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SCHEDULE TO/A
TENDER OFFER STATEMENT UNDER SECTION 14(d)(1) OR 13(e)(1)
OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934
(Amendment No. 17)

TAUBMAN CENTERS, INC.

(Name of Subject Company (Issuer))
SIMON PROPERTY ACQUISITIONS, INC.

SIMON PROPERTY GROUP, INC.

WESTFIELD AMERICA, INC.

(Names of Filing Persons (Offerors))
COMMON STOCK, PAR VALUE \$.01 PER SHARE

(Title of Class of Securities)

876664103

(CUSIP Number of Class of Securities)

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Amount Previously Paid: Form or Registration No.:		2862),	Simon Property Group, Acquisitions, Inc.; We December 5, 2002, Dece January 15, 2003
	he filing relates solely to p	reliminary communicati	ons
/ / Check the appropria	ate boxes below to designate tes.	any transactions to wh	ich
/X/ third-party te	nder offer subject to Rule 14	d-1.	

/ / issuer tender offer subject to Rule 13e-4.

/ / amendment to Schedule 13D under Rule 13d-2.

// going-private transaction subject to Rule 13e-3.

Check the following box if the filing is a final amendment reporting the results of the tender offer:  $\ / \ /$ 

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#### SCHEDULE TO

This Amendment No. 17 amends and supplements the Tender Offer Statement on Schedule TO originally filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission") on December 5, 2002, as amended and supplemented by Amendment No. 1 thereto filed with the Commission on December 16, 2002, by Amendment No. 2 thereto filed with the Commission on December 27, 2002, by Amendment No. 3 thereto filed with the Commission on December 30, 2002, by Amendment No. 4 thereto filed with the Commission on December 31, 2002, by Amendment No. 5 thereto filed with the Commission on January 15, 2003, by Amendment No. 6 thereto filed with the Commission on January 15, 2003, by Amendment No. 7 thereto filed with the Commission January 16, 2003, by Amendment No. 8 thereto filed with the Commission on January 22, 2003, by Amendment No. 9 thereto filed with the Commission on January 23, 2003, by Amendment No. 10 thereto filed with the Commission on February 7, 2003, by Amendment No. 11 thereto filed with the Commission on February 11, 2003, by Amendment No. 12 thereto filed with the Commission on February 18, 2003, by Amendment No. 13 thereto filed with the Commission on February 21, 2003, by Amendment No. 14 thereto filed with the Commission on February 21, 2003, by Amendment No. 15 thereto filed with the Commission on February 27, 2003, and by Amendment No. 16 thereto filed with the Commission on February 27, 2003 (as amended and supplemented, the "Schedule TO") relating to the offer by Simon Property Acquisitions, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Purchaser") and wholly owned subsidiary of Simon Property Group, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("SPG Inc."), to purchase all of the outstanding shares of common stock, par value \$.01 per share (the "Shares"), of Taubman Centers, Inc. (the "Company") at a purchase price of \$20.00 per Share, net to the seller in cash, without interest thereon, upon the terms and subject to the conditions set forth in the Offer to Purchase, dated December 5, 2002 (the "Offer to Purchase"), and the Supplement to the Offer to Purchase, dated January 15, 2003 (the "Supplement"), and in the related revised Letter of Transmittal (which, together with any supplements or amendments, collectively constitute the "Offer"). This Amendment No. 17 to the Schedule TO is being filed on behalf of the Purchaser, SPG Inc. and Westfield America, Inc. ("WEA").

Capitalized terms used and not defined herein shall have the meanings assigned to such terms in the Offer to Purchase, the Supplement and the Schedule TO, as applicable.

The item numbers and responses thereto below are in accordance with the requirements of Schedule  ${\tt TO.}$ 

### Item 11. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION.

On February 28, 2003, SPG Inc. filed a Reply Memorandum of Law in Support of SPG Inc. Plaintiffs' and Randall Smith's Motion for a Preliminary Injunction in the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Michigan (the "Reply Memorandum of Law"). The full text of the Reply Memorandum of Law and an Appendix of Exhibits and certain affidavits in support thereof are each filed herewith as Exhibits (a) (5) (X), (Y), (Z), (AA) respectively.

### Item 12. EXHIBITS.

(a) (5) (X) Reply Memorandum of Law in Support of Simon Property Group Inc. Plaintiffs' and Randall Smith's Motion for a Preliminary Injunction, filed by Simon Property

Group, Inc., Simon Property Acquisitions, Inc. and Randall J. Smith on February 28, 2003 in the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Michigan.

- (a) (5) (Y) Affidavit of Keith R. Pauley.
- (a) (5) (Z) Affidavit of Robert H. Steers.
- (a) (5) (AA) Appendix of Exhibits in Support of Reply Memorandum of Law in Support of Simon Property Group Inc. Plaintiffs' and Randall Smith's Motion for a Preliminary Injunction, filed by Simon Property Group, Inc., Simon Property Acquisitions, Inc. and Randall J. Smith on February 28, 2003 in the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Michigan.