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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 10-Q

QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(D) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 FOR THE QUARTERLY PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 2017 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 001-37420

SERITAGE GROWTH PROPERTIES

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Maryland 38-3976287 (State of Incorporation) (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

489 Fifth Avenue, 18th Floor, New York, New York 10017 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (212) 355-7800

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 (§232.405 of this chapter) 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, a smaller reporting company or an emerging growth company. See definitions of "large accelerated filer", "accelerated filer", "smaller reporting company" and "emerging growth company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

Large accelerated filer Accelerated filer

Non-accelerated filer (Do not check if a smaller reporting company) Smaller reporting company

Emerging growth company

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

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 July 31, 2017, the registrant had the following common shares outstanding:

Class Shares Outstanding

Class A common shares of beneficial interest, par value \$0.01 per share 27,927,912 Class B common shares of beneficial interest, par value \$0.01 per share 1,434,922 Class C common shares of beneficial interest, par value \$0.01 per share 6,025,635

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QUARTER ENDED JUNE 30, 2017

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PART I. FINANCIAL INFORMATION Item 1. Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements SERITAGE GROWTH PROPERTIES

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

(Unaudited, amounts in thousands, except share and per share amounts)

	June 30, 2017	December 31, 2016
ASSETS		
Investment in real estate		
Land	\$840,021	\$840,021
Buildings and improvements	845,598	839,663
Accumulated depreciation	(117,348)	(89,940)
	1,568,271	1,589,744
Construction in progress	155,031	55,208
Net investment in real estate	1,723,302	1,644,952
Investment in unconsolidated joint ventures	432,014	425,020
Cash and cash equivalents	9,873	52,026
Restricted cash	172,563	87,616
Tenant and other receivables, net	26,385	23,172
Lease intangible assets, net	388,586	464,399
Prepaid expenses, deferred expenses and other assets, net	13,359	15,052
Total assets	\$2,766,082	\$2,712,237
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY		
Liabilities		
Mortgage loans payable, net	\$1,250,336	\$1,166,871
Unsecured term loan, net	83,020	
Accounts payable, accrued expenses and other liabilities	103,285	121,055
Total liabilities	1,436,641	1,287,926