

MONMOUTH REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT CORP  
Form 8-K  
January 19, 2012

**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) January 19, 2012

**MONMOUTH REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT CORPORATION**

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

**MARYLAND** 001-33177 22-1897375

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification Number)

**3499 Route 9N, Suite 3C, Freehold, NJ 07728**

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (732) 577-9996

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

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 (see General Instructions A.2. below):

Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under 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))

**Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.**

On January 19, 2012, the Company issued a press release announcing the declaration of quarterly dividends on the common and preferred stock.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(c) Exhibits.

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Press Release dated January 19, 2012.

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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.

MONMOUTH REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT CORPORATION

/s/ Maureen E. Vecere

MAUREEN E. VECERE

Chief Financial Officer and Chief Accounting Officer

Date January 19, 2012

