CBL & ASSOCIATES PROPERTIES I Form 8-K December 27, 2006 UNITED STATES	NC			
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION				
Washington, D.C. 20549				
FORM 8-K				
CURRENT REPORT				
PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE				
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934				
Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): December 27, 2006				
CBL & ASSOCIATES PROPERTIES, INC.				
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)				
<b>Delaware</b> (State or Other Jurisdiction of	1-12494 (Commission File Number)	<b>62-154718</b> (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)		

Incorporation)

#### Suite 500, 2030 Hamilton Place Blvd, Chattanooga, TN 37421

(Address of principal executive office, including zip code)

#### (423) 855-0001

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

#### N/A

(Former name, former address and former fiscal year, 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 Instruction A.2. below):

[]	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 9.01 Finance	ial Statements and Exhibits	
(a) Financial Stateme	nts of Businesses Acquired	
Not applicable		
(b) Pro Forma Financ	ial Information	
Not applicable		
(c) Shell Company Tr	ransactions	
Not applicable		
(d) Exhibits		
The following Exhibits are incorporated by reference into Registration Statement No. 333-131092 on Form S-3 filed by CBL & Associated Properties, Inc. (the Company ) with the Securities and Exchange Commission as exhibits thereto and are filed as part of this Report:		
Exhibit Number 5.3 23.6	Description Opinion of Husch & Eppenberger, LLC, counsel for the Company. Consent of Husch & Eppenberger, LLC (included in Exhibit 5.3)	
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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.

CBL & ASSOCIATES PROPERTIES, INC.

/s/ John N. Foy John N. Foy Vice Chairman, Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer

Date: December 27, 2006

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## EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No.	<u>Description</u>
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