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Form 8-K

October 02, 2015

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

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): October 2, 2015 (September 30, 2015)

HEALTHCARE TRUST OF AMERICA, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

001-35568 20-4738467 Maryland (State or other jurisdiction (Commission (I.R.S. Employer of incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

16435 N. Scottsdale Road, Suite 320

Scottsdale, Arizona 85254

(Address of principal executive (Zip Code)

offices)

(480) 998-3478

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable

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

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:

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Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

(e) Compensatory Arrangements with Certain Officers.

On September 30, 2015, the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors of Healthcare Trust of America, Inc. (the "Company") approved an extension of the term of the Company's employment agreements (the "Employment Agreements") with each of Mark D. Engstrom, the Company's Executive Vice President - Acquisitions, and Amanda L. Houghton, the Company's Executive Vice President - Asset Management, by six months through July 1, 2016 pursuant to a letter agreement with each executive dated September 30, 2015 (the "Letter Agreements"). In all other respects, the existing terms of each Employment Agreement continue in effect.

Copies of the Letter Agreements are attached hereto as Exhibits 10.1 and 10.2.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (d) Exhibits.
- Letter Agreement between Healthcare Trust of America, Inc. and Mark D. Engstrom dated September 30, 2015.
- Letter Agreement between Healthcare Trust of America, Inc. and Amanda L. Houghton dated September 30, 2015.

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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.

Healthcare Trust of America, Inc.

Date: October 2, 2015 By: /s/ Scott D. Peters

Name: Scott D. Peters

Title: Chief Executive Officer, President and

Chairman