

**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): May 16, 2008

TANGER FACTORY OUTLET CENTERS, INC.

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(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

North Carolina  
(State or other jurisdiction of Incorporation)

1-11986  
(Commission File Number)

56-1815473  
(I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

\_\_\_\_\_  
3200 Northline Avenue, Greensboro, North Carolina 27408

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(336) 292-3010

(Registrants' telephone number, including area code)

\_\_\_\_\_  
N/A

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

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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:

- ☐ Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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  - ☐ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
  - ☐ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**Item 8.01                    Other Events**

On Friday May 16, 2008, Tanger Factory Outlet Centers, Inc. (the "Company") filed a press release to announce the election of directors and officers to serve for the ensuing year. A copy of the Company's press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this report on Form 8-K. The information contained in this report on Form 8-K, including Exhibit 99.1, shall not be deemed "filed" with the Securities and Exchange Commission nor incorporated by reference in any registration statement filed by the Company under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, unless specified otherwise.

**Item 9.01                    Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(c) Exhibits

The following exhibits are included with this Report:

Exhibit 99.1            Press release to announce the election of directors and officers to serve for the ensuing year

**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.

Dated: May 16, 2008

TANGER FACTORY OUTLET CENTERS, INC.

By:        /s/ Frank C. Marchisello, Jr.  
             Frank C. Marchisello, Jr.

Executive Vice President, Chief Financial Officer

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**EXHIBIT INDEX**

Exhibit No.

99.1 Press release to announce the election of directors and officers to serve for the ensuring year.



# TANGER FACTORY OUTLET CENTERS, INC.

For Release: IMMEDIATE  
Contact: Frank Marchisello  
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## **TANGER ELECTS DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS**

Greensboro, NC -- May 16, 2008. The Shareholders of Tanger Factory Outlet Centers, Inc. (NYSE:SKT) at its Annual Shareholders Meeting on May 16, 2008, elected the following directors to serve for the ensuing year:

Stanley K. Tanger	Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer
Steven B. Tanger	Director, President and Chief Operating Officer
Jack Africk	Independent Director - Lead Director
William G. Benton	Independent Director
Thomas E. Robinson	Independent Director
Allan L. Schuman	Independent Director

During a meeting of the Board of Directors held on May 16, 2008 the following officers were elected to serve for the ensuing year:

Stanley K. Tanger - Chairman of the Board & Chief Executive Officer  
Steven B. Tanger - President & Chief Operating Officer  
Frank C. Marchisello, Jr. - Executive Vice President, Chief Financial Officer & Secretary  
Joseph H. Nehmen - Senior Vice President, Operations  
Carrie A. Warren - Senior Vice President, Marketing  
Kevin M. Dillon - Senior Vice President, Construction & Development  
Lisa J. Morrison - Senior Vice President, Leasing  
James F. Williams - Senior Vice President, & Controller  
Virginia R. Summerell – Vice President, Treasurer & Assistant Secretary  
Mary Ann Williams – Vice President, Human Resources  
Elizabeth J. Coleman – Vice President, Operations  
Laura M. Atwell – Vice President, Marketing  
Beth G. Lippincott – Vice President, Leasing  
Ricky L. Farrar – Vice President, Information Technology  
Thomas J. Guerrieri Jr. – Vice President, Financial Reporting  
Barton A. Hunter - Vice President, Real Estate Development

Tanger Factory Outlet Centers, Inc. (NYSE:SKT) is a fully integrated, self-administered and self-managed publicly traded REIT. The company currently owns and operates 29 centers in 21 states coast to coast, totaling approximately 8.4 million square feet of gross leasable area. Tanger also operates two centers containing approximately 667,000 square feet in which it owns a 50% interest. For more information on Tanger Outlet Centers, visit our web site at [www.tangeroutlet.com](http://www.tangeroutlet.com).

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