UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13G

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No. )\*

TANGER FACTORY OUTLET CENTERS, INC. (Name of Issuer)

Common

(Title of Class of Securities)

875465 10 6 (CUSIP Number)

Check the following box if a fee is being paid with this statement (X) . (A fee is not required only if the filing person: (1) has a previous statement on file reporting beneficial ownership of more than five percent of the class of securities described in Item 1; and (2) has filed no amendment subsequent thereto reporting beneficial ownership of five percent or less of such class.) (See Rule 13d-7).

\*The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosure provided in a prior cover page.

The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

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NAME OF REPORTING PERSON
 S.S. OR I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON

Franklin Resources, Inc. 13-2670991

- 2. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP
  - (a)
  - (b) X
- 3. SEC USE ONLY
- 4. CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

Delaware

NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH:

- 5. SOLE VOTING POWER
  - 438,396
- 6. SHARED VOTING POWER
- 7. SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

8. SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

438,396

9. AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

438,396 (Please see Notes 1 & 2.)

10. CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES

Not Applicable

11. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9

5.7%

12 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

IA, IV, HC

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Item 1.

(a) Name of Issuer

Tanger Factory Outlet Centers, Inc.

(b) Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices

1400 West Northwood Street Greensboro, NC 27408

Item 2.

(a) Name of Person Filing

Franklin Resources, Inc.

(b) Address of Principal Business Office

777 Mariners Island Blvd. San Mateo, California 94404

(c) Place of Organization

Delaware

(d) Title of Class of Securities

Common

(e) CUSIP

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Item 3.

- (d) Investment Company
- (e) Investment Adviser
- (g) Parent Holding Company (Note: See Item 7)

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Item 4. Ownership

(a) Amount Beneficially Owned

(b) Percent of Class

5.7%

- (c) Number of Shares as to which such person has:
  - (i) Sole power to vote or to direct the vote 438,396
  - (ii) Shared power to vote or to direct the vote
  - (iii) Sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of
  - (iv) Shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of 438,396
- Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class If this statement is being filed to report the fact that as of the date hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the class of securities, check the following ( ).

Not Applicable

Item 6. Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person

Not Applicable

Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on By the Parent Holding Company

See Attached Exhibit

Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group

Not Applicable

Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group

Not Applicable

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Item 10. Certification

By signing below, I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were acquired in the ordinary course of business and were not acquired for the purpose of and do not have the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of such securities and were not acquired in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having such purposes or effect.

This report shall not be construed as an admission by the person filing the report (Franklin Resources, Inc.) that it is the beneficial owner of any securities covered by this report.\*\*\*

## SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

January 31, 1994

S\DEBORAH R. GATZEK Signature

Deborah R. Gatzek
Senior Vice President-Legal
& Assistant Secretary
Name/Title

\*\*\* Franklin Resources, Inc., and its subsidiaries and companies under control with them with respect to the exercise of investment discretion are of the

view that they are not active as a "group" for purposes of Section 13(d) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("1934 Act") and that they are not otherwise required to attribute to each other the "beneficial ownership" of securities under Rule 13(d) 3 promulgated under the 1934 Act. Therefore, they are of the view that the shares held by Franklin Resources, Inc., and its subsidiaries and companies under common control with them need not be aggregated for purposes of Section 13(d). However, Franklin Resources, Inc. is making this filing on a voluntary basis as if all the shares are beneficially owned by Franklin Resources, Inc. and its subsidiaries and companies under common control with respect to the exercise of investment discretion.

- Note 1: Includes 396,396 Common shares that would result upon conversion of 440,000 Convertible Preferred shares.
- Note 2: As computed under Rule 13(d) 3(d)(1)(i)

FRANKLIN RESOURCES, INC. EXHIBIT TO SCHEDULE 13G <TABLE> <CAPTION>

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ITEM 7	ITEM 3
IDENTIFICATION AND CLASSIFICATION OF SUBSIDIARIES	CLASSIFICATION
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FRANKLIN ASSET MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS	3 (e)
PROPERTY RESOURCES, INC.	
CONTINENTAL PROPERTY MANAGEMENT COMPANY	
FS CAPITAL GROUP FS PROPERTIES, INC.	
FRANKLIN PROPERTIES, INC.	
FRANKLIN REAL ESTATE MANAGEMENT, INC.	3(e)
FRANKLIN/TEMPLETON INVESTOR SERVICES, INC. FRANKLIN ADVISERS, INC.	3(e)
FRANKLIN/TEMPLETON DISTRIBUTORS, INC.	3(e), 3(a)
FRANKLIN TRUST COMPANY	
FRANKLIN BANK	3 (b)
FRANKLIN ENERGY CORPORATION ILA FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.	
ARIZONA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF AMERICA	
FRANKLIN MANAGEMENT INC.	3(e)
FRANKLIN INSTITUTIONAL SERVICES CORP. FRANKLIN AGENCY, INC.	3 (e)
FRANKLIN AGENCI, INC.	
HAMPTON UTILITIES TRUST	3 (d)
FRANKITN UNIVERSAL TRUST	3 (d)
FRANKLIN PRINCIPAL MATURITY TRUST	3 (d)
FRANKLIN MULTI-INCOME TRUST FRANKLIN GOLD FUND	3 (d)
FRANKLIN GOLD FUND FRANKLIN PREMIER RETURN FUND	3 (d) 3 (d)
FRANKLIN EQUITY FUND	3 (d)
AGE HIGH INCOME FUND, INC.	3 (d)
FRANKLIN CUSTODIAN FUNDS, INC. GROWTH SERIES	3 (d) 3 (d)
UTILITIES SERIES	3 (d)
DYNATECH SERIES	3 (d)
INCOME SERIES U.S. GOVERNMENT SECURITIES SERIES	3 (d)
U.S. GOVERNMENT SECURITIES SERIES FRANKLIN MONEY FUND	3 (d) 3 (d)
FRANKLIN MONEY FUND FRANKLIN CALIFORNIA TAX-FREE INCOME FUND, INC.	3 (d)
FRANKLIN FEDERAL MONEY FUND	3 (d)
FRANKLIN TAX-EXEMPT MONEY FUND FRANKLIN NEW YORK TAX-FREE INCOME FUND, INC.	3 (d) 3 (d)
FRANKLIN FEDERAL TAX-FREE INCOME FUND	3 (d)
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FRANKLIN TAX-FREE TRUST	3 (d)
FRANKLIN MASSACHUSETTS INSURED TAX-FREE INCOME FUND	, ,
FRANKLIN MICHIGAN INSURED TAX-FREE INCOME FUND FRANKLIN MINNESOTA INSURED TAX-FREE INCOME FUND	3 (d)
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FRANKLIN OHIO INSURED TAX-FREE INCOME FUND	3 (d)
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FRANKLIN ARIZONA TAX-FREE INCOME FUND	3 (d) 3 (d)
FRANKLIN GEORGIA TAX-FREE INCOME FUND	3 (d)
FRANKLIN PENNSYLVANIA TAX-FREE INCOME FUND	3 (d)
FRANKLIN HIGH YIELD TAX-FREE INCOME FUND FRANKLIN MISSOURI TAX-FREE INCOME FUND	3 (d) 3 (d)
FRANKLIN OREGON TAX-FREE INCOME FUND FRANKLIN TEXAS TAX-FREE INCOME FUND	3 (d)
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FRANKLIN IEXAS TAX-FREE INCOME FUND FRANKLIN VIRGINIA TAX-FREE INCOME FUND	3 (d)
FRANKLIN ALABAMA TAX-FREE INCOME FUND	3 (d) 3 (d)
FRANKLIN CONNECTICUT TAX-FREE INCOME FUND	3 (d)
FRANKLIN INDIANA TAX-FREE INCOME FUND	3 (d)
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FRANKLIN NEW JERSEY TAX-FREE INCOME FUND	3 (d)
FRANKLIN KENTUCKY TAX-FREE INCOME FUND	3 (d)
FRANKLIN FEDERAL INTERMEDIATE-TERM	2 ( -1)

TAX-FREE INCOME FUND

FRANKLIN ARIZONA INSURED TAX-FREE INCOME FUND FRANKLIN FLORIDA INSURED TAX-FREE INCOME FUND

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FRANKLIN CALIFORNIA TAX-FREE TRUST	3 (d)
FRANKLIN CALIFORNIA INSURED TAX-FREE INCOME FUND	3 (d)
FRANKLIN CALIFORNIA TAX-EXEMPT MONEY FUND FRANKLIN CALIFORNIA INTERMEDIATE-TERM	3 (d)
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FRANKLIN NEW YORK TAX-FREE TRUST	3 (d)
FRANKLIN NEW YORK TAX-EXEMPT MONEY FUND	3 (d)
FRANKLIN NEW YORK INTERMEDIATE-TERM TAX-FREE INCOME FUND	3 (d)
FRANKLIN NEW YORK INSURED TAX-FREE INCOME FUND	3 (d)
FRANKLIN INVESTORS SECURITIES TRUST	3 (d)
FRANKLIN GLOBAL GOVERNMENT INCOME FUND FRANKLIN SHORT-INTERMEDIATE	3 (d)
FRANKLIN SHORT-INTERMEDIATE U.S. GOVERNMENT SECURITIES FUND	3 (d)
FRANKLIN CONVERTIBLE SECURITIES FUND	3 (d)
FRANKLIN ADJUSTABLE U.S. GOVERNMENT SECURITIES FUND	, ,
FRANKLIN EQUITY INCOME FUND FRANKLIN ADJUSTABLE RATE SECURITIES FUND	3 (d) 3 (d)
INSTITUTIONAL FIDUCIARY TRUST	3 (d)
MONEY MARKET PORTFOLIO	3 (d)
FRANKLIN LATE DAY MONEY MARKET PORTFOLIO	3 (d)
FRANKLIN U.S. GOVERNMENT SECURITIES MONEY MARKET PORTFOLIO	3 (d)
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FRANKLIN U.S. TREASURY MONEY MARKET PORTFOLIO FRANKLIN INSTITUTIONAL ADJUSTABLE U.S. GOVERNMENT	3 (d)
SECURITIES FUND	3 (d)
FRANKLIN INSTITUTIONAL ADJUSTABLE	
RATE SECURITIES FUND FRANKLIN BALANCE SHEET INVESTMENT FUND	3 (d)
FRANKLIN BALANCE SHEET INVESTMENT FUND FRANKLIN TAX-ADVANTAGED INTERNATIONAL BOND FUND	3 (d) 3 (d)
FRANKLIN TAX-ADVANTAGED U.S. GOVERNMENT SECURITIES FUND	3 (d)
FRANKLIN TAX-ADVANTAGED HIGH YIELD SECURITIES FUND	3 (d)
FRANKLIN MANAGED TRUST FRANKLIN CORPORATE QUALIFIED DIVIDEND FUND	3 (d) 3 (d)
FRANKLIN RISING DIVIDENDS FUND	3 (d)
FRANKLIN INVESTMENT GRADE INCOME FUND	3 (d)
FRANKLIN STRATEGIC MORTGAGE PORTFOLIO FRANKLIN MUNICIPAL SECURITIES TRUST	3 (d)
FRANKLIN HAWAII MUNICIPAL BOND FUND	3 (d) 3 (d)
FRANKLIN CALIFORNIA HIGH YIELD MUNICIPAL FUND	3 (d)
FRANKLIN WASHINGTON MUNICIPAL BOND FUND	3 (d)
FRANKLIN STRATEGIC SERIES FRANKLIN CALIFORNIA GROWTH FUND	3 (d) 3 (d)
FRANKLIN MIDCAP GROWTH FUND	3 (d)
FISCO MIDCAP GROWTH FUND	3 (d)
FRANKLIN GLOBAL UTILITIES FUND FRANKLIN SMALL CAP GROWTH FUND	3 (d) 3 (d)
FRANKLIN GLOBAL HEALTH CARE FUND	3 (d)
ADJUSTABLE RATE SECURITIES PORTFOLIOS	3(d)
U.S. GOVERNMENT ADJUSTABLE RATE  MORTGAGE PORTFOLIO	2 (4)
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THE MONEY MARKET PORTFOLIO	3 (d)
THE U.S. GOVERNMENT SECURITIES  MONEY MARKET PORTFOLIO	3 (d)
MIDCAP GROWTH PORTFOLIO	3 (d)
FRANKLIN INTERNATIONAL TRUST	3 (d)
FRANKLIN PACIFIC GROWTH FUND FRANKLIN INTERNATIONAL EQUITY FUND	3 (d) 3 (d)
FRANKLIN REAL ESTATE SECURITIES SERIES	3 (d)
FRANKLIN/TEMPLETON GLOBAL TRUST	3 (d)
FRANKLIN/TEMPLETON GERMAN GOVERNMENT BOND FUND FRANKLIN/TEMPLETON GLOBAL CURRENCY FUND	3 (d)
FRANKLIN/TEMPLETON GLOBAL CORRENCT FUND FRANKLIN/TEMPLETON HARD CURRENCY FUND	3 (d) 3 (d)
FRANKLIN/TEMPLETON HIGH INCOME CURRENCY FUND	3 (d)
FRANKLIN VALUEMARK FUNDS  MONEY MARKET FUND	3 (d)
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PRECIOUS METALS FUND	3 (d)
REAL ESTATE SECURITIES FUND	3 (d)
UTILITY EQUITY FUND HIGH INCOME FUND	3 (d) 3 (d)
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INCOME SECURITIES FUND	3 (d)
U.S. GOVERNMENT SECURITIES FUND	3 (d)
ZERO COUPON FUND - 1995 ZERO COUPON FUND - 2000	3 (d) 3 (d)
ZERO COUPON FUND - 2005	3 (d)
ZERO COUPON FUND - 2010	3 (d)

	ADJUSTABLE U.S. GOVERNMENT FUND	3 (d)
	RISING DIVIDENDS FUND TEMPLETON PACIFIC GROWTH FUND	3 (d) 3 (d)
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FRANKLIN (	GOVERNMENT SECURITIES TRUST	3 (d)
	WORLDWIDE, INC.	
	GLOBAL INVESTORS, INC.	3(e)
	QUANTITATIVE ADVISORS, INC. /FRANKLIN INVESTMENT SERVICES, INC.	3(e),3(a)
	FUNDS MANAGEMENT, INC.	0 (0) <b>,</b> 0 (u)
TEMPLETON	FUNDS TRUST COMPANY	
	FUNDS DISTRIBUTORS, INC.	3(a)
	FUNDS ANNUITY COMPANY INVESTMENT COUNSEL, INC.	2 (-)
	MANAGEMENT LIMITED	3(e)
	HERITAGE LIMITED	
	INTERNATIONAL, INC.	
	INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT (Hong Kong) LIMITED	3(e)
	INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT (Singapore) PTE. LTD. INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT (Australia) LIMITED	
	GLOBAL INVESTORS LIMITED	
TEMPLETON	INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT LIMITED	
	UNIT TRUST MANAGERS LIMITED	
	HOLDINGS LIMITED LIFE ASSURANCE LIMITED	
	GLOBAL STRATEGIC SERVICES S.A.	
	GLOBAL STRATEGIC SERVICES (Deutschland) GMBH	
	MANAGEMENT (Lux.) S.A.	
	LDINGS LTD.	2/->
TEMPLETON	, GALBRAITH AND HANSBERGER LTD.	3(e)
	SMALLER COMPANIES GROWTH FUND, INC.	3 (d)
TEMPLETON	FUNDS, INC. TEMPLETON WORLD FUND	3 (d) 3 (d)
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TEMPLETON	INCOME TRUST	3 (d)
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	GROWTH FUND, INC. EMERGING MARKETS FUND, INC.	3 (d) 3 (d)
	GLOBAL INCOME FUND, INC.	3 (d)
TEMPLETON	VARIABLE ANNUITY FUND	3 (d)
TEMPLETON	VARIABLE PRODUCTS SERIES FUND	3(d)
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	TEMPLETON MONEY MARKET FUND	3 (d)
	TEMPLETON BOND FUND	3 (d)
	TEMPLETON STOCK FUND	3 (d)
	TEMPLETON ASSET ALLOCATION FUND TEMPLETON INTERNATIONAL FUND	3 (d) 3 (d)
TEMPLETON	VALUE FUND, INC.	3 (d)
	GLOBAL GOVERNMENTS INCOME TRUST	3 (d)
	REAL ESTATE SECURITIES FUND	3 (d)
	GLOBAL OPPORTUNITIES TRUST GLOBAL UTILITIES, INC.	3 (d)
	WORLDWIDE INVESTMENTS SICAV	3 (d)
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	DEVELOPMENT FUND LIMITED GLOBAL GROWTH FUND LTD.	
	GLOBAL INCOME PORTFOLIO LTD.	
	INTERNATIONAL EMERGING MARKETS FUND	3(d)
	INTERNATIONAL GROWTH FUND	3(d)
	INTERNATIONAL FOREIGN FUND	3 (d)
TEMPLETON	INSTITUTIONAL FUNDS, INC. TEMPLETON GROWTH SERIES	3 (d) 3 (d)
	TEMPLETON FOREIGN EQUITY SERIES	3 (d)
	TEMPLETON EMERGING MARKETS SERIES	3 (d)
	TEMPLETON SMALLER COMPANIES SERIES	3 (d)
	TEMPLETON GLOBAL FIXED INCOME SERIES TEMPLETON FOREIGN EQUITY (SOUTH AFRICA FREE) SERIES	3 (d)
TEMPLETON	AMERICAN TRUST, INC.	3 (d)
TEMPLETON	CAPITAL ACCUMULATOR FUND, INC.	3 (d)
	DEVELOPING MARKETS TRUST	3 (d)
	GROWTH FUND, LTD. GLOBAL GROWTH FUND (AUSTRALIA)	
	ELOPMENT EQUITY FUND	
	GLOBAL INCOME FUND	
TEMPLETON	GLOBAL INCOME FUND TREASURY BILL FUND	
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TEMPLETON GLOBAL SMALLER COMPANIES FUND TEMPLETON HERITAGE RETIREMENT FUND

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