, CapLease made restricted stock and performance unit awards representing an aggregate of 443,900 shares of common stock (assuming payout of the performance units at the target level) to its executive officers, other employees and directors pursuant to the Company’s stock incentive plan. During March 2012, CapLease made restricted stock awards representing an aggregate of 497,700 shares of common stock to its executive officers, other employees and directors pursuant to the Company’s stock incentive plan. As of September 30, 2013, the Company had made awards aggregating 4,686,905 shares of common stock under the stock plan, all in the form of restricted stock awards and performance share units to executive officers, other employees and directors of the Company (see Note 16 below).

During the nine months ended September 30, 2013, CapLease issued 1,700,000 shares of 7.25% Series C cumulative redeemable preferred stock. The Company received aggregate net proceeds in the offerings of \$39,689, after the underwriting discount and estimated offering expenses. The net proceeds from the offerings were utilized to redeem a portion of the outstanding shares of the Company’s 8.125% Series A preferred stock, 800,182 shares of which were redeemed during February and 815,000 shares of which were redeemed during April.

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Share Repurchase Programs

During August 2011, the Company announced that its Board of Directors has approved a share repurchase program authorizing the Company to repurchase in the aggregate up to \$20,000 of its outstanding common stock. In addition, during January 2013, the Company announced that its Board of Directors has approved a share repurchase program authorizing the Company to repurchase the full amount of its outstanding 8.125% Series A preferred stock. The programs permit the Company to purchase shares through a variety of methods, including in the open market or through privately negotiated transactions, in accordance with applicable securities laws. They do not obligate the Company to make any repurchases at any specific time or situation. The timing and extent to which the Company repurchases its shares will depend upon a variety of factors, including market conditions, the Company's liquidity, and regulatory requirements.

The Company did not make any common stock repurchases through the above program during the nine months ended September 30, 2013. As of September 30, 2013, the Company had remaining authorization to repurchase up to \$13,264 through the above program.

As disclosed above, the Company made repurchases of 800,182 shares of 8.125% Series A preferred stock during February 2013, and repurchases of another 815,000 shares of 8.125% Series A preferred stock during April 2013.

During December 2012, the compensation committee of the Board of Directors of CapLease adopted resolutions authorizing employees of the Company to surrender shares of common stock to the Company to satisfy tax withholding obligations in connection with the vesting of restricted stock awards and performance share units awarded under the Company's stock incentive plan. During March 2013, various employees of the Company surrendered an aggregate of 186,832 shares at a price of \$6.12 per share in accordance with the foregoing program.

Dividends

The following table summarizes the dividend history on shares of CapLease common stock for the periods indicated.

Quarter	Record	Payment	Dividend	Total
Ended	Date	Date	Per Share	Amount
12/31/2011	12/30/2011	1/17/2012	\$ 0.065	\$ 4,308
3/31/2012	4/2/2012	4/16/2012	0.065	4,340
6/30/2012	6/29/2012	7/16/2012	0.065	4,340
9/30/2012	9/28/2012	10/15/2012	0.070	4,674
12/31/2012	12/31/2012	1/15/2013	0.075	5,524
3/31/2013	4/4/2013	4/15/2013	0.0775	6,217
6/30/2013	6/28/2013	7/15/2013	0.0775	6,886
9/30/2013	9/23/2013	10/15/2013	0.0775	6,886

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The following table summarizes the dividend history on shares of CapLease Series A preferred stock for the periods indicated.

Quarter	Record	Payment	Dividend	Total
Ended	Date	Date	Per Share	Amount
12/31/2011	12/30/2011	1/17/2012	\$0.5078125	\$ 1,627
3/31/2012	4/2/2012	4/16/2012	0.5078125	1,627
6/30/2012	6/29/2012	7/16/2012	0.5078125	1,627
9/30/2012	9/28/2012	10/15/2012	0.5078125	1,727
12/31/2012	12/31/2012	1/15/2013	0.5078125	1,751
3/31/2013	4/4/2013	4/15/2013	0.5078125	930
6/30/2013	6/28/2013	7/15/2013	0.5078125	930
9/30/2013	9/23/2013	10/15/2013	0.4231771	775

The following table summarizes the dividend history on shares of CapLease Series B preferred stock for the periods indicated.

Quarter	Record	Payment	Dividend	Total
Ended	Date	Date	Per Share	Amount
6/30/2012	6/29/2012	7/16/2012	\$0.5001740	\$ 1,000
9/30/2012	9/28/2012	10/15/2012	0.5234375	1,121

12/31/2012	12/31/2012	1/15/2013	0.5234375	1,539
3/31/2013	4/4/2013	4/15/2013	0.5234375	1,539
6/30/2013	6/28/2013	7/15/2013	0.5234375	1,539
9/30/2013	9/23/2013	10/15/2013	0.4361979	1,283

The following table summarizes the dividend history on shares of CapLease Series C preferred stock for the periods indicated.

Quarter Ended	Record Date	Payment Date	Dividend Per Share	Total Amount
3/31/2013	4/4/2013	4/15/2013	\$0.4027778	\$ 685
6/30/2013	6/28/2013	7/15/2013	0.4531250	770
9/30/2013	9/23/2013	10/15/2013	0.3776042	642

16. Stock Based Compensation

The Company adopted a stock incentive plan for its employees and directors during March 2004 in connection with its initial public offering. On June 12, 2013, CapLease's common stockholders approved amendments to the stock incentive plan which, among other things, increased by 3,100,000 shares, to 8,223,000 shares, the number of shares authorized under the plan. As of September 30, 2013, the Company had made awards aggregating 4,686,905 shares of common stock under the stock plan, all in the form of restricted stock awards and performance share units to executive officers, other employees and directors of the Company. As of September 30, 2013, the Company had not awarded any options or stock appreciation rights under the stock plan.

Pursuant to the Merger Agreement and as described at Note 2 above, all restricted stock awards and performance share units awards are scheduled to become fully vested (or in the case of performance share units fully earned and settled at 100% of the target number of shares) and will have the right to receive the Common Merger Consideration.

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A summary of the Company's activity under the stock plan from January 1, 2012 through the nine months ended September 30, 2013, is presented below:

	Number of Shares
Stock Based Awards at January 1, 2012	3,751,575
Restricted Stock Awards Granted During the Year Ended December 31, 2012	497,700 (1)
Restricted Stock Awards Forfeited During the Year Ended December 31, 2012	(6,270)
Stock Based Awards at January 1, 2013	4,243,005
Restricted Stock Awards Granted During the Period Ended September 30, 2013	315,000 (2)
Performance Share Units Granted During the Period Ended September 30, 2013	128,900 (3)
Stock Awards at September 30, 2013	4,686,905

Shares are scheduled to vest between March 2013 and March 2015, but will generally be forfeited if the recipient either terminates his employment with the Company or ceases to be a member of CapLease's Board of Directors at (1) any time prior to the vesting date. Vesting of an aggregate of 262,725 shares is also subject to satisfaction of objective and subjective performance criteria, to be determined by CapLease's Compensation Committee. Shares are also subject to accelerated vesting in the Merger as described above.

Shares are scheduled to vest between March 2014 and March 2016, but will generally be forfeited if the recipient (2) either terminates his employment with the Company or ceases to be a member of CapLease's Board of Directors at any time prior to the vesting date. Shares are also subject to accelerated vesting in the Merger as described above. (3) Performance share units are tied to the target number of shares of common stock listed and are scheduled to cliff vest after a three year performance period if performance objectives are achieved. Any actual payout of shares is dependent entirely upon the relative total shareholder return of the Company compared against a peer group over the performance period. Payout will not occur until the end of the performance period and will range from 0% to 200% of the target number of shares, with payout beginning at 50% of the target number of shares at total

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shareholder return of the Company at the 25th percentile of the peer group. Units are also subject to acceleration and settlement in the Merger as described above.

A summary of the status of restricted stock awards and performance share units from January 1, 2012 through the nine months ended September 30, 2013, is presented below:

	Shares Awarded	Shares Priced Under GAAP	Weighted Average Fair Value
Nonvested at January 1, 2012	1,606,017	1,081,617	\$ 4.91
Current period restricted stock awards	497,700	322,550	4.08
Prior period restricted stock awards	N/A	257,760	4.08
Vested - previously restricted stock awards	(577,757) ⁽¹⁾	(577,757)	5.26
Forfeited - previously restricted stock awards	(6,270)	(6,270)	5.80
Nonvested at January 1, 2013	1,519,690	1,077,900	4.26
Current period restricted stock awards	315,000	315,000	6.12
Prior period restricted stock awards	N/A	305,990	6.12
Current period performance share units	128,900	128,900	8.36
Vested - previously restricted stock awards	(697,406) ⁽²⁾	(697,406)	4.35
Nonvested at September 30, 2013	1,266,184	1,130,384	5.69

(1) Includes 231,288 shares vested as a result of performance criteria being satisfied.

(2) Includes 396,885 shares vested as a result of performance criteria being satisfied.

For restricted stock awards, the Company uses the closing stock price on the grant date as its estimate of the fair value of the award. For performance share units, the Company uses a Monte Carlo simulation analysis to estimate the fair value of the award.

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The Company has made certain of the restricted stock awards with vesting dependent upon satisfaction of performance criteria to be determined in the future. For such awards, applicable accounting guidance provides that despite the award having been granted, it is not valued for financial accounting purposes and expense related thereto does not commence until performance criteria have been established. "Prior period restricted stock awards" in the above table represent restricted stock awards made in a prior period but which have been valued for financial accounting purposes in the current period when the CapLease Compensation Committee determined the performance criteria.

As of September 30, 2013, the Company had \$4,377 of restricted stock awards and performance share units (fair value at the grant dates) expected to be charged to the Company's Consolidated Statements of Operations ratably over the remaining vesting period (through March 2016) assuming vesting criteria are satisfied. In addition, as of September 30, 2013, the Company has not yet commenced expense accrual related to the following number of restricted stock awards because the applicable performance criteria have not yet been determined: 48,225 shares of restricted stock awarded in 2010, and 87,575 shares of restricted stock awarded in 2012.

17. Other Comprehensive Income (Loss)

Comprehensive income (loss) is defined under GAAP as the change in equity of a business enterprise during a period from transactions and other events and circumstances, excluding those resulting from investments by and distributions to owners, and is presented in the Company's Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Income (Loss). For the Company's purposes, comprehensive income (loss) represents net income (loss) before non-controlling interest in consolidated subsidiaries, as presented in the Company's Consolidated Statements of Operations, adjusted for unrealized gains or losses on securities available for sale and derivatives, and amortization of realized losses on derivatives reclassified into interest expense.

GAAP also divides comprehensive income (loss) into "net income (loss)" and "other comprehensive income (loss)." Other comprehensive income (loss) is defined as revenues, expenses, gains and losses that under GAAP are included in

comprehensive income (loss) but excluded from net income (loss). Other comprehensive income (loss) is a component of Stockholders' Equity and is shown on the Company's Consolidated Statements of Changes in Equity (fourth column). The following table summarizes the Company's Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income (Loss) as reported on the Consolidated Statements of Changes in Equity.

	Sep 30, 2013	Dec 31, 2012
	Unaudited	
Net unrealized gains on securities available for sale	\$ 1,841	\$480
Net unrealized loss on derivatives	(45)	-
Net realized losses on derivatives	(740)	(1,146)
Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)	\$ 1,056	\$(666)

18. Non-Controlling Interests

During June 2006, CapLease's Operating Partnership issued 263,157 units of limited partnership to an unaffiliated third party. All of these units were issued as partial consideration for the Company's acquisition of a real property in June 2006 from the third party. During June 2008, the units of limited partnership became redeemable by the holder, at its option, on the basis of one unit for either one share of CapLease common stock or cash equal to the fair market value of a share of common stock at the time of the redemption. The units of limited partnership do not have a liquidation preference. During September 2008, the holder redeemed 107,131 units for the same number of shares of CapLease common stock. As of September 30, 2013, the Operating Partnership had issued and outstanding 156,026 units of limited partnership. Each unit will be converted into the right to receive \$8.50 in cash, without interest, in the Merger.

Cash distributions by the Operating Partnership are paid in the following priority: first, to the non-controlling interest holders until such holders receive the amount they would have received if the holders' units of limited partnership interest were converted to an equal number of shares of CapLease common stock, and then, to CapLease. As a result, since July 2006, at the same time CapLease has paid a cash dividend to its common stockholders, the non-controlling interest holders have been paid a cash dividend of the same amount per limited partnership unit.

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19. Rental Income

The Company is the landlord to tenants under operating leases with expiration dates ranging from 2013 to 2030. The minimum rental amounts due under the leases are generally subject to scheduled fixed increases. The leases generally also require that the tenants pay for or reimburse the Company for the occupancy and operating costs of the properties, or in certain cases reimburse the Company for increases in certain operating costs and real estate taxes above their base year costs. Approximate future minimum rents to be received over the next five years and thereafter for non-cancelable operating leases in effect at September 30, 2013, are as follows:

3 months ending December 31, 2013	\$34,653
2014	140,423
2015	135,829
2016	126,330
2017	102,510
Thereafter	383,996
Total	\$923,741

20. Pro Forma Condensed Consolidated Income Statements

The accompanying unaudited Pro Forma Condensed Consolidated Income Statements are presented as if, at January 1, 2012, the Company acquired all real properties purchased during the nine months ended September 30, 2013 and that meet the classification of a business for financial accounting purposes. Earnings per share are presented using the weighted average shares outstanding during the relevant periods. In management's opinion, all adjustments necessary

to reflect the effects of the above transactions have been made.

The unaudited Pro Forma Condensed Consolidated Income Statements are not necessarily indicative of what the actual results of operations would have been assuming the acquisition transactions had occurred at the date indicated above, nor do they purport to represent our future results of operations.

	For the three months		For the nine months	
	ended September 30,		ended September 30,	
	2013	2012	2013	2012
Total revenues	\$46,072	\$44,188	\$138,334	\$127,661
Income (loss) from continuing operations	1,837	2,201	5,377	15,874
Net loss allocable to common stockholders	(1,401)	(531)	(4,644)	(7,516)
Income (loss) per basic common share from continuing operations	(0.02)	(0.01)	(0.06)	0.14
Net loss per basic common share	(0.02)	(0.01)	(0.06)	(0.11)
Income (loss) per diluted common share from continuing operations	(0.02)	(0.01)	(0.05)	0.14
Net loss per diluted common share	(0.02)	(0.01)	(0.05)	(0.11)

21. Subsequent Events

On November 5, 2013, the Mergers were completed, and the separate existences of CapLease and the Operating Partnership ceased.

On November 5, 2013, in connection with the Mergers, the ARCP Operating Partnership, as successor by merger to the Operating Partnership, and various of the Company's subsidiaries, entered into an amendment to the Company's senior secured revolving credit agreement with Wells Fargo Bank, National Association, pursuant to which the ARCP Operating Partnership assumed the obligations of the Operating Partnership under the credit agreement, and ARCP and Merger Sub assumed the obligations of CapLease under the credit agreement. As a result of the amendment, CapLease and the Operating Partnership have no further obligations under the credit agreement.

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On November 5, 2013, in connection with the Mergers, CapLease, the Operating Partnership, ARCP, the ARCP Operating Partnership and Deutsche Bank Trust Company Americas, a New York banking corporation, entered into a supplemental indenture related to the Company's convertible senior notes. Pursuant to the supplemental indenture, (i) ARCP assumed all of the Company's obligations under the convertible senior notes and (ii) the ARCP Operating Partnership assumed all of the Operating Partnership's obligations under the convertible senior notes. As a result of the foregoing, the Company has no further obligations with respect to the convertible senior notes.

On November 5, 2013, in connection with the Mergers, the Operating Partnership, the ARCP Operating Partnership and The Bank of New York Mellon as successor-in-trust to JP Morgan Chase Bank, National Association, entered into a supplemental indenture related to the Company's trust preferred securities. Pursuant to the supplemental indenture, the ARCP Operating Partnership assumed all of the Company's obligations under the trust preferred securities. As a result of the foregoing, the Company has no further obligations with respect to the trust preferred securities.

On November 5, 2013, in connection with the Mergers, ARCP paid in full the outstanding balance under the Company's credit agreement with KeyBank N.A. As a result of the repayment, the KeyBank credit agreement has been terminated, and the Company has no further obligations thereunder.

Item 2. Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations

The following discussion should be read in conjunction with the consolidated financial statements and the notes to those financial statements, included elsewhere in this filing. Except where otherwise indicated or where the context is clear, the portfolio statistics in Item 2 of this Form 10-Q represent or are calculated from our carry value for financial reporting purposes before depreciation and amortization. With respect to our loan portfolio, we have adjusted our carry value to exclude a \$0.5 million general loss reserve.

When we use the term "we," "us," "our" or "the Company" we mean CapLease, Inc. and its majority-owned subsidiaries. All interests in our properties are held through special purpose entities which are separate and distinct legal entities. References in Item 2 of this Form 10-Q to our "Single Tenant Owned Property Portfolio" include those properties we own which are leased primarily but not exclusively by one tenant but do not include our two multi-tenant properties.

Merger

On November 5, 2013, we closed our merger with American Realty Capital Properties, Inc. ("ARCP"), and the separate existences of CapLease, Inc. and its operating partnership, Caplease, LP, ceased. Each share of CapLease, Inc. common stock was converted in the merger into the right to receive \$8.50 in cash. Each share of all series of CapLease, Inc.'s preferred stock, including its Series A, Series B and Series C preferred stock, were converted in the merger into the right to receive the sum of \$25.00 in cash per share plus an amount equal to any accrued and unpaid dividends up to but excluding the closing date of the merger.

Application of Critical Accounting Policies

A summary of our critical accounting policies is included in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2012 in Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations. There have been no significant changes to those policies during 2013.

Third Quarter 2013 Transaction Summary

The following summarizes our significant transactions during the three months ended September 30, 2013.

New Investment Transactions

During August 2013, we entered into an agreement with a major Texas-based developer to develop a 150,000 square foot speculative office building in The Woodlands, TX, adjacent to and part of the same development as an existing office building we own and purchased in 2012. Costs of the project which are budgeted to be \$34.0 million are scheduled to be funded by equity contributions by us and our developer partner, and \$17.0 million of advances during the construction period under a development loan entered into with Amegy Bank National Association. The project is expected to be completed in the third quarter of 2014. As of September 30, 2013, we have funded \$4.7 million of our expected commitment to the project and our developer partner has funded \$0.5 million of its commitment. See Notes 4 and 14 of the consolidated financial statements included in this Form 10-Q.

We continued to fund construction of the build-to-suit distribution warehouse in Columbia, SC. As of September 30, 2013, we have funded \$4.1 million toward our \$22.0 million expected total investment. See Notes 4 and 14 of the consolidated financial statements included in this Form 10-Q.

Financings

During August 2013, we entered into a loan agreement with Amegy Bank National Association related to the speculative office building project described above. The loan agreement provides that the lender will initially advance up to \$17.0 million to fund project costs during the construction period beginning after the full \$17.0 million of equity is contributed by us and our developer partner. The loan agreement is for an initial three year term and interest is initially payable on outstanding borrowings at LIBOR plus 295 basis points. See Note 10 of the consolidated financial statements included in this Form 10-Q.

Property Acquisitions

Except for the speculative development project described above, the Company did not make any real estate acquisitions during the quarter ended September 30, 2013.

Comparison of the Quarter Ended September 30, 2013 to the Quarter Ended September 30, 2012

The following discussion compares our operating results for the quarter ended September 30, 2013 to the comparable period in 2012.

Revenue.

Total revenue increased \$4.5 million, or 11%, to \$46.3 million. The increase was primarily attributable to an increase in rental revenue and tenant reimbursements.

Rental revenue and tenant reimbursements, in the aggregate, increased \$4.8 million, or 12%, to \$44.5 million, primarily reflecting the impact of new property acquisitions.

Interest income decreased \$0.3 million, or 18%, to \$1.6 million, primarily as a result of lower balances on debt investments.

Expenses.

Total expenses increased \$3.9 million to \$44.6 million, primarily as a result of higher property expenses and the merger related costs in the 2013 period.

Interest expense increased modestly by \$0.1 million across the periods. The increase in the 2013 period resulted primarily from \$0.4 million of additional interest expense primarily on new property mortgages and \$0.4 million on the floating rate credit agreements, offset in part by \$0.5 million of lower interest expense on the convertible senior notes and \$0.2 million on the secured term loan (in each case driven by lower amounts outstanding). Higher interest expense on the credit agreements was driven by incremental borrowings in the 2013 period. Our average balance outstanding and effective financing rate under the floating rate credit agreements was approximately \$103 million at 3.9% during the 2013 period (average one-month LIBOR of 0.18%), compared with approximately \$46 million at 4.9% during the 2012 period (average one-month LIBOR of 0.24%).

Property expenses increased by \$2.9 million, or 40%, to \$10.1 million, primarily reflecting the impact of new property acquisitions. The net amount of property expenses we incurred (net of tenant reimbursements) was \$3.0 million in the 2013 period, an increase from \$2.7 million in the 2012 period.

General and administrative expense decreased \$0.1 million, or 4%, to \$2.7 million, primarily due to the timing of certain expense items.

General and administrative expense-stock based compensation increased 20%, to \$1.0 million. The increase was due to the changes in various factors that influence stock compensation, including the weighted average vesting period, number of shares being expensed, the value per share using the associated grant date fair value in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, and the estimated vesting percentage for the reporting period. As of September 30, 2013, the Company had \$4.4 million of restricted stock awards and performance share units (fair value at the grant dates) expected to be charged to our Consolidated Statements of Operations ratably over the remaining vesting period (through March 2016) assuming vesting criteria are satisfied. In addition, as of September 30, 2013, we have not yet commenced expense accrual related to the following number of restricted stock awards because the applicable performance criteria have not yet been determined: 48,225 shares of restricted stock awarded in 2010 and 87,575 shares of restricted stock awarded in 2012.

We had \$1.1 million of merger related costs in the 2013 period. We had no merger related costs during the 2012 period.

Depreciation and amortization expense on real property increased \$0.8 million, or 7%, from \$12.2 million to \$13.0 million, primarily reflecting the impact of new property acquisitions.

Other gains.

We had no gain or loss on investments during the 2013 period. For the 2012 period, we recorded a gain of \$0.3 million related to the sale of two securities investments (see Note 7 of the consolidated financial statements included in this Form 10-Q).

Net income (loss).

Net income was \$1.7 million for the 2013 period, compared with \$1.5 million in the 2012 period. Net loss allocable to common stockholders was \$(1.5) million in the third quarter of 2013, reflecting dividends to preferred stockholders of \$3.2 million.

Comparison of the Nine Months Ended September 30, 2013 to the Nine Months Ended September 30, 2012

The following discussion compares our operating results for the nine months ended September 30, 2013 to the comparable period in 2012.

Revenue.

Total revenue increased \$14.3 million, or 12%, to \$134.8 million. The increase was primarily attributable to an increase in rental revenue and tenant reimbursements.

Rental revenue and tenant reimbursements, in the aggregate, increased \$15.5 million, or 14%, to \$129.3 million, primarily reflecting the impact of new property acquisitions.

Interest income decreased \$1.1 million, or 18%, to \$5.0 million, primarily as a result of lower balances on debt investments.

Expenses.

Total expenses increased \$11.7 million, or 10%, to \$130.5 million, primarily as a result of higher property expenses and the merger related costs in the 2013 period, offset in part by lower interest expense.

Interest expense decreased \$1.4 million, or 3%, to \$49.3 million, from \$50.7 million. The decrease in the 2013 period resulted primarily from reduced interest expense of \$1.5 million on the convertible senior notes and \$0.7 million on the secured term loan (in each case driven by lower amounts outstanding). Interest expense on property mortgages increased by \$0.7 million, as interest expense on new property mortgages was largely offset by reduced interest expense on existing mortgages and capitalized interest on development projects. Interest expense on the floating rate credit agreements increased \$0.4 million as a result of increased borrowings in the 2013 period compared with the 2012 period. Our average balance outstanding and effective financing rate under the floating rate credit agreements was approximately \$82 million at 3.9% during the 2013 period (average one-month LIBOR of 0.20%), compared with approximately \$61 million at 4.2% during the 2012 period (average one-month LIBOR of 0.25%).

Property expenses increased \$8.2 million, or 40%, to \$28.4 million, primarily reflecting the impact of new property acquisitions. The net amount of property expenses we incurred (net of tenant reimbursements) increased to \$9.1 million in the 2013 period, from \$8.3 million in the 2012 period.

General and administrative expense increased \$0.4 million, or 4%, to \$9.0 million, primarily due to the timing of certain expense items.

General and administrative expense-stock based compensation increased \$0.3 million, or 13%, to \$2.8 million. The increase was due to the changes in various factors that influence stock compensation, including the weighted average vesting period, number of shares being expensed, the value per share using the associated grant date fair value in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, and the estimated vesting percentage for the reporting period.

We had \$3.5 million of merger related costs in the 2013 period. We had no merger related costs during the 2012 period.

Depreciation and amortization expense on real property increased \$1.7 million, primarily reflecting the impact of new property acquisitions.

Other gains.

We had no gain or loss on investments during the 2013 period. We had net loss on investments of \$14.2 million in the 2012 period, comprised of \$15.2 million of loss on sale of a property (see Note 7 of the consolidated financial statements included in this Form 10-Q), offset in part by \$0.7 million of net proceeds from the franchise lending venture (see Note 5 of the consolidated financial statements included in this Form 10-Q) and gain of \$0.3 million related to the sale of two securities investments (see Note 7 of the consolidated financial statements included in this Form 10-Q).

We had no gain or loss on extinguishment of debt during the 2013 period. We had \$11.0 million of gain on extinguishment of debt during the 2012 period, comprised of \$9.0 million of gain from the repurchase of certain property mortgage debt and \$2.0 million of gain primarily representing the reversal of the unamortized fair value adjustment on a mortgage debt obligation that was refinanced during the first quarter (with respect to both items, see Note 11 of the consolidated financial statements included in this Form 10-Q).

Net income (loss).

Net income increased \$7.1 million, to income of \$4.2 million, from loss of \$(2.9) million. Net loss allocable to common stockholders was \$(5.8) million in the 2013 period, reflecting dividends to preferred stockholders of \$10.0 million.

Liquidity and Capital Resources

On November 5, 2013, we closed our merger with ARCP, and the separate existences of CapLease, Inc. and its operating partnership, Caplease, LP, ceased. All of our debt obligations have been either repaid in full or assumed by ARCP.

Short-Term Liquidity.

We defined our short-term liquidity as our ability to generate adequate amounts of cash to meet day-to-day operating expenses and material cash commitments over the next twelve months. Our primary sources of short-term liquidity have been our cash and cash equivalents, borrowings under our Wells Fargo Bank credit agreement, cash provided by operations, and a portion of the cash proceeds from issuances of debt and equity capital.

As a REIT, we were required to distribute at least 90% of our taxable income to our stockholders on an annual basis. We declared a cash dividend of \$0.0775 per share of common stock during the quarter ended September 30, 2013. We also declared the scheduled dividends on our preferred stock during the quarter ended September 30, 2013. The preferred dividends for the third quarter were \$0.4231771 per share of 8.125% Series A cumulative redeemable preferred stock, \$0.4361979 per share of 8.375% Series B cumulative redeemable preferred stock, and \$0.3776042 per share of 7.25% Series C cumulative redeemable preferred stock. In addition, we intend to pay prorated quarterly cash dividends on our common stock and preferred stock during the fourth fiscal quarter through the closing of the merger.

Long-Term Liquidity.

We defined our long-term liquidity as our ability to generate adequate amounts of cash to meet cash demands and commitments beyond the next 12 months, including balloon payments on our debt obligations and capital expenditures on our owned properties. Our primary sources of long-term liquidity have been our cash and cash equivalents, borrowings under our Wells Fargo Bank credit agreement, cash provided by operations, cash from long-term financings on our asset investments and issuances of debt and equity capital.

A detailed description of our long-term debt obligations outstanding at September 30, 2013 is included in Note 10 of the consolidated financial statements included in this Form 10-Q. On November 5, 2013, we closed our merger with ARCP, and the separate existences of CapLease, Inc. and its operating partnership, Caplease, LP, ceased. In connection with the merger, all of our debt obligations have been either repaid in full or assumed by ARCP. See Note 21 of the consolidated financial statements included in this Form 10-Q for additional information on the repayment or assumption of our debt obligations.

Statement of Cash Flows

Operating activities provided \$50.3 million of cash during the nine months ended September 30, 2013, primarily driven by net income as adjusted by various non-cash gains, losses, income and charges of \$46.2 million and increases in accounts payable and other liabilities of \$3.4 million. Operating activities provided \$43.3 million of cash during the nine months ended September 30, 2012, primarily driven by net (loss) as adjusted by various non-cash income and expenses and other gains and losses of \$51.4 million and increases in accounts payable of \$6.2 million, partially offset by increases in other assets of \$14.4 million.

We recognize rental income on our owned properties on a straight line basis in accordance with GAAP. As of September 30, 2013, this has resulted in us accruing \$33.7 million of rental income in excess of actual rents due under the various leases. During the nine months ended September 30, 2013, actual rents due under the leases exceeded rents on a straight-line basis by \$1.4 million.

Cash used in investing activities during the nine months ended September 30, 2013 was \$87.3 million, which primarily resulted from real estate purchases and improvements and construction in progress of \$91.6 million, and leasing commissions of \$2.5 million, partially offset by principal received on securities of \$4.2 million and loans of \$3.3 million. Cash used in investing activities during the nine months ended September 30, 2012 was \$99.1 million, which primarily resulted from real estate purchases and improvements and construction in progress of \$117.9 million, and leasing commissions of \$3.6 million, partially offset by proceeds from sale of real estate of \$9.6 million and securities of \$3.7 million, principal received on loans of \$5.4 million and securities of \$3.7 million.

Cash provided by financing activities during the nine months ended September 30, 2013 was \$58.8 million, which primarily resulted from proceeds from common stock and preferred stock issuances of \$126.2 million and borrowings of principal on debt of \$96.3 million (\$73.0 million on the revolving credit agreement and \$23.3 million on property mortgages), partially offset by repayments of principal on debt of \$92.9 million (\$69.4 million on property mortgages, \$11.8 million on the credit agreements and \$11.8 million on the secured term loan), preferred stock repurchased of \$40.4 million, dividends and distributions paid of \$28.7 million and common stock repurchased of \$1.1 million. Cash provided by financing activities during the nine months ended September 30, 2012 was \$24.8 million, which primarily resulted from preferred stock issued of \$56.6 million, partially offset by net repayments of principal on debt of \$9.5 million (including \$22.6 million of net repayments on the credit agreements and \$12.0 million of repayments on the secured term loan with KBC Bank, offset by \$25.1 million of net borrowings on property mortgages), dividends and distributions paid of \$18.8 million and debt issuance costs of \$3.5 million.

See our consolidated statements of cash flows included in the historical consolidated financial statements included elsewhere in this filing for a reconciliation of our cash position for the periods described above.

Item 3. Quantitative and Qualitative Disclosures About Market Risk

Fair Value

For certain of our financial instruments, fair values are not readily available since there are no active trading markets as characterized by current exchanges between willing parties. Accordingly, we derive or estimate fair values using various valuation techniques, such as computing the present value of estimated future cash flows using discount rates commensurate with the risks involved. However, the determination of estimated cash flows may be subjective and imprecise. Changes in assumptions or estimation methodologies can have a material affect on these estimated fair values. The fair values indicated below are indicative of the interest rate and credit spread environment as of September 30, 2013, and may not take into consideration the effects of subsequent interest rate or credit spread fluctuations, or changes in the ratings of the underlying tenants.

The following summarizes certain data regarding our interest rate sensitive instruments as of September 30, 2013:

	Carrying Amount	Notional Amount	Weighted Average Effective Interest / Financing Rate	Maturity Date	Fair Value
<i>(dollars in thousands)</i>					
Assets:					
Loans held for investment (1)	\$23,896	\$28,099	6.6%	Various	\$26,483
Commercial mortgage-backed securities (2)	59,774	72,598	8.8%	2016-2028	59,774
Liabilities					
Mortgage notes payable (5)	\$995,326	\$994,326	5.5%	2014-2030	\$1,039,454
Credit agreements (4)	128,899	128,899	3.8%	2015	128,899
Secured term loan (5)	60,654	60,654	6.0%	2018	61,538
Convertible senior notes (6)	19,210	19,210	7.5%	2017	19,208
Other long-term debt (7)	30,930	30,930	7.7%	2036	26,775
Derivative liabilities (3)	45	30,853	N/A	N/A	45

(1) This portfolio of loans bears interest at fixed rates. We have estimated the fair value of this portfolio of loans with a discounted cash flow analysis, utilizing scheduled cash flows and discount rates estimated by management to approximate those that a willing buyer and seller might use. The maturity dates for the loans range from 2015 through 2033.

(2) Commercial mortgage-backed securities represent subordinate interests in securitizations, as well as pass-through certificates representing our pro rata investments in a pool of mortgage loans (collectively, CMBS). The notional values for the CMBS are shown at their respective face amounts. The fair values of CMBS reflect management's best estimate and require a considerable amount of judgment and assumptions. Management evaluates a variety of inputs and then estimates fair value based on those inputs. The primary inputs evaluated by management are broker quotations, collateral values, subordination levels, and liquidity of the security. For the CMBS, we expect to receive monthly interest coupon payments, and contractual principal payments as scheduled.

(3) This instrument represents a hedging and risk management transaction involving an interest rate swap. It has been valued by reference to market quotations and counterparty credit risks.

(4) Our credit agreements bear interest at floating rates, and we believe that for similar financial instruments with comparable credit risks, the effective rates approximate market value. Accordingly, the carrying amounts outstanding are believed to approximate fair value.

We estimate the fair value of mortgage notes on real estate investments and the secured term loan using a
(5) discounted cash flow analysis, based on our estimates of market interest rates. For mortgages where we have an early payment right, we also consider the prepayment amount to evaluate the fair value.

We estimate the fair value of our convertible senior notes using a discounted cash flow analysis, based upon
(6) management's estimates of market interest rates, and indications of market yields, where available. The maturity date of our convertible senior notes reflects the next put date in October 2017 when the note investors have the right to require us to repurchase their notes for cash and is used to compute the related fair value.

We estimate the fair value of our other long-term debt using a discounted cash flow analysis, based upon
(7) management's estimates of market interest rates. The maturity date of our other long-term debt reflects the actual maturity date in January 2036 and is used to compute the related fair value and weighted average effective interest rate.

Scheduled maturities of interest rate sensitive instruments as of September 30, 2013 are as follows:

	Expected Maturity Dates					
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	Thereafter
	<i>(in thousands, notional amounts, except carrying amount)</i>					
	<i>for derivative assets)</i>					
Loans held for investment	\$267	\$1,108	\$1,029	\$918	\$1,023	\$23,753
Commercial mortgage-backed securities	364	3,984	4,601	8,806	4,816	50,028
Mortgages on real estate investments	4,819	185,335	271,079	279,759	87,890	165,445
Credit agreements	566	3,260	125,072	—	—	—
Secured term loan	2,479	12,851	11,862	12,516	7,680	13,267
Convertible senior notes	—	—	—	—	19,210	—
Other long-term debt	—	—	—	—	—	30,930
Derivative liabilities	45	—	—	—	—	—

Notional amounts may differ from the carrying amounts reported on the Company's Consolidated Balance Sheet.

The above table includes regularly scheduled principal amortization and balloon payments due to maturity on our debt obligations. See Note 10 in our consolidated financial statements included in this Form 10-Q.

The expected maturity dates shown for loans held for investment and commercial mortgage-backed securities are based on the contractual terms of the assets. The material assumptions used to determine fair value are included in footnotes 1 through 7 in the immediately preceding table.

Item 4. Controls and Procedures

Evaluation of Disclosure Controls and Procedures

We maintain disclosure controls and procedures (as defined under Rule 13a-15(e) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act")) that are designed to ensure that information required to be disclosed in our Exchange Act reports is recorded, processed, summarized and reported within the time periods specified in the SEC's rules and forms, and that such information is accumulated and communicated to our management, including our Chief

Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer, as appropriate, to allow timely decisions regarding required disclosure.

Pursuant to Rule 13a-15(b) under the Exchange Act, we carried out an evaluation, with the participation of management, including our Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer, of the effectiveness of our disclosure controls and procedures as of the end of the period covered by this report. Based upon that evaluation, the Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer concluded that our disclosure controls and procedures were effective.

Changes in Internal Controls

There has been no change in our internal control over financial reporting during the quarter ended September 30, 2013, that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, our internal control over financial reporting.

PART II. OTHER INFORMATION

Item 1. Legal Proceedings

From time to time, we are involved in legal proceedings in the ordinary course of business. We do not believe that any matter we are currently involved in will have a material adverse effect on our business, results of operations or financial condition. However, periodic settlements and/or professional or other fees and expenses related to any matter could have an adverse impact on our results of operations in the quarterly or annual period in which they are recognized.

See Note 14 in our consolidated financial statements included in this Form 10-Q for a discussion of pending legal proceedings related to the merger transaction described at Note 2 and Note 21 of the consolidated financial statements included in this Form 10-Q.

Item 1A. Risk Factors

Not applicable.

Item 2. Unregistered Sales of Equity Securities and Use of Proceeds

None.

Item 3. Defaults Upon Senior Securities

None.

Item 4. Mine Safety Disclosures

Not applicable.

Item 5. Other Information

None.

Item 6. Exhibits

- 4.1 Supplemental Indenture, dated as of November 5, 2013, by and among CapLease, Inc., Caplease, LP, American Realty Capital Properties, Inc., ARC Properties Operating Partnership, L.P. and Deutsche

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Bank Trust Company Americas, a New York banking corporation (incorporated by reference to the registrant's Form 8-K filed November 6, 2013)

- 4.2 Supplemental Indenture, dated as of November 5, 2013, by and among Caplease, LP, ARC Properties Operating Partnership, L.P. and The Bank of New York Mellon as successor-in-trust to JP Morgan Chase Bank, National Association (incorporated by reference to the registrant's Form 8-K filed November 6, 2013)
- 10.1 Third Amendment to Credit Agreement, dated November 5, 2013, by and among ARC Properties Operating Partnership, L.P., certain subsidiaries of CapLease, Inc. and Caplease, LP party thereto and Wells Fargo Bank, National Association, as administrative agent and sole lender (incorporated by reference to the registrant's Form 8-K filed November 6, 2013)
- 12.1 Computation of ratio of earnings to fixed charges and ratio of earnings to combined fixed charges and preferred stock dividends
- 31.1 Certification of the Registrant's Chief Executive Officer pursuant to Rule 13a-14(a)/15d-14(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, as adopted pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002
- 31.2 Certification of the Registrant's Chief Financial Officer pursuant to Rule 13a-14(a)/15d-14(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, as adopted pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002
- 32.1 Certification of the Registrant's Chief Executive Officer pursuant to 18 U.S.C. 1350, as adopted pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002
- 32.2 Certification of the Registrant's Chief Financial Officer pursuant to 18 U.S.C. 1350, as adopted pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002
- 101.INS*** XBRL Instance Document
- 101.SCH*** XBRL Taxonomy Extension Schema Document
- 101.CAL*** XBRL Taxonomy Extension Calculation Linkbase Document
- 101.DEF*** XBRL Taxonomy Extension Definition Linkbase Document
- 101.LAB*** XBRL Taxonomy Extension Label Linkbase Document
- 101.PRE*** XBRL Taxonomy Extension Presentation Linkbase Document

**XBRL Information is furnished and not filed or a part of a registration statement or prospectus for purposes of sections 11 or 12 of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, is deemed not filed for purposes of section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and otherwise is not subject to liability under these sections.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

SAFARI ACQUISITION, LLC
(as successor to CapLease, Inc.)

Registrant

Date: November 12, 2013 /s/ Paul H. McDowell
Paul H. McDowell

Acting Chief Executive Officer

Date: November 12, 2013 /s/ Shawn P. Seale
Shawn P. Seale

Acting Chief Financial Officer