CBL & ASSOCIATES PROPERTIES INC Form 8-K February 12, 2010

# 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 AND EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): February 11, 2010

#### CBL & ASSOCIATES PROPERTIES, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

1-12494 (Commission File Number) 62-1545718 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

Suite 500, 2030 Hamilton Place Blvd, Chattanooga, TN 37421 (Address of principal executive office, including zip code)

423-855-0001 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

N/A

(Former name, former address and former fiscal year, 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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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

Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.

CBL & Associates Properties, Inc. (the "Company") reports, with deep sadness, that Company director Claude M. Ballard passed away on Thursday, February 11, 2010. Mr. Ballard, 79, had served as a director of the Company since the completion of its initial public offering in 1993.

The Company's Press Release concerning the passing of Mr. Ballard is included as an exhibit to this report.

Item 9.01

Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(a) Financial Statements of Businesses Acquired

Not applicable

(b) Pro Forma Financial Information

Not applicable

(c) Exhibits

Exhibit

Number Description

99.1 Press Release – CBL & Associates Properties, Inc. Mourns Death of Board

Member Claude M. Ballard

### **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 hereunto duly authorized.

**CBL & ASSOCIATES** 

PROPERTIES, INC.

/s/ Andrew F. Cobb Andrew F. Cobb Vice President – Director of Accounting

Date: February 12, 2010