

AIR LEASE CORP  
Form 8-K  
January 18, 2012

**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**

**January 13, 2012**

**Date of Report**

**(Date of earliest event reported)**

**AIR LEASE CORPORATION**

**(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)**

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**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**001-35121**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**27-1840403**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

**2000 Avenue of the Stars, Suite 1000N**

**Los Angeles, California**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (310) 553-0555**

**90067**  
(Zip Code)

**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)
- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- 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 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.**

On January 13, 2012, Michel M.R.G. Péretié advised Air Lease Corporation (the Company) that he will resign as a member of the Board of Directors of the Company effective immediately. Mr. Péretié's resignation does not arise from any disagreement on any matter relating to the Company's operations, policies or practices.

**SIGNATURE**

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 thereunto duly authorized.

AIR LEASE CORPORATION

Date: January 18, 2012

/s/ Grant A. Levy

Grant A. Levy

Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary