KILROY REALTY CORP

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x ANNUAL REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2017

"TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the transition period from

Commission file number 1-12675 (Kilroy Realty Corporation) Commission file number 000-54005 (Kilroy Realty, L.P.)

KILROY REALTY CORPORATION

KILROY REALTY, L.P.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Kilroy Realty

Maryland

95-4598246

95-4612685

Corporation

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or

(I.R.S. Employer Identification

organization)

No.)

Kilroy Realty, L.P. Delaware

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or

(I.R.S. Employer Identification

organization)

No.)

12200 W. Olympic Boulevard, Suite 200, Los Angeles, California 90064

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (310) 481-8400

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of each class Registrant Name of each exchange on which registered

Kilroy Realty Corporation Common Stock, \$.01 par value New York Stock Exchange

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Act:

Registrant Title of each class

Kilroy Realty, L.P. Common Units Representing Limited Partnership Interests

Indicate by check mark if the registrant is a well-known seasoned issuer, as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act. Kilroy Realty Corporation Yes x No "Kilroy Realty, L. P. Yes x No "

Indicate by check mark if the registrant is not required to file reports pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Act. Kilroy Realty Corporation Yes "No x Kilroy Realty, L. P. Yes "No x

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Kilroy Realty Corporation Yes x No "Kilroy Realty, L. P. Yes x No "

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Web site, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (§232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files).

Kilroy Realty Corporation Yes x No "Kilroy Realty, L. P. Yes x No "

Indicate by check mark if disclosure of delinquent filers pursuant to Item 405 of Regulation S-K (§229.405 of this chapter) is not contained herein, and will not be contained, to the best of registrant's knowledge, in definitive proxy or information statements incorporated by reference in Part III of this Form 10-K or any amendment to this Form 10-K."

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, or a smaller reporting company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer" and "smaller reporting company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

Kilroy Realty Corporation

Non-accelerated filer

x Large accelerated filero Accelerated filero (Do not check if a smaller reporting company company)

Emerging growth company

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act. o

Kilroy Realty, L.P.

Non-accelerated filer

oLarge accelerated fileroAccelerated filerx(Do not check if a smaller reporting oSmaller reporting company company)

Emerging growth company

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act. o

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Act). Kilroy Realty Corporation Yes "No x Kilroy Realty, L. P. Yes "No x

The aggregate market value of the voting and non-voting shares of common stock held by non-affiliates of Kilroy Realty Corporation was approximately \$7,367,936,410 based on the quoted closing price on the New York Stock Exchange for such shares on June 30, 2017.

There is no public trading market for the common units of limited partnership interest of Kilroy Realty, L.P. As a result, the aggregate market value of the common units of limited partnership interest held by non-affiliates of Kilroy Realty, L.P. cannot be determined.

As of February 9, 2017, 98,721,228 shares of Kilroy Realty Corporation's common stock, par value \$.01 per share, were outstanding.

DOCUMENTS INCORPORATED BY REFERENCE

Portions of the Kilroy Realty Corporation's Proxy Statement with respect to its 2018 Annual Meeting of Stockholders to be filed not later than 120 days after the end of the registrant's fiscal year are incorporated by reference into Part III of this Form 10-K.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This report combines the annual reports on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2017 of Kilroy Realty Corporation and Kilroy Realty, L.P. Unless stated otherwise or the context otherwise requires, references to "Kilroy Realty Corporation" or the "Company," "we," "our," and "us" mean Kilroy Realty Corporation, a Maryland corporation, and it controlled and consolidated subsidiaries, and references to "Kilroy Realty, L.P." or the "Operating Partnership" mean Kilroy Realty, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership, and its controlled and consolidated subsidiaries.

The Company is a real estate investment trust, or REIT, and the general partner of the Operating Partnership. As of December 31, 2017, the Company owned an approximate 97.9% common general partnership interest in the Operating Partnership. The remaining approximate 2.1% common limited partnership interests are owned by non-affiliated investors and certain directors and officers of the Company. As the sole general partner of the Operating Partnership, the Company exercises exclusive and complete discretion over the Operating Partnership's day-to-day management and control and can cause it to enter into certain major transactions including acquisitions, dispositions, and refinancings and cause changes in its line of business, capital structure and distribution policies.

There are a few differences between the Company and the Operating Partnership that are reflected in the disclosures in this Form 10-K. We believe it is important to understand the differences between the Company and the Operating Partnership in the context of how the Company and the Operating Partnership operate as an interrelated, consolidated company. The Company is a REIT, the only material asset of which is the partnership interests it holds in the Operating Partnership. As a result, the Company generally does not conduct business itself, other than acting as the sole general partner of the Operating Partnership, issuing equity from time to time and guaranteeing certain debt of the Operating Partnership. The Company itself is not directly obligated under any indebtedness, but generally guarantees all of the debt of the Operating Partnership. The Operating Partnership owns substantially all of the assets of the Company either directly or through its subsidiaries, conducts the operations of the Company's business and is structured as a limited partnership with no publicly-traded equity. Except for net proceeds from equity issuances by the Company, which the Company generally contributes to the Operating Partnership in exchange for units of partnership interest, the Operating Partnership generates the capital required by the Company's business through the Operating Partnership's operations, by the Operating Partnership's incurrence of indebtedness or through the issuance of units of partnership interest.

Noncontrolling interests, stockholders' equity and partners' capital are the main areas of difference between the consolidated financial statements of the Company and those of the Operating Partnership. The common limited partnership interests in the Operating Partnership are accounted for as partners' capital in the Operating Partnership's financial statements and, to the extent not held by the Company, as noncontrolling interests in the Company's financial statements. The Operating Partnership's financial statements reflect the noncontrolling interest in Kilroy Realty Finance Partnership, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership (the "Finance Partnership"). This noncontrolling interest represents the Company's 1% indirect general partnership interest in the Finance Partnership, which is directly held by Kilroy Realty Finance, Inc., a wholly owned subsidiary of the Company. The differences between stockholders' equity, partners' capital and noncontrolling interests result from the differences in the equity issued by the Company and the Operating Partnership, and in the Operating Partnership's noncontrolling interest in the Finance Partnership.

We believe combining the annual reports on Form 10-K of the Company and the Operating Partnership into this single report results in the following benefits:

Combined reports better reflect how management and the analyst community view the business as a single operating unit;

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Combined reports enhance investors' understanding of the Company and the Operating Partnership by enabling them to view the business as a whole and in the same manner as management;

Combined reports are more efficient for the Company and the Operating Partnership and result in savings in time, effort and expense; and

Combined reports are more efficient for investors by reducing duplicative disclosure and providing a single document for their review.

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To help investors understand the significant differences between the Company and the Operating Partnership, this report presents the following separate sections for each of the Company and the Operating Partnership:

- 4tem 6. Selected Financial Data Kilroy Realty Corporation;
- Item 6. Selected Financial Data Kilroy Realty, L.P.;
- Item 7. Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations:
- —Liquidity and Capital Resources of the Company; and
- —Liquidity and Capital Resources of the Operating Partnership;
- consolidated financial statements;
- the following notes to the consolidated financial statements:
- Note 8, Secured and Unsecured Debt of the Company;
- Note 9, Secured and Unsecured Debt of the Operating Partnership;
- Note 11, Noncontrolling Interests on the Company's Consolidated Financial Statements;
- Note 12, Noncontrolling Interests on the Operating Partnership's Consolidated Financial Statements;
- Note 13, Stockholders' Equity of the Company;
- Note 14, Partners' Capital of the Operating Partnership;
 - Note 20, Net Income Available to Common Stockholders Per Share of the Company;
- Note 21, Net Income Available to Common Unitholders Per Unit of the Operating Partnership;
- Note 22, Supplemental Cash Flow Information of the Company;
- Note 23, Supplemental Cash Flow Information of the Operating Partnership;
- Note 25, Quarterly Financial Information of the Company (Unaudited); and
- Note 26, Quarterly Financial Information of the Operating Partnership (Unaudited).

This report also includes separate sections under Item 9A. Controls and Procedures and separate Exhibit 31 and Exhibit 32 certifications for each of the Company and the Operating Partnership to establish that the Chief Executive Officer and the Chief Financial Officer of each entity have made the requisite certifications and that the Company and Operating Partnership are compliant with Rule 13a-15 or Rule 15d-15 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), and 18 U.S.C. §1350.

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PART I

This document contains certain forward-looking statements within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, including, among other things, statements or information concerning our plans, objectives, capital resources, portfolio performance, results of operations, projected future occupancy and rental rates, lease expirations, debt maturities, potential investments, strategies such as capital recycling, development and redevelopment activity, projected construction costs, projected construction commencement and completion dates, projected square footage of space that could be constructed on undeveloped land that we own, projected rentable square footage of or number of units in properties under construction or in the development pipeline, anticipated proceeds from capital recycling activity or other dispositions and anticipated dates of those activities or dispositions, projected increases in the value of properties, dispositions, future executive incentive compensation, pending, potential or proposed acquisitions, plans to grow our net operating income and funds from operations, our ability to re-lease properties at or above current market rates, anticipated market conditions, demographics and other forward-looking financial data, as well as the discussion in "Item 7. Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations -Factors That May Influence Future Results of Operations." Forward-looking statements are based on our current expectations, beliefs and assumptions, and are not guarantees of future performance. Forward-looking statements are inherently subject to uncertainties, risks, changes in circumstances, trends and factors that are difficult to predict, many of which are outside of our control. Accordingly, actual performance, results and events may vary materially from those indicated in the forward-looking statements, and you should not rely on the forward-looking statements as predictions of future performance, results or events. All forward-looking statements are based on information that was available and speak only as of the date on which they were made. We assume no obligation to update any forward-looking statement that becomes untrue because of subsequent events, new information or otherwise, except to the extent we are required to do so in connection with our ongoing requirements under federal securities laws.

In addition, this report contains information and statistics regarding, among other things, the industry, markets, submarkets and sectors in which we operate, the percentage by which certain leases are above or below applicable market rents and the number of square feet of office and other space that could be developed from specific parcels of undeveloped land. We obtained this information and these statistics from various third-party sources and our own internal estimates. We believe that these sources and estimates are reliable but have not independently verified them and cannot guarantee their accuracy or completeness.

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ITEM 1.BUSINESS

The Company

We are a self-administered REIT active in premier office and mixed-use submarkets along the West Coast. We own, develop, acquire and manage real estate assets, consisting primarily of Class A properties in the coastal regions of Los Angeles, Orange County, San Diego County, the San Francisco Bay Area and Greater Seattle, which we believe have strategic advantages and strong barriers to entry. Class A real estate encompasses attractive and efficient buildings of high quality that are attractive to tenants, are well-designed and constructed with above-average material, workmanship and finishes and are well-maintained and managed. We own our interests in all of our real estate assets through the Operating Partnership and the Finance Partnership and generally conduct substantially all of our operations through the Operating Partnership. We qualify as a REIT under the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code").

Our stabilized portfolio of operating properties was comprised of the following properties at December 31, 2017:

Nı	ımber of	Rentable	Number of	Percentage		Percentage	
Bı	iildings	Square Feet	Tenants	Occupied		Leased	
Stabilized Office Properties 10	1	13,720,597	511	95.2	%	96.9	%
Number of Number Average Buildings of Units Occupancy							
	Average						
	Dunaing	gs of Units	Occupancy				
Stabilized Residential Property			70.2 %				

Our stabilized portfolio includes all of our properties with the exception of development and redevelopment properties currently under construction or committed for construction, "lease-up" properties, real estate assets held for sale and undeveloped land. We define redevelopment properties as those properties for which we expect to spend significant development and construction costs on the existing or acquired buildings pursuant to a formal plan, the intended result of which is a higher economic return on the property. We define "lease-up" properties as office and retail properties we recently developed or redeveloped that have not yet reached 95% occupancy and are within one year following cessation of major construction activities. There were no operating properties in "lease-up" or held for sale as of December 31, 2017.

During the first quarter of 2017, we added one development project to our stabilized office portfolio consisting of 365,359 rentable square feet in Hollywood, California. As of December 31, 2017, the following properties were excluded from our stabilized portfolio. We did not have any redevelopment properties at December 31, 2017.

		Estimated
	Number of	Rentable
	Properties/Projects	Square
		Feet
Development projects under construction (1)(2)	4	1,800,000

Estimated rentable square feet upon completion. See "Item 7. Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial

⁽¹⁾ Condition and Results of Operations —Factors That May Influence Future Results of Operations —Completed, In-Process and Future Development Pipeline" for more information.

Includes 86,000 square feet of Production, Distribution, and Repair ("PDR") space. Development projects under

⁽²⁾ construction also include 96,000 square feet of retail space and 237 residential units at One Paseo - Phase I in addition to the estimated rentable square feet noted above.

Our stabilized portfolio also excludes our near-term and future development pipeline, which as of December 31, 2017, was comprised of six potential development sites, representing approximately 48 gross acres of undeveloped land.

As of December 31, 2017, all of our properties and development projects were owned and all of our business was conducted in the state of California with the exception of twelve office properties and one development project under construction located in the state of Washington. As of December 31, 2017, we owned 100% of all our properties and developments, excluding four office properties located in San Francisco, California owned by three consolidated property partnerships. Two of the three property partnerships, 100 First Street Member, LLC ("100 First LLC") and 303 Second Street Member, LLC ("303 Second LLC"), in which the Company owns an approximate 56% equity interest,

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each owned one office property in San Francisco, California through subsidiary REITs (see Note 11 "Noncontrolling Interests on the Company's Consolidated Financial Statements" and Note 12 "Noncontrolling Interests on the Operating Partnership's Consolidated Financial Statements" to our consolidated financial statements included in this report for additional information). The remaining interests were owned by an unrelated third party. The third property partnership, in which the Company owns an approximate 93% common equity interest, Redwood City Partners, LLC ("Redwood LLC"), owned two office properties in Redwood City, California. The remaining interest was owned by an unrelated third party. All three property partnerships are consolidated entities.

We own our interests in all of our real estate assets through the Operating Partnership and the Finance Partnership and generally conduct substantially all of our operations through the Operating Partnership of which we owned a 97.9% common general partnership interest as of December 31, 2017. The remaining 2.1% common limited partnership interest in the Operating Partnership as of December 31, 2017 was owned by non-affiliated investors and certain of our executive officers and directors. Kilroy Realty Finance, Inc., a wholly owned subsidiary of the Company, is the sole general partner of the Finance Partnership and owns a 1.0% common general partnership interest. The Operating Partnership owns the remaining 99.0% common limited partnership interest. With the exception of the Operating Partnership and our consolidated property partnerships, all of our subsidiaries are wholly-owned.

Available Information; Website Disclosure; Corporate Governance Documents