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**KBS REIT II Signs 41,431 Sq. Ft. in Leases  
at Pierre Laclede Center in St. Louis**

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ST. LOUIS (May 12, 2014) – [KBS Real Estate Investment Trust II](#) (“KBS REIT II”), a public non-traded real estate investment trust based in Newport Beach, Calif., announces 41,431 square-foot in leases signed at its [Pierre Laclede Center](#), a two-building office complex in the St. Louis submarket of Clayton, Mo.

Among the leases is a new, 30,380-square-foot lease signed by Morgan Stanley Smith Barney. Mark Palmer and Art Kerckhoff of CBRE represented KBS REIT II in the transaction. Palmer and Kerckhoff also represented KBS REIT II in leases signed there by Capes Sokol Goodman & Sarachan PC (a 1,940-square-foot expansion); Desai Eggman Mason, LLC (a 5,848-square-foot expansion/relocation); and Unum Life Insurance Company of America (a new, 5,241-square-foot lease).

Pierre Laclede Center is a 579,846-square-foot complex located at 7701 and 7733 Forsyth in St. Louis. The property’s amenities include a cafeteria, a fitness center, a conference center, garage parking, car wash, two full-service banks and the St. Louis Club, a premiere business club in the St. Louis metro area.

“We believe that Pierre Laclede Center features the right mix of amenities and a great location in a highly desirable St. Louis submarket,” said KBS Capital Advisors Senior VP Brett Merz. “The complex also benefits from its location at the prominent intersection of Hanley Road and Forsyth Boulevard, as well as near the heart of the St. Louis government center, several major hotels and more than 50 restaurants.”

KBS-affiliated companies own two other St. Louis assets: [Plaza in Clayton](#), a 325,172-square-foot office tower and the [Lofts at the Highlands](#), a 200-unit mid-rise apartment community. KBS REIT II does not own an interest in these properties.

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