

AIR LEASE CORP
Form 8-K
November 20, 2013

**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**

November 20, 2013

Date of Report

(Date of earliest event reported)

AIR LEASE CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware
(State or other jurisdiction of
incorporation)

001-35121
(Commission File Number)

27-1840403
(I.R.S. Employer
Identification No.)

2000 Avenue of the Stars, Suite 1000N
Los Angeles, California
(Address of principal executive offices)

90067

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(310) 553-0555**

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Not Applicable

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

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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 8.01. Other Events.

On November 20, 2013, Air Lease Corporation issued a press release announcing the commencement of an underwritten public offering of 10,138,888 shares of its Class A Common Stock by Ares Management LLC, Leonard Green & Partners, L.P. and WL Ross & Co. LLC and their affiliated entities. A copy of the press release is filed as Exhibit 99.1 to this report and incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) *Exhibits*

Exhibit 23.1 Consent of KPMG LLP, Independent Registered Accounting Firm

Exhibit 23.2 Consent of AVITAS, Inc.

Exhibit 99.1 Press Release dated November 20, 2013

SIGNATURE

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 thereunto duly authorized.

AIR LEASE CORPORATION

Date: November 20, 2013

/s/ Carol H. Forsyte
Carol H. Forsyte
Executive Vice President, General Counsel,
Corporate Secretary and Chief Compliance Officer

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