

Digital Realty Trust, Inc.  
Form 8-K  
November 08, 2010

**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

**Washington, D.C. 20549**

**FORM 8-K**

**CURRENT REPORT**

**Pursuant to Section 13 OR 15(d) of The**  
**Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

**Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): November 2, 2010**

**DIGITAL REALTY TRUST, INC.**

**DIGITAL REALTY TRUST, L.P.**

**(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)**

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| <b>Maryland</b>  | <b>001-32336</b>                                | <b>26-0081711</b>  |
| <b>Maryland</b><br>(State or other jurisdiction<br>of incorporation)         | <b>000-54023</b><br>(Commission<br>File Number) | <b>20-2402955</b><br>(I.R.S. Employer<br>Identification No.) |
| <b>560 Mission Street, Suite 2900</b>  |   |  |
| <b>San Francisco, California</b><br>(Address of principal executive offices) | <b>(415) 738-6500</b>                           | <b>94105</b><br>(Zip Code)                                   |
| (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)                         |   |  |

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (*see* General Instruction A.2. below):

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- ..  Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

**Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers**

On November 2, 2010, our board of directors promoted Scott Peterson from Sr. Vice President, Acquisitions to Chief Acquisitions Officer. In connection with the promotion, Mr. Peterson's annual base salary was increased to \$425,000 and his maximum annual bonus opportunity was increased to 120% of his base salary actually paid.

**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrants have duly caused this report to be signed on their behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date: November 8, 2010

**Digital Realty Trust, Inc.**

By: /s/ JOSHUA A. MILLS  
Joshua A. Mills  
General Counsel and Assistant Secretary

**Digital Realty Trust, L.P.**

By: Digital Realty Trust, Inc.  
Its general partner

By: /s/ JOSHUA A. MILLS  
Joshua A. Mills  
General Counsel and Assistant Secretary