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| Form 4 | | | | | | | | | | |
| March 09, 2 | 2015 | | | | | | | | | |
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| (Print or Type | Responses) | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> BERNSTEIN KENNETH F | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ACADIA REALTY TRUST [AKR | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | | | | |
| (Last) | | | | | | (Check all applicable) | | | | |
| C/O ACAI TRUST, 12 AVENUE, | | (Month/Day/Year) 03/05/2015 | | | X Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) President and CEO | | | | | |
| TTTLITCL, | | | 4 TC A | 1 (D | | 1 | | | | |
| (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Filed(Month/Day/Year) | | | | | - | | | | | |
| WHITE PLAINS, NY 10605 | | | | | | | Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | Tab | le I - Non-l | Derivative | Securities A | cquired, Disposed o | of, or Beneficia | lly Owned | |
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | | Date, if | 3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) Code V | Disposed (Instr. 3, 4 | (A) or of (D) | Securities Beneficially Owned | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| Reminder: Re | port on a separate line | e for each cla | ss of seci | urities bene | ficially ow | ned directly (| or indirectly | | | |
| | р ол а зоранае ник | | | | Perso inform requir | ns who res nation cont red to responses ays a current | spond to the colle ained in this form ond unless the for htly valid OMB co | i are not rm | SEC 1474 (9-02) | |
| | Tab | | | | | posed of, or convertible : | Beneficially Owned securities) | I | | |

| 1. Title of | 2. | 3. Transaction Date | 3A. Deemed | 4. 5 | 5. Number of | 6. Date Exercisable and | 7. Title and Amount of |
|-------------|------------|---------------------|--------------------|-------------|--------------|-------------------------|------------------------|
| Derivative | Conversion | (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if | Transaction | Derivative | Expiration Date | Underlying Securities |

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| Security (Instr. 3) | or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | | any (Month/Day/Year) | Code (Instr. 8) | Securities Acquired (A) o Disposed of (D (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) |) | /Year) | (Instr. 3 and 4 |) |
|---------------------------------|---|------------|-------------------------|--------------------|---|-----------------------|--------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D |) Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount o Number o Shares |
| Limited Partnership Units | \$ 35.14 | 03/05/2015 | | A | 105,862 (1) | <u>(1)</u> | <u>(1)</u> | Common Shares of Beneficial Interest | 105,862 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | |
|---------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|-----------|-------|--|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | |
| BERNSTEIN KENNETH F | | | | | | |
| C/O ACADIA REALTY TRUST | Х | | President | | | |
| 1311 MAMARONECK AVENUE, SUITE 260 | | | and CEO | | | |
| WHITE PLAINS, NY 10605 | | | | | | |
| Signatures | | | | | | |

| Kenneth F. Bernstein | 03/09/2015 | | | |
|-------------------------|------------|--|--|--|
| <u>**</u> Signature of | Date | | | |

**Signature of

Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

On March 5, 2015 ("Grant Date"), Mr. Bernstein was awarded these restricted limited partnership units in Acadia Realty Limited Partnership ("LTIP Units"). 70,575 of these LTIP Units shall vest subject to the following schedule: equal amounts shall vest on March 5, 2016 (the "First Vesting Date") and on each of the first, second, third and fourth anniversaries thereof, provided that Mr. Bernstein

(1) continues to be employed by the Company through the vesting date in question (each a "Vesting Date"). 50% of the remaining 35,287 LTIP Units will vest subject to the same schedule and Mr. Bernstein's continued employment and the other 50% subject to the same schedule, Mr. Bernstein's continued employment and Acadia Realty Trust (the "Company") achieving certain cumulative benchmarks established by the Company's Board of Trustees.

(2) This number represents the total number of LTIP Units (333,962 vested and 548,235 unvested) now held by Mr. Bernstein.

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