

GLADSTONE LAND Corp  
Form 8-K  
December 23, 2014

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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):

December 17, 2014

Gladstone Land Corporation

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Maryland

001-35795

54-1892552

(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

(Commission  
File Number)

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

1521 Westbranch Drive , Suite 100, McLean,  
Virginia

22102

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

7032875893

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 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))



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**Item 1.01 Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.**

On December 17, 2014, Gladstone Land Corporation (the "Company") won , at a public auction, the right to acquire 332 acres of cropland located in Monterey County, California (the "Property"), for a purchase price of approximately \$17.0 million (the "Winning Bid"). The Winning Bid was accepted by John L. McDonnell, Jr., as trustee of the Jarvis Replacement Administrative Trust. The Property is irrigated farmland that is primarily farmed for strawberries and vegetables. The transaction is expected to close on January 5, 2015, and the Company intends to finance this acquisition primarily through its new facility with Federal Agricultural Mortgage Corporation ("Farmer Mac").

The purchase of the Property is subject to certain closing conditions, and there can be no assurance that the acquisition will be consummated by a certain time, or at all.

Certain statements and assumptions in this filing contain or are based upon "forward-looking" information and are being made pursuant to the safe harbor provisions of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Such statements are subject to numerous assumptions and uncertainties, many of which are outside the Company's control. The Company undertakes no obligations to publicly release the result of any revisions to these forward-looking statements that may be made to reflect any future events or circumstances, except as required by law.

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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.

*December 23, 2014*

Gladstone Land Corporation

By: */s/ Lewis Parrish*

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*Name: Lewis Parrish  
Title: Chief Financial Officer*