

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): July 14, 2014

Hines Global REIT, Inc.

Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter

<u>Maryland</u> (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	<u>000-53964</u> (Commission File Number)	<u>26-3999995</u> (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)
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<u>2800 Post Oak Blvd, Suite 5000, Houston, Texas</u> (Address of principal executive offices)	<u>77056-6118</u> (Zip Code)
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Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (888) 220-6121

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))

**Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure**

On July 14, 2014, Hines Interests Limited Partnership (“Hines”), the sponsor of Hines Global REIT, Inc. (“Hines Global”), issued a press release related to appointment of Hines Global’s Chief Investment Officer. A copy of such press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K. Pursuant to the rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission (the “SEC”), such exhibit and the information set forth therein are deemed to have been furnished and shall not be deemed to be “filed” under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the “Exchange Act”).

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(d) Exhibits:

99.1 Press Release of Hines, dated July 14, 2014

## 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.

Hines Global REIT, Inc.

July 14, 2014

By: /s/ J. Shea Morgenroth  
Name: J. Shea Morgenroth  
Title: Chief Accounting Officer and Treasurer

## Exhibit Index

<b>Exhibit No.</b>	<b>Description</b>
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Press Release of Hines, dated July 14, 2014

# Hines

## News Release

For Immediate Release  
July 14, 2014

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### **DAVID STEINBACH APPOINTED AS CHIEF INVESTMENT OFFICER OF HINES GLOBAL REIT, INC**

(HOUSTON) – Hines, the international real estate firm, announced today that David Steinbach has been appointed as the Chief Investment Officer of Hines Global REIT, Inc.

Since joining Hines in 1999, David has been responsible for the acquisition of over \$3 billion in assets for various Hines affiliates in the U.S. and internationally. Prior to this role he served in various roles in which he was responsible for acquisitions, asset management and property dispositions on behalf of Hines Real Estate Investment Trust, Inc., Hines Global REIT and Hines US Core Office Fund LP, both in the U.S. and internationally.

“David has been an integral part of the Hines Global REIT management team since its inception and is well-suited to lead our investment activities going forward,” said Sherri Schugart, President and Chief Executive Officer of Hines Global REIT. “David will be leading a very talented and tenured team, including Managing Directors, Ken Jett, Kenton McKeehan and Blake Williams, all of whom have been key participants in assembling Hines Global REIT’s outstanding real estate portfolio totaling investments in excess of \$4.0 billion.”

Hines President and CEO Jeff Hines comments, “David’s strong relationships with other leaders across Hines’ global investment platform, as well as members of the international commercial real estate investment brokerage community, have positioned him well for this new role.”

Hines Global REIT is a public, non-listed real estate investment trust sponsored by Hines that owns interests in 41 real estate investments located in the United States and internationally. For additional information about Hines Global REIT, visit [www.hinessecurities.com](http://www.hinessecurities.com).

Hines is a privately owned real estate firm involved in real estate investment, development and property management worldwide. The firm’s historical and current portfolio of projects that are underway, completed, acquired and managed for third parties includes 1,317 properties representing

more than 541 million square feet of office, residential, mixed-use, industrial, hotel, medical and sports facilities, as well as large, master-planned communities and land developments. Currently, Hines manages 391 properties totaling 161 million square feet, which includes 89.1 million square feet for third parties. With offices in 115 cities in 18 countries, and controlled assets valued at approximately \$28.2 billion, Hines is one of the largest real estate organizations in the world. Visit [www.hines.com](http://www.hines.com) for more information.