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# 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): October 12, 2010

# LASALLE HOTEL PROPERTIES

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Maryland (State or Other Jurisdiction of

1-14045 (Commission **36-4219376** (IRS Employer

**Incorporation or Organization**)

File Number)

**Identification No.)** 

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#### 3 Bethesda Metro Center

#### **Suite 1200**

#### Bethesda, Maryland 20814

(Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (301) 941-1500

#### Not Applicable

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

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

- " Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 Under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- " Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

#### ITEM 7.01. REGULATION FD DISCLOSURE

On October 11, 2010, LaSalle Hotel Properties (NYSE: LHO) announced it will report financial results for the third quarter of 2010 on Wednesday, October 20, 2010 after the market closes. The company will conduct its quarterly conference call on Thursday, October 21, 2010 at 9:00 AM EST.

To participate in the conference call, please follow the steps listed below:

- 1. On October 21, 2010, dial (888) 215-7027 approximately ten minutes before the call begins (8:50 AM EST);
- 2. Tell the operator that you are calling for LaSalle Hotel Properties Third Quarter 2010 Earnings Conference Call;
- 3. State your full name and company affiliation and you will be connected to the call.

  A live webcast of the Earnings Call will also be available through the Company s website. To access, log on to <a href="http://www.lasallehotels.com">http://www.lasallehotels.com</a> ten minutes prior to the call. A replay of the conference call webcast will be archived and available online through the Investor Relations section of <a href="http://www.lasallehotels.com">http://www.lasallehotels.com</a>.

LaSalle Hotel Properties is a leading multi-operator real estate investment trust owning 34 upscale full-service hotels, totaling over 9,000 guest rooms in 14 markets in 10 states and the District of Columbia. The Company focuses on owning, redeveloping and repositioning upscale full-service hotels located in urban, resort and convention markets. LaSalle Hotel Properties seeks to grow through strategic relationships with premier lodging companies, including Westin Hotels and Resorts, Sheraton Hotels & Resorts Worldwide, Inc., Hilton Hotels Corporation, Outrigger Lodging Services, Noble House Hotels & Resorts, Hyatt Hotels Corporation, Benchmark Hospitality, White Lodging Services Corporation, Thompson Hotels, Sandcastle Resorts & Hotels, Davidson Hotel Company, Denihan Hospitality Group, the Kimpton Hotel & Restaurant Group, LLC, Accor, Destination Hotels & Resorts, HEI Hotels & Resorts and JRK Hotel Group, Inc.

For additional information or to receive press releases via e-mail, please visit our website at www.lasallehotels.com

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#### **SIGNATURES**

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

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Dated: October 12, 2010 By: /s/ Hans S. Weger Hans S. Weger

Executive Vice President, Treasurer, and Chief Financial Officer