

LASALLE HOTEL PROPERTIES  
Form 8-K  
December 15, 2005

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

Washington, D.C. 20549

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**FORM 8-K**

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**CURRENT REPORT**

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

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): December 15, 2005

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**LASALLE HOTEL PROPERTIES**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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**Maryland**  
(State or other jurisdiction of  
incorporation or organization)

**1-14045**  
(Commission File Number)

**36-4219376**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**3 Bethesda Metro Center**

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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)

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

- .. Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 Under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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  - .. Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**ITEM 7.01. REGULATION FD DISCLOSURE.**

On December 15, 2005, LaSalle Hotel Properties issued a press release announcing that it had closed on the acquisition of the Hilton San Diego Resort in San Diego, California. A copy of such press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this report.

The information in Item 7.01 of this report, including the information in the press release attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this report, is furnished pursuant to Item 7.01 of Form 8-K and shall not be deemed filed for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section. Furthermore, the information in Item 7.01 of this report, including the information in the press release attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this report, shall not be deemed to be incorporated by reference in the filings of the Company under the Securities Act of 1933.

**ITEM 9.01. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.**

(c) Exhibits.

<u>Exhibit No.</u>	<u>Description</u>
99.1	Press release, dated December 15, 2005, issued by LaSalle Hotel Properties, regarding acquisition of the Hilton San Diego Resort.

The information contained in the press release attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this report shall not be deemed filed for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section. Furthermore, the information contained in the press release attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this report shall not be deemed to be incorporated by reference in the filings of the registrant under the Securities Act of 1933.

**SIGNATURES**

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

**LASALLE HOTEL PROPERTIES**

Dated: December 15, 2005

BY: /s/ Hans S. Weger

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**Hans S. Weger**  
*Executive Vice President, Treasurer and  
Chief Financial Officer*

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