

VENTAS INC  
Form 8-K  
October 19, 2015

**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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**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 14, 2015**

**VENTAS, INC.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or Other Jurisdiction  
of Incorporation)

**1-10989**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**61-1055020**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**353 N. Clark Street, Suite 3300, Chicago, Illinois**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

**60654**  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code: **(877) 483-6827**

**Not Applicable**

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Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report

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  - o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**Item 1.01. Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.**

On October 14, 2015, Ventas Realty, Limited Partnership, Ventas SSL Ontario II, Inc. and Ventas SSL Ontario III, Inc., each of which is a wholly owned subsidiary of Ventas, Inc. (the Company), as borrowers (collectively, the Borrowers), the Company, as guarantor, and Ventas Canada Finance Limited, Ventas UK Finance, Inc. and Ventas Euro Finance, LLC, each of which is a wholly owned subsidiary of the Company, as new borrowers (collectively, the New Borrowers), entered into a Second Amendment and Joinder (the Amendment) to that certain Amended and Restated Credit and Guaranty Agreement dated as of December 9, 2013 (as amended, the Credit Agreement) with the lenders identified therein and Bank of America, N.A., as Administrative Agent, Swing Line Lender, L/C Issuer and Alternative Currency Fronting Lender. The Amendment, among other things, reflects the addition of the New Borrowers as borrowers under the Credit Agreement and provides a mechanism to add new entities that are deemed acceptable by the Administrative Agent as borrowers under the Credit Agreement.

The foregoing description is qualified by reference in its entirety to the Amendment, a copy of which is filed herewith as Exhibit 10.1 and incorporated in this Item 1.01 by reference.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(a) *Financial Statements of Businesses Acquired.*

Not applicable.

(b) *Pro Forma Financial Information.*

Not applicable.

(c) *Shell Company Transactions.*

Not applicable.

(d) *Exhibits:*

**Description**

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**Exhibit  
Number**

- 10.1 Second Amendment and Joinder dated as of October 14, 2015 to that certain Amended and Restated Credit and Guaranty Agreement among Ventas Realty, Limited Partnership and the additional borrowers named therein, as borrowers, Ventas, Inc., as guarantor, Bank of America, N.A., as Administrative Agent, Swing Line Lender, L/C Issuer and Alternative Current Fronting Lender and the lenders identified therein.

**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 thereunto duly authorized.

VENTAS, INC.

Date: October 19, 2015

By:

/s/ T. Richard Riney  
T. Richard Riney  
Executive Vice President, Chief Administrative Officer  
and General Counsel

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

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