SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 20549

SCHEDULE 13G/A

INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN STATEMENTS FILED PURSUANT TO RULES 13d-1(b) AND (c) AND AMENDMENTS THERETO FILED PURSUANT TO 13d-2(b)

Tanger Factory Outlet Centers, Inc.
----(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, \$.01 par value

(Title of Class of Securities)

875465106 -----(CUSIP Number)

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	11	I I	PERCENT	OF CLASS	REPRESENTED	ВҮ	AMOUNT	IN	ROW	(9)	5.77%	
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 1 	NAME OF REPORTING PERSON S.S. OR I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON AEW Capital Management, Inc.									
2	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP* (a) [] (b) []									
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Item 1 (a). Name of Issuer

Tanger Factory Outlet Centers, Inc.

Item 1(b). Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices
1400 West Northwood Street, Greensboro, NC 27408

Item 2(a). Name of Person Filing

AEW Capital Management, L.P./AEW Capital Management, Inc.

Item 2(b). Address of Principal Business Office or, if none, Residence

225 Franklin Street, Boston, MA 02110

Item 2(c). Citizenship

Delaware/Massachusetts

Item 2(d). Title of Class of Securities

Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share

Item 2(e). CUSIP Number

875465106

Item 3. If this statement is filed pursuant to Rule 13d-1(b), or 13d-2(b), check whether the person is filing is a:

(a) [] Broker or dealer registered under Section 15 of the Act,

(b) [] Bank as defined in Section 3(a)(6) of the Act,

- (c) [] Insurance Company as defined in Section 3(a)(19) of the Act,
- (d) [] Investment Company registered under Section 8 of the Investment Company Act,
- (e) |X| Investment Adviser registered under Section 203 of the Investment Advisers Act of 1940,
- (f) [] Employee Benefit Plan, Pension Fund which is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 or Endowment Fund; see Rule 13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(F),
- (g) [X] Parent Holding Company, in accordance with Rule 13d-1(b)(ii)(G); see Item 7,
- (h) [] Group, in accordance with Rule 13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(H).

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Item 4. Ownership

(a) Amount beneficially owned: 456,300 shares

(b) Percent of class: 5.77%

(c) Number of shares as to which such person has:

- (i) sole power to vote or to direct the vote: 456,300 shares
- (ii) shared power to vote or to direct the vote: -0-
- (iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of: 456,300 shares
- (iv) shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of: -0-
- Item 5. Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class 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 Securities Being Reported on By the Parent Holding Company

Pursuant to Rule 13d-1(b)(ii)(G) AEW Capital Management, Inc. is filing this report because it is the general partner of AEW Capital Management, L.P., a registered investment adviser who acts as investment adviser to certain separate accounts which have purchased the securities that are the subject of this filing.

- Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group Not Applicable.
- Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group Not Applicable.
- 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.

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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 as of December 31, 1998.

AEW CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, L.P.

By: AEW Capital Management, Inc., its general partner

By: /s/ James J. Finnegan

Name: James J. Finnegan

Title: Vice President

AEW CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, INC.

By: /s/ James J. Finnegan

Name: James J. Finnegan
Title: Vice President