

Education Realty Trust, Inc.
Form 8-K
August 16, 2005

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):

August 15, 2005

Education Realty Trust, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Maryland

001-32417

201352180

(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)

(Commission
File Number)

(I.R.S. Employer
Identification No.)

530 OAK COURT DRIVE, SUITE 300,
MEMPHIS, Tennessee

38117

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

901-259-2500

Not Applicable

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:

- 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 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On August 15, 2005, Education Realty Trust, Inc. (the "Company") issued a press release providing the results for its financial performance for the fiscal quarter ended June 30, 2005. A copy of this press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

Pursuant to General Instruction B.2 of Form 8-K, the press release attached as Exhibit 99.1 is "furnished" and not "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"). The information in this Current Report on Form 8-K shall not be incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits.

99.1 Press Release dated August 15, 2005.

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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.

Education Realty Trust, Inc.

August 15, 2005

By: *Paul O. Bower*

Name: Paul O. Bower

Title: Chairman, Chief Executive Officer and President

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| <u>Exhibit No.</u> | <u>Description</u> |
|---------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 99.1 | Press Release dated August 15, 2005 |