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Public Storage  
Form 8-K  
November 10, 2009

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549

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FORM 8-K

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

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): November 4, 2009

PUBLIC STORAGE  
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

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| Maryland   | 001-33519                | 95-3551121                              |
| State or Other Jurisdiction of<br>Incorporation) | (Commission File Number) | (I.R.S. Employer<br>Identification No.) |
| 701 Western Avenue, Glendale, California         |                          | 91201-2349                              |
| (Address of Principal Executive Offices)         |                          | (Zip Code)                              |

(818) 244-8080  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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

ITEM 1.01 ENTRY INTO A MATERIAL DEFINITIVE AGREEMENT

As previously announced, on November 4, 2009, Public Storage (the "Company"), its wholly-owned subsidiary PS LPT Properties Investors ("PS LPT") and Shurgard Self Storage SCA, a Belgian company and affiliate of the Company ("Shurgard Europe"), entered into an Amendment Agreement (the "Agreement") effective as of October 31, 2009. Pursuant to the Agreement, the parties amended the terms of an outstanding loan dated March 31, 2008 from Public Storage and PS LPT to Shurgard Self Storage SCA in the amount of (euro)373,700,000. The amendments extended the maturity date to March 31, 2013 for the existing loan

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and increased the existing 7.5% rate of interest to 9.0% per annum (effective November 1, 2009).

The total amount loaned by Public Storage and its affiliates to Shurgard Europe and its affiliates, (including additional loans to Shurgard Europe and its affiliates with the same interest rate, term, and covenants as the Agreement, and which were amended concurrently with the Agreement), was (euro)391.9 million (\$571.8 million at September 30, 2009).

### ITEM 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

#### (c) EXHIBITS

Exhibit 10.1--Amendment Agreement dated November 4, 2009 between Public Storage, PS LPT Properties Investors, and Shurgard Self Storage SCA

### 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.

Date: November 10, 2009

PUBLIC STORAGE

By: /s/John Reyes

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John Reyes  
Senior Vice President &  
Chief Financial Officer