W. P. Carey Inc. Form 10-K/A March 17, 2015

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 10-K/A

(Amendment No. 1)

ANNUAL REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2014

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: 001-13779

W. P. CAREY INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Maryland 45-4549771

(State of incorporation) (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

50 Rockefeller Plaza

New York, New York 10020 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Investor Relations (212) 492-8920

(212) 492-1100

(Registrant's telephone numbers, including area code) Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of each class Name of exchange on which registered

Common Stock, \$0.001 Par Value New York Stock Exchange

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Act: None

Indicate by check mark if the registrant is a well-known seasoned issuer, as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act. Yes þ No o

Indicate by check mark if the registrant is not required to file reports pursuant to Section 13 or Section 15(d) of the Act. Yes o No b

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 β No o 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

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to submit and post such files). Yes b No o

Indicate by check mark if disclosure of delinquent filers pursuant to Item 405 of Regulation S-K (§229.405 of this chapter) is not contained herein, and will not be contained, to the best of registrant's knowledge, in definitive proxy or information statements incorporated by reference in Part III of this Form 10-K or any amendment to this Form 10-K. b Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, or a smaller reporting company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer" and "smaller reporting company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

Large accelerated filer b Accelerated filer o Non-accelerated filer o Smaller reporting company o

(Do not check if a smaller reporting company)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Act). Yes o No b State the aggregate market value of the voting and non-voting common equity held by non-affiliates computed by reference to the price at which the common equity was last sold, or the average bid and asked price of such common equity, as of last business day of the registrant's most recently completed second fiscal quarter: \$6.4 billion. As of February 19, 2015 there were 104,141,679 shares of Common Stock of registrant outstanding.

DOCUMENTS INCORPORATED BY REFERENCE

The registrant incorporates by reference its definitive Proxy Statement with respect to its 2015 Annual Meeting of Stockholders, to be filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission within 120 days following the end of its fiscal year, into Part III of this Annual Report on Form 10-K.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

The Registrant is filing this Amendment No. 1 to Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2014 ("Amendment No. 1") to correct an error on the cover page of the original Form 10-K as filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on March 2, 2015 (the "Original Form 10-K"). The cover page of the Original Form 10-K incorrectly showed the total number of shares issued instead of the number of shares outstanding. The correct number of shares of the Registrant's Common Stock outstanding as of February 19, 2015, was 104,141,679, as indicated on the cover page of this Amendment No. 1 (rather than 105,186,095 shares as originally shown).

No changes are hereby made to the Registrant's financial statements. Other than the change discussed above and the filing of the currently dated Section 302 certifications and updated XBRL data under Item 15 of Part IV of this Amendment No. 1, no changes have been made to the Original Form 10-K or the exhibits filed therewith. As such, this Amendment No.1 should be read in conjunction with the Original Form 10-K.

The information contained in this Amendment No. 1 does not reflect events occurring subsequent to the filing of the Original Form 10-K.

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PART IV

Item 15. Exhibits and Financial Statement Schedules.

(3) Exhibits:

The following exhibits are filed as part of this Amendment No. 1.

Exhibit No.	Description	Method of Filing
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31.2	Certification pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002	Filed herewith
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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 13 or 15(d) 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.

W. P. Carey Inc.

Date: March 17, 2015

By: /s/ Catherine D. Rice Catherine D. Rice Chief Financial Officer

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