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PROSPECTUS SUPPLEMENT

(To prospectus dated November 15, 2012)

9,000,000 Shares

Kennedy-Wilson Holdings, Inc.
Common Stock

We are selling 9,000,000 shares of our common stock.

Our shares trade on the New York Stock Exchange under the symbol KW. On March 14, 2013, the last sale price of the shares as reported on the New York Stock Exchange was \$15.80 per share.

Investing in the common stock involves risks that are described in the Risk Factors section beginning on page S-11 of this prospectus supplement and in the other documents incorporated by reference in this prospectus supplement.

	Per Share	Total
Public offering price	\$15.7000	\$141,300,000
Underwriting discounts and commissions	\$0.8046	\$7,241,400
Proceeds, before expenses, to us	\$14.8954	\$134,058,600

The underwriters may also exercise their option to purchase up to an additional 1,350,000 shares from us, at the public offering price, less the underwriting discount, for 30 days after the date of this prospectus supplement.

Neither the Securities and Exchange Commission nor any state securities commission has approved or disapproved of these securities or determined if this prospectus supplement or the accompanying prospectus is truthful or complete. Any representation to the contrary is a criminal offense.

The shares will be ready for delivery on or about March 20, 2013.

Joint Book-Running Managers

BofA Merrill Lynch

Deutsche Bank Securities
Co-Managers

Morgan Stanley

JMP Securities

B.Riley & Co.

CJS Securities, Inc.

Sidoti & Company, LLC

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ABOUT THIS PROSPECTUS SUPPLEMENT

This document consists of two parts. The first part is this prospectus supplement, which describes certain matters relating to us and the specific terms of this offering of our common stock and also adds to and updates information contained in the accompanying prospectus and the documents incorporated by reference in this prospectus supplement and the accompanying prospectus. The second part is the accompanying prospectus, which gives more general information about securities we may offer from time to time.

We have not, and the underwriters have not, authorized anyone to provide you with information other than that contained or incorporated by reference in this prospectus supplement and the accompanying prospectus or any free writing prospectus prepared by or on behalf of us or to which we have referred you. Neither we nor the underwriters take any responsibility for, or provide any assurances as to the reliability of, any other information that others may give you. The information contained in this prospectus supplement, the accompanying prospectus or any free writing prospectus prepared by or on behalf of us or to which we have referred you is accurate as of their respective dates. The information in the documents incorporated by reference in this prospectus supplement and the accompanying prospectus is accurate as of the respective dates of those documents. To the extent the information contained in this prospectus supplement differs or varies from the information contained in the accompanying prospectus, the information in this prospectus supplement will control. To the extent the information contained in this prospectus supplement differs or varies from the information contained in a document we have incorporated by reference into this prospectus supplement or the accompanying prospectus, you should rely on the information in the more recent document.

Before you decide to invest in our common stock, you should carefully read this prospectus supplement, the accompanying prospectus, the registration statement described in the accompanying prospectus (including the exhibits to the registration statement) and the documents incorporated by reference into this prospectus supplement and the accompanying prospectus. The incorporated documents are described in this prospectus supplement under the caption Incorporation of Certain Information by Reference.

We are not making offers to sell our common stock or soliciting offers to purchase our common stock in any jurisdiction in which such an offer or solicitation is not authorized or in which the person making such offer or solicitation is not qualified to do so or to anyone to whom it is unlawful to make an offer or solicitation.

Unless otherwise stated or the context otherwise requires, as used in this prospectus supplement, the words we, us, our or the company refer to Kennedy-Wilson Holdings, Inc. and its subsidiaries, and the information in this prospectus supplement assumes that the underwriters have not exercised their option to purchase additional shares of our common stock.

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PROSPECTUS SUPPLEMENT SUMMARY

This summary highlights selected information contained elsewhere, or incorporated by reference, in this prospectus supplement and the accompanying prospectus and may not contain all of the information that may be important to you. You should carefully read this summary together with the entire prospectus supplement and the accompanying prospectus, and the documents incorporated by reference, including the Risk Factors section, the historical financial statements and the notes to those financial statements.

Our Company

Founded in 1977, we are an international real estate investment and services firm. We are a vertically integrated real estate operating company with approximately 340 professionals in 24 offices throughout the United States, the United Kingdom, Ireland, Spain and Japan. Based on management's estimate of fair value as of December 31, 2012, we have approximately \$12.7 billion of real estate and real estate-related assets under our management (AUM), totaling over 61 million square feet of properties throughout the United States, Europe and Japan. This includes ownership in 14,764 multifamily apartment units, of which 965 units are owned by our consolidated subsidiaries and 13,799 are held in joint ventures.

AUM generally refers to the properties and other assets with respect to which we provide (or participate in) oversight, investment management services and other advice, and which generally consist of real estate properties or loans, and investments in joint ventures. Our AUM is intended principally to reflect the extent of our presence in the real estate market, not the basis for determining our management fees. Our AUM consist of the total estimated fair value of the real estate properties and other assets either owned by third parties, wholly owned or held by joint ventures and other entities in which our sponsored funds or investment vehicles and client accounts have invested. Committed (but unfunded) capital from investors in our sponsored funds is not included in this component of our AUM. The estimated value of development properties is included at estimated completion cost.

Our Business Segments

Our operations are defined by two core business units: KW Investments and KW Services. KW Investments invests our capital in most cases alongside partners' capital in real estate-related assets, including multifamily properties, loans secured by real estate and office and residential properties. KW Services provides a full array of real estate-related services to investors and lenders, with a strong focus on financial institution based clients.

KW Investments

We invest our capital in real estate assets and loans secured by real estate through joint ventures, separate accounts, commingled funds and wholly owned investments. We are typically the general partner in these investment vehicles with ownership interests ranging from approximately 5% to 50%. Our equity partners include financial institutions, foundations, endowments, high net worth individuals and other institutional investors. In many cases, we get a promoted interest in the profits of our investments beyond our ownership percentage.

Our investment philosophy is based on three core fundamentals:

- significant proprietary deal flow from an established network of industry relationships, particularly with financial institutions;
- focus on a systematic research process with a disciplined approach to investing; and
- superior in-house operating execution.

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Our primary investment markets include California, Washington, Hawaii, the United Kingdom, Ireland and Japan, which we have identified as areas with dense populations, high barriers to entry, scarcity of land and supply constraints. We typically focus on the following opportunities:

- real estate owners or lenders seeking liquidity;
- under-managed or under-leased assets; and
- repositioning opportunities.

In 2012 and 2011, together with our equity partners, we acquired \$6.0 billion of real estate and loans secured by real estate. These acquisitions were comprised of the following: 62% loans secured by real estate, 17% multifamily, 16% office and 5% other.

The following table describes our investment account, which includes the following financial statement captions below, and is derived from our audited consolidated balance sheet as of December 31, 2012 (dollars in millions):

Investment in joint ventures	\$ 543.2
Real estate	289.4
Mortgage debt	(236.5)
Notes receivable	136.6
Loan pool participations	95.6
Marketable securities	
Total	\$ 828.3

The following table breaks down our investment account information derived from our audited consolidated balance sheet by investment type and geographic location as of December 31, 2012 (dollars in millions):

	Multifamily	Loans Secured by Real Estate	Commercial	Residential, Hotel, and Other ⁽¹⁾	Total
Western United States	\$ 170.8	\$ 69.0	\$ 159.5	\$ 106.9	\$ 506.2
Other United States	0.4		3.3	10.5	14.2
Japan	102.7		8.6		111.3
United Kingdom		120.4			120.4
Ireland	22.4	44.3	9.5		76.2
Total	\$ 296.3	\$ 233.7	\$ 180.9	\$ 117.4	\$ 828.3

(1) Includes for-sale residential properties, condominiums and residential land.

KW Services

KW Services offers a comprehensive line of real estate services for the full lifecycle of real estate ownership and investment to clients that include financial institutions, developers, builders and government agencies. KW Services has three business lines: investment management, property services and auction and conventional sales. These three business lines generate revenue for us through commissions and fees.

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Through our investment management business, we provide acquisition, asset management and disposition services to our equity partners as well as to third parties.

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We manage over 61 million square feet of properties for institutional clients and individual investors in the United States, Europe and Japan. With 24 offices throughout the United States, the United Kingdom, Ireland, Spain and Japan, we have the capabilities and resources to provide property services to real estate owners, as well as the experience, as a real estate investor, to understand client concerns.

Additionally, KW Services plays a critical role in supporting the company's investment strategy by providing local market intelligence and real-time data for evaluating investments, generating proprietary transaction flow and creating value through efficient implementation of asset management or repositioning strategies.

Our Competitive Strengths

We believe the combination of a service business and an investment platform provides us with significant competitive advantages and allows us to generate superior risk-adjusted returns. We use our service platform to facilitate the origination of investment opportunities, enhance the investment process and ensure the alignment of interests with our investors' interests. Our competitive advantages include:

- ***Transaction experience:*** Our Executive Committee has more than 125 years of combined real estate experience and has been working and investing together, on average, for over 15 years. Members of the Executive Committee have collectively acquired, developed and managed in excess of \$20 billion of real estate investments in the United States, the United Kingdom, Ireland and Japan throughout various economic cycles, both at our company and throughout their careers.
- ***Extensive relationship and sourcing network:*** We leverage our services business in order to source off-market deals. In addition, the Executive Committee and our acquisition team have transacted deals in nearly every major metropolitan market on the West Coast of the United States, as well as in the United Kingdom, Ireland and Japan. Their local presence and reputation in these markets have enabled them to cultivate key relationships with major holders of property inventory, particularly financial institutions, throughout the real estate community.
- ***Structuring expertise and speed of execution:*** Our prior acquisitions have taken a variety of forms, including direct property investments, joint ventures, exchanges involving stock or operating partnership units, participating loans and investments in performing and non-performing mortgages with the objective of long-term ownership. We believe we have developed a reputation of being able to quickly execute, as well as originate and creatively structure, acquisitions, dispositions and financing transactions.
- ***Vertically integrated platform for operational enhancement:*** We have approximately 340 employees in both KW Investments and KW Services, with 24 regional offices throughout the United States, the United Kingdom, Ireland, Spain and Japan. We have a hands-on approach to real estate investing and possess the local expertise in property management, leasing, construction management, development and investment sales, which, we believe, enable us to invest successfully in selected submarkets.
- ***Risk protection and investment discipline:*** We underwrite our investments based upon a thorough examination of property economics and a critical understanding of market dynamics and risk management strategies. We conduct an in-depth sensitivity analysis on each of our acquisitions. This analysis applies various economic scenarios that include changes to rental rates, absorption periods, operating expenses, interest rates, exit values and holding periods. We use this analysis to develop our disciplined acquisition strategies.

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Recent Developments

Acquisitions

During the three months ended December 31, 2012, we and our equity partners acquired approximately \$1.3 billion of real estate-related investments. We invested \$229.1 million into these investments and hold a 43.2% weighted average ownership interest in the related assets. The remainder of the purchase price for these investments was financed with property-level debt and partner equity. This indebtedness is non-recourse to us. These investments include the following:

- ***Real Estate.*** The acquisitions by us and our equity partners included approximately \$460.6 million of income-producing real estate assets. We invested approximately \$128.1 million of our equity in vehicles that acquired these real estate assets and have a weighted average ownership interest of 52.4% in the assets. The underlying assets are located primarily in the Western United States (48%), the United Kingdom (26%) and Ireland (23%), weighted in terms of our invested equity, and include four multifamily properties with 880 units, six commercial properties totaling 679,700 square feet, 170 hotel rooms and 69 condominiums.
- ***Loans.*** The acquisitions by us and our equity partners also included approximately \$869.3 million aggregate unpaid principal balance of loans. These loans are secured by 25 properties located in the United Kingdom and Ireland and were acquired at an average discount of 44.4% to their unpaid principal balance (weighted based on our equity invested). In addition, we and our equity partners originated two loans totaling \$12.3 million at a blended 11.1% interest rate. We invested approximately \$101.0 million of our equity in both loan purchases and originations for a weighted average ownership interest in these loans of 35.4%.

Subsequent to December 31, 2012, we have acquired \$105.4 million of real estate-related investments, which include 29 commercial properties and one residential investment. We have also entered into contracts to acquire approximately \$331.1 million of real estate-related investments as well as two loans pools totaling \$727.6 million. We expect the acquisitions to be purchased through joint venture investments. We have invested or expect to invest between \$75 million and \$85 million of our equity (in addition to property-level debt and partner equity) in the vehicles that acquire these investments. There can be no assurances that we will complete the potential acquisitions under contract. Our investments since December 31, 2012 include the following, which are under contract or have closed:

- ***Real Estate:***
 - ***Commercial:*** We have acquired a portfolio of 29 commercial properties located in the United Kingdom, consisting of approximately 1.1 million square feet and a weighted average occupancy rate of approximately 91%. Approximately 60% of the properties are located in London or the south east of the United Kingdom. We have also acquired a 3.9 acre residential land parcel located in California.
 - ***Multifamily/residential:*** We are under contract to acquire one apartment building in Marina del Rey, California and one land parcel in California. These acquisitions comprise 725 multifamily units, of which approximately 92% are currently leased, and 91 acres of residential land.
 - ***Loans:*** We and our equity partners are under contract to acquire two loan pools with a total of \$727.6 million unpaid principal balance at an average discount of 40.5% (weighted based on our equity invested). The loans are secured by 137 properties with ten distinct borrowers located in the United Kingdom.

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Dispositions

During 2012, we and our equity partners sold six multifamily properties (through property sales and sales of equity interests) located in the Western United States for a total of \$251.7 million, which resulted in a total gain of \$33.7 million, of which our share was \$10.1 million (\$20.7 million of our equity invested).

Financial Results for the Fourth Quarter of 2012

On March 12, 2013, we reported a fourth quarter 2012 net income attributable to common shareholders of \$8.9 million, compared to a net income attributable to common shareholders of \$8.0 million for the same period in 2011. Net income attributable to common shareholders included stock-based compensation expense of \$3.1 million and \$1.3 million for the three months ended December 31, 2012 and 2011, respectively.

Our earnings before interest, our share of interest expense included in income from investments in joint ventures and loan pool participations, depreciation and amortization, our share of depreciation and amortization included in income from investments in joint ventures, loss on early extinguishment of corporate debt, income taxes, merger and related expenses and stock-based compensation expense, which we refer to as Adjusted EBITDA, for the fourth quarter of 2012 was \$44.9 million, a 51% increase from \$29.7 million for the same period in 2011. We have provided a reconciliation of our Adjusted EBITDA to our net loss under the caption Prospectus Supplement Summary Summary Historical Consolidated Financial and Other Data in this prospectus supplement.

Dividends

On March 12, 2013, our Board of Directors authorized us to declare a quarterly dividend of \$0.07 per share of our common stock, which we will pay on April 2, 2013 to stockholders of record at the close of business on March 22, 2013.

The declaration and payment of any future dividends is at the sole discretion of our Board of Directors.

Corporate Information

Kennedy-Wilson Holdings, Inc. is a Delaware corporation. Our corporate headquarters is located at 9701 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 700, Beverly Hills, California 90212, and our telephone number is (310) 887-6400.

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The Offering

Issuer	Kennedy-Wilson Holdings, Inc.
Common Stock Offered by Us	9,000,000 shares (or, if the underwriters fully exercise their option to purchase additional shares, 10,350,000 shares)
Common Stock to Be Outstanding after this Offering	72,772,598 shares (or, if the underwriters fully exercise their option to purchase additional shares, 74,122,598 shares)
New York Stock Exchange Symbol	KW
Use of Proceeds	<p>We estimate that the net proceeds to us from this offering will be approximately \$133.8 million (or approximately \$153.9 million if the underwriters fully exercise their option to purchase additional shares), after deducting underwriting discounts and commissions and the estimated offering expenses payable by us.</p> <p>We currently intend to use the net proceeds from this offering for general corporate purposes, including future acquisitions and co-investments, and to repay the \$35.0 million outstanding balance under our unsecured revolving credit facility. See Use of Proceeds.</p>
Risk Factors	Investing in our common stock involves substantial risks. You should carefully consider the risk factors set forth or referred to under the caption Risk Factors beginning on page S-11 of this prospectus supplement.
The number of shares of our common stock outstanding after this offering is based on approximately 63,772,598 shares outstanding as of March 8, 2013 and excludes:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · 11,100,074 shares of common stock issuable upon conversion of our outstanding preferred stock; and · 5,822,744 shares of our common stock issuable upon exercise of warrants outstanding as of March 8, 2013. <p>Unless we specifically state otherwise, the information in this prospectus supplement assumes that the underwriters do not exercise their option to purchase up to 1,350,000 additional shares of our common stock.</p>

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The following summary historical consolidated financial data for each of the years in the three-year period ended December 31, 2012 and summary historical consolidated balance sheet data as of December 31, 2012, and 2011 have been derived from our audited consolidated financial statements incorporated by reference in this prospectus supplement. The summary historical balance sheet data as of December 31, 2010 have been derived from our audited consolidated financial statements not included or incorporated by reference in this prospectus supplement.

The financial data set forth in the tables below are not necessarily indicative of the results of future operations and should be read in conjunction with Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations and our consolidated financial statements and accompanying notes thereto included in our annual report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2012, which is incorporated by reference in this prospectus supplement and the accompanying prospectus.

Some of the financial data contained or incorporated by reference in this prospectus supplement and the accompanying prospectus reflects the effects of, and may not total due to, rounding.

	For the Years Ended December 31,		
	2010	2011	2012
Statement of Operations Data:			
Revenue			
Management and leasing fees	\$ 21,330,000	\$ 27,116,000	\$ 40,304,000
Commissions	11,734,000	29,960,000	12,955,000
Sale of real estate	13,472,000	417,000	2,271,000
Rental and other income	4,000,000	5,140,000	8,526,000
Total revenue	50,536,000	62,633,000	64,056,000
Operating expenses			
Commission and marketing expenses	3,186,000	3,965,000	4,550,000
Compensation and related expenses	38,155,000	41,129,000	55,834,000
Merger-related compensation and related expenses	2,225,000		
Cost of real estate sold	11,526,000	397,000	2,230,000
General and administrative	11,314,000	14,455,000	19,448,000
Depreciation and amortization	1,618,000	2,798,000	4,937,000
Rental operating expense	1,913,000	3,308,000	4,496,000
Total operating expenses	69,937,000	66,052,000	91,495,000
Equity in joint venture income	10,548,000	12,507,000	21,527,000
Interest income from loan pool participations and notes receivable	11,855,000	7,886,000	9,256,000
Operating income	3,002,000	16,974,000	3,344,000
Non-operating income (expense)			
Interest income	854,000	2,306,000	2,938,000
Acquisition-related gains	2,108,000	6,348,000	25,476,000
Gain on sale of marketable securities			4,353,000
Gain on early extinguishment of mortgage debt	16,670,000		
Loss on early extinguishment of corporate debt	(4,788,000)		
Acquisition-related expenses			(675,000)
Interest expense	(7,634,000)	(20,507,000)	(28,595,000)

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Income from continuing operations before (provision for) benefit from income taxes	10,212,000	5,121,000	6,841,000
(Provision for) benefit from income taxes	(3,727,000)	2,014,000	208,000
Income from continuing operations	6,485,000	7,135,000	7,049,000
Discontinued operations			
Income from discontinued operations, net of income taxes		8,000	2,000
Gain (loss) from sale of real estate, net of income taxes		335,000	(212,000)
Net income	6,485,000	7,478,000	6,839,000
Net income attributable to the non-controlling interests	(2,979,000)	(1,132,000)	(2,589,000)
Net income attributable to Kennedy-Wilson Holdings, Inc.	\$ 3,506,000	\$ 6,346,000	\$ 4,250,000

Basic and diluted loss per share attributable to Kennedy-Wilson Holdings, Inc. common shareholders

Continuing operations	\$ (0.03)	\$ (0.06)	\$ (0.07)
Discontinued operations, net of income taxes		0.01	
Loss per share basic and diluted	\$ (0.03)	\$ (0.05)	\$ (0.07)

Weighted average shares outstanding for basic and diluted loss per share	38,978,272	42,415,770	55,285,833
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Statement of Cash Flow Data:**Cash flow provided by (used in):**

Operating activities	\$ 2,157,000	\$ (6,011,000)	\$ 6,767,000
Investing activities	(114,836,000)	(198,134,000)	(389,728,000)
Financing activities	91,160,000	272,617,000	388,418,000

Other Selected Data:

EBITDA ⁽²⁾	48,108,000	66,122,000	92,174,000
Adjusted EBITDA ⁽³⁾	58,427,000	71,177,000	100,321,000

	2010	As of December 31, 2011	2012
Balance Sheet Data:			
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 46,968,000	\$ 115,926,000	\$ 120,855,000
Investment account ⁽¹⁾	363,700,000	582,800,000	828,300,000
Total assets	487,848,000	792,776,000	1,283,789,000
Total debt	127,782,000	320,133,000	686,178,000
Total Kennedy-Wilson Holdings, Inc. stockholders equity	300,192,000	410,235,000	509,644,000

(1) Investment Account is defined as investments in joint ventures plus real estate plus notes receivable plus loan pool participations plus marketable securities less mortgage debt.

(2) EBITDA represents net income (loss) before interest expense, our share of interest expense included in income from investments in joint ventures and loan pool participations, depreciation and amortization, our share of depreciation and amortization included in income from investments in joint ventures, loss on early extinguishment of corporate debt and income taxes. We do not adjust EBITDA for gains or losses on the extinguishment of mortgage debt, as we are in the business of purchasing discounted notes secured by real estate, and, in connection with these note purchases, we may resolve these loans through discounted payoffs with the borrowers. EBITDA is not a

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recognized term or calculated under generally accepted accounting principles, or GAAP, and should not be considered in isolation or as a substitute for and does not purport to be an alternative to net income, cash flows or other financial data prepared in accordance with GAAP or as a measure of our overall profitability or liquidity. Additionally, EBITDA is not intended to be a measure of free cash flow available for management's discretionary use, as it does not consider certain cash requirements such as interest payments, tax payments and debt service requirements. Our presentation of EBITDA has limitations as an analytical tool, and you should not consider it in isolation or as a substitute for analysis of our results as reported under GAAP. Our management believes EBITDA is useful in evaluating our operating performance compared to that of other companies in our industry because the calculation of EBITDA generally eliminates the effects of financing and income taxes and the accounting effects of capital spending and acquisitions. Such items may vary for different companies for reasons unrelated to overall operating performance. Additionally, we believe EBITDA is useful to investors to assist them in getting a more accurate picture of our results from operations.

- (3) Adjusted EBITDA represents EBITDA, as defined above, adjusted to exclude merger-related expenses and stock-based compensation expense. Our management uses Adjusted EBITDA to analyze our business because it adjusts EBITDA for items we believe do not have an accurate reflection of the nature of our business going forward. Such items may vary for different companies for reasons unrelated to overall operating performance. Additionally, we believe Adjusted EBITDA is useful to investors to assist them in getting a more accurate picture of our results from operations. However, EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA are not recognized measurements under GAAP, and, when analyzing our operating performance, readers should use EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA in addition to, and not as an alternative for, net income as determined in accordance with GAAP. Because not all companies use identical calculations, our presentation of EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA may not be comparable to similarly titled measures of other companies. Furthermore, EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA are not intended to be a measure of free cash flow for our management's discretionary use, as it does not consider certain cash requirements such as tax and debt service payments. The amounts shown for EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA also differ from the amounts calculated under similarly titled definitions in our outstanding debt instruments, which are further adjusted to reflect certain other cash and non-cash charges and are used to determine compliance with financial covenants and our ability to engage in certain activities, such as incurring additional debt and making certain restricted payments.

The following table sets forth a reconciliation of EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA to net income, the most directly comparable GAAP financial measure, for each of the periods indicated:

	For the Years Ended December 31,			For the Three Months Ended December 31,	
	2010	2011	2012	2011	2012
Net income	\$ 6,485,000	\$ 7,478,000	\$ 6,839,000	\$ 9,830,000	\$ 10,496,000
Add back:					
Interest expense	7,634,000	20,507,000	28,595,000	6,634,000	8,616,000
Kennedy Wilson's share of interest expense included in investment in joint ventures and loan pool participations	13,802,000	23,453,000	29,412,000	8,472,000	6,048,000
Depreciation and amortization	1,618,000	2,798,000	4,937,000	970,000	2,034,000
Kennedy Wilson's share of depreciation and amortization included in investment in joint ventures	10,054,000	13,900,000	22,599,000	2,342,000	9,614,000
Loss on early extinguishment of corporate debt	4,788,000				
Provision for (benefit from) income taxes	3,727,000	(2,014,000)	(208,000)	148,000	4,913,000
EBITDA	48,108,000	66,122,000	92,174,000	28,396,000	41,721,000
Add back:					
Merger-related expenses, including compensation related and general and administrative	2,225,000				
Stock-based compensation expense	8,094,000	5,055,000	8,147,000	1,294,000	3,147,000
Adjusted EBITDA	\$ 58,427,000	\$ 71,177,000	\$ 100,321,000	29,690,000	44,868,000

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RISK FACTORS

An investment in our common stock involves a high degree of risk. Before deciding to invest in our common stock, you should carefully consider the risks set forth under the heading "Risk Factors" beginning on page 5 of our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2012, which we filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission, or SEC, on March 12, 2013 and which is incorporated by reference into this prospectus supplement, as well as the other information in that Annual Report and in other reports we file from time to time with the SEC that are incorporated by reference in this prospectus supplement. See "Incorporation of Certain Information by Reference."

The risks and uncertainties referred to above are not the only risks and uncertainties that we face. Additional risks and uncertainties not presently known to us or that we currently deem immaterial may also impair our business operations. If any of these risks actually occurs, our business, financial condition and results of operations would suffer.

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SPECIAL NOTE REGARDING FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

Statements included or incorporated by reference in this prospectus supplement or the accompanying prospectus or in other reports and statements released by us that are not historical facts constitute forward-looking statements within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and Section 21 of the Exchange Act. These forward-looking statements are estimates reflecting the judgment of our senior management based on estimates, expectations, forecasts and projections that are current as of the date of the applicable forward-looking statement. Forward-looking statements include comments that express opinions about trends and factors that may impact future operating results. Disclosures that use words such as believe, anticipate, estimate, intend, could, plan, expect, project or the negative of these, similar expressions, are intended to identify forward-looking statements, but the absence of any of these words does not necessarily mean that a statement is not forward-looking.

Forward-looking statements are not guarantees of future performance, rely on a number of assumptions concerning future events, many of which are outside of our control, and involve known and unknown risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results, performance or achievements or industry results to differ materially from any future results, performance or achievements expressed or implied by the forward-looking statements. Although we believe that our plans, intentions, expectations, strategies and prospects as reflected in or suggested by those forward-looking statements are reasonable as of the time the statements were made, the transactions and events described may not happen as described or may not happen at all. In evaluating these statements, you should specifically consider the risks referred to under the heading Risk Factors beginning on page S-11 of this prospectus supplement, including, but not limited to, the following factors:

- disruptions in general economic and business conditions, particularly in geographic areas where our business may be concentrated;
- the continued volatility and disruption of the capital and credit markets, higher interest rates, higher loan costs, less desirable loan terms and a reduction in the availability of mortgage loans and mezzanine financing, all of which could increase costs and limit our ability to acquire additional real estate assets;
- continued high levels of, or increases in, unemployment and a general slowdown in commercial activity;
- our leverage and ability to refinance existing indebtedness or incur additional indebtedness;
- an increase in our debt service obligations;
- our ability to generate a sufficient amount of cash from operations to satisfy working capital requirements and to service our existing and future indebtedness;
- our ability to achieve improvements in operating efficiency;
- foreign currency fluctuations;
- adverse changes in the securities markets;
- our ability to retain our senior management and attract and retain qualified and experienced employees;

- our ability to attract new user and investor clients;
- our ability to retain major clients and renew related contracts;
- trends in the use of large, full-service commercial real estate providers;
- changes in tax laws in the United States, Europe or Japan that reduce or eliminate our deductions or other tax benefits;

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- future acquisitions may not be available at favorable prices or with advantageous terms and conditions; and

- costs relating to the acquisition of assets we may acquire could be higher than anticipated.

Each forward-looking statement should be considered in the context of the various disclosures we make about our business, including, without limitation, the factors discussed above. Except as required under the federal securities laws and the rules and regulations of the SEC, we do not intend or have an obligation to publicly update any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events, changes in assumptions or otherwise.

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USE OF PROCEEDS

We estimate that the net proceeds to us from this offering will be approximately \$133.8 million (or approximately \$153.9 million if the underwriters fully exercise their option to purchase additional shares), after deducting underwriting discounts and commissions and the estimated offering expenses payable by us.

We currently intend to use the net proceeds from this offering for general corporate purposes, including future acquisitions and co-investments, and to repay the \$35.0 million outstanding balance under our unsecured revolving credit facility. Loans under this facility mature on June 30, 2015 and bear interest at a rate per annum equal to LIBOR plus 2.75%.

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The following table sets forth our cash, cash equivalents and short-term investments and our consolidated capitalization as of December 31, 2012:

· on an actual basis; and

· on an adjusted basis to give effect to the sale of 9,000,000 shares of our common stock we are offering, after deducting underwriting discounts and commissions and estimated offering expenses to be paid by us.

No adjustments have been made to reflect normal course operations by us or other developments with our business after December 31, 2012. As a result, the as adjusted information provided below is not indicative of our actual cash and cash equivalents position or consolidated capitalization as of any date. You should read this table in conjunction with *Use of Proceeds* and the disclosures in our Annual Report on Form 10-K that is incorporated by reference in this prospectus supplement and the accompanying prospectus.

	As of December 31, 2012	
	Actual	As Adjusted
Cash, cash equivalents and short-term investments	\$ 130,855,000	\$ 264,679,000
Debt:		
Secured mortgage loans	\$ 236,538,000	\$ 236,538,000
Unsecured revolving credit facility ⁽¹⁾		
8.750% senior notes due 2019 ⁽²⁾	350,000,000	350,000,000
7.75% senior notes due 2042 ⁽³⁾	55,000,000	55,000,000
Junior subordinated debentures due 2037	40,000,000	40,000,000
Total debt	681,538,000	681,538,000
Equity:		
Cumulative preferred stock, \$0.0001 par value per share; 1,000,000 shares authorized, \$1,000 per share liquidation preference, actual and as adjusted:		
6.00% Series A; 100,000 shares issued and outstanding, actual and as adjusted ⁽⁴⁾		
6.45% Series B; 32,550 shares issued and outstanding, actual and as adjusted ⁽⁵⁾		
Common stock, \$0.0001 par value per share; 125,000,000 shares authorized, actual and as adjusted; 64,789,646 shares issued and 63,772,598 shares issued and outstanding, actual; 73,789,646 shares issued and 72,772,598 shares issued and outstanding, as adjusted	6,000	7,000
Additional paid-in capital	512,835,000	646,658,000
Accumulated deficit	(5,910,000)	(5,910,000)
Accumulated other comprehensive income	12,569,000	12,569,000
Common stock held in treasury, at cost; \$0.0001 par value per share; 1,017,048, actual and as adjusted	(9,856,000)	(9,856,000)
Total Kennedy-Wilson Holdings, Inc. stockholders' equity	509,644,000	643,468,000
Non-controlling interest	9,136,000	9,136,000
Total equity	518,780,000	652,604,000

Total capitalization	\$ 1,200,318,000	\$ 1,334,142,000
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- (1) Total availability, as of December 31, 2012, of \$100.0 million to finance the acquisition of commercial real property or pools of notes secured by commercial real property and for general business purposes, including working capital needs and equity investments. The

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average amount of revolver borrowings fluctuates during the year. As of December 31, 2012, we had no borrowings under our unsecured revolving credit facility, and we had no letters of credit outstanding thereunder. Subsequent to December 31, 2012, we drew \$35.0 million from this credit facility, and we intend to use a portion of the proceeds from this offering to repay the outstanding balance under this credit facility.

- (2) The \$350.0 million of 8.750% senior notes due 2019, or the 2019 notes, are presented at their face amount and do not reflect the estimated amount of net proceeds from the offerings of the 2019 notes of \$347.3 million.
- (3) The \$55.0 million of 7.75% senior notes due 2042, or the 2042 notes, are presented at their face amount and do not reflect the estimated amount of net proceeds from the offering of the 2042 notes of \$48.1 million.
- (4) Mandatorily convertible on May 19, 2015, or earlier at the option of the holder thereof, at a conversion price of \$12.41 per share, subject to adjustment.
- (5) Mandatorily convertible on November 3, 2018, or earlier at the option of the holder thereof, or, in certain circumstances, at our election on or after May 3, 2017, at a conversion price of \$10.70 per share, subject to adjustment.

The table above should be read in conjunction with our consolidated financial statements and related notes incorporated by reference in this prospectus supplement. The actual and as adjusted number of shares of our common stock issued and outstanding as set forth in the table above excludes:

- 11,100,074 shares of common stock issuable upon conversion of our outstanding preferred stock;
- 5,822,744 shares of our common stock issuable upon exercise of warrants outstanding as of December 31, 2012; and
- up to 1,350,000 shares of our common stock that may be purchased by the underwriters upon exercise of their option to purchase additional shares.

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U.S. FEDERAL INCOME TAX CONSIDERATIONS

The following is a discussion of the material U.S. federal income tax considerations relevant to non-U.S. holders (as defined below) of the ownership and disposition of shares of our common stock, but does not purport to be a complete analysis of all potential tax effects. This discussion is based on the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the Code), U.S. Treasury Regulations issued thereunder, Internal Revenue Service (IRS) rulings and pronouncements, and judicial decisions, all as of the date hereof and all of which are subject to change at any time. Any such change may be applied retroactively in a manner that could adversely affect a holder of our common stock. We have not sought any ruling from the IRS with respect to the statements made and the conclusions reached in the following discussion, and there can be no assurance that the IRS will agree with such statements and conclusions.

This discussion does not address all of the U.S. federal income tax consequences that may be relevant to a holder in light of such holder's particular circumstances or to holders subject to special rules, including, without limitation:

- banks, insurance companies and other financial institutions;
- U.S. expatriates and certain former citizens or long-term residents of the United States;
- holders subject to the alternative minimum tax;
- dealers in securities;
- traders in securities;
- controlled foreign corporations, passive foreign investment companies and corporations that accumulate earnings to avoid U.S. federal income tax;
- partnerships, S corporations or other pass-through entities;
- real estate investment trusts or regulated investment companies;
- persons holding shares of our common stock as part of a straddle, conversion transaction or other risk reduction transaction; and
- persons deemed to sell shares of our common stock under the constructive sale provisions of the Code.

In addition, this discussion is limited to non-U.S. holders purchasing shares of our common stock issued pursuant to this offering and who hold shares of our common stock as capital assets within the meaning of Section 1221 of the Code. Moreover, the effects of other U.S. federal tax laws (such as estate and gift tax laws or the unearned income Medicare contribution tax) and any applicable state, local or foreign tax laws are not discussed.

If a partnership or other entity taxable as a partnership holds our common stock, the tax treatment of the partners in the partnership generally will depend on the status of the particular partner in question and the activities of the partnership. Such partners should consult their tax advisors as to the specific tax consequences to them of holding our common stock indirectly through ownership of their partnership interests.

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YOU ARE URGED TO CONSULT YOUR TAX ADVISOR WITH RESPECT TO THE APPLICATION OF THE U.S. FEDERAL INCOME TAX LAWS TO YOUR PARTICULAR SITUATION AS WELL AS ANY TAX CONSEQUENCES OF THE OWNERSHIP AND DISPOSITION OF OUR COMMON STOCK ARISING UNDER THE FEDERAL ESTATE OR GIFT TAX LAWS OR UNDER THE LAWS OF ANY STATE, LOCAL, FOREIGN OR OTHER TAXING JURISDICTION OR UNDER ANY APPLICABLE TAX TREATY.

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Definition of Non-U.S. Holder

A non-U.S. holder is a beneficial owner of our common stock that is not a partnership (or an entity treated as a partnership for U.S. federal income tax purposes) or a U.S. holder. A U.S. holder is any of the following:

- an individual who is a citizen or resident of the United States;
- a corporation or other entity taxable as a corporation created or organized in or under the laws of the United States, any state thereof, or the District of Columbia;
- an estate, the income of which is subject to U.S. federal income tax regardless of its source; or
- a trust, if (a) a U.S. court can exercise primary supervision over the administration of the trust and one or more United States persons within the meaning of the Code control all substantial trust decisions; or (b) has made a valid election under applicable Treasury Regulations to continue to be treated as a United States person.

Distributions on Our Common Stock

Distributions we make with respect to shares of our common stock will constitute dividends for U.S. federal income tax purposes to the extent paid from our current or accumulated earnings and profits, as determined under U.S. federal income tax principles. Amounts not treated as dividends for U.S. federal income tax purposes will constitute a return of capital and first be applied against and reduce a non-U.S. holder's adjusted tax basis in its shares of our common stock, but not below zero. Any excess will be treated as capital gain and will be treated as described below under Gain on Sale or Disposition of Shares of Our Common Stock. Because we may not know the extent to which a distribution is a dividend for U.S. federal income tax purposes at the time it is made, for withholding purposes, we may treat the entire distribution as a dividend. However, amounts withheld would generally be refundable if it were subsequently determined that the distribution was, in fact, not a dividend for U.S. federal income tax purposes, provided that certain conditions are met.

Dividends paid to a non-U.S. holder of shares of our common stock that are not effectively connected with a U.S. trade or business conducted by such non-U.S. holder generally will be subject to U.S. federal withholding tax at a rate of 30% of the gross amount of the dividends, or such lower rate as is specified by an applicable tax treaty. To receive the benefit of a reduced treaty rate, a non-U.S. holder must furnish a valid IRS Form W-8BEN (or applicable successor form) certifying such non-U.S. holder's qualification for the reduced rate. This certification must be provided prior to the payment of dividends and must be updated periodically. If the non-U.S. holder holds the stock through a financial institution or other agent acting on the non-U.S. holder's behalf, the non-U.S. holder will be required to provide appropriate documentation to the agent. If a non-U.S. holder qualifies for a reduced treaty rate but does not timely provide the required certification, the non-U.S. holder may obtain a refund of any excess amounts withheld by timely filing an appropriate claim for refund with the IRS. Non-U.S. holders should consult their tax advisors regarding possible entitlement to benefits under a tax treaty.

If a non-U.S. holder holds shares of our common stock in connection with the conduct of a trade or business in the United States, and dividends paid on the shares of our common stock are effectively connected with such non-U.S. holder's U.S. trade or business (and, if required by an applicable tax treaty, attributable to a permanent establishment maintained by the non-U.S. holder in the United States), the non-U.S. holder will be exempt from U.S. federal withholding tax. To claim the exemption, the non-U.S. holder must furnish a valid IRS Form W-8ECI (or applicable successor form), certifying that the dividends are effectively connected with the non-U.S. holder's conduct of a trade or business within the United States. Any such dividends generally will be subject to U.S. federal income tax on a net-income basis in the same manner as if such non-U.S. holder were a United States person. A non-U.S. holder that is a corporation also may be subject to a branch profits tax at a rate

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of 30% (or such lower rate as is specified by an applicable tax treaty) on its effectively connected earnings and profits for the taxable year, as adjusted for certain items. Non-U.S. holders should consult their tax advisors regarding any applicable tax treaties that may provide for different rules.

Gain on Sale or Disposition of Our Common Stock

Subject to the discussion below regarding backup withholding, a non-U.S. holder generally will not be subject to U.S. federal income tax on any gain realized upon the sale or disposition of shares of our common stock unless:

- the gain is effectively connected with the non-U.S. holder's conduct of a trade or business in the United States and, if required by an applicable tax treaty, attributable to a permanent establishment maintained by the non-U.S. holder in the United States;
- the non-U.S. holder is a nonresident alien individual present in the United States for 183 days or more during the taxable year of the sale or disposition and certain other requirements are met; or
- shares of our common stock constitute a U.S. real property interest by reason of our status as a U.S. real property holding corporation, or a USRPHC, for U.S. federal income tax purposes.

Unless an applicable tax treaty provides otherwise, the gain described in the first bullet point above generally will be subject to U.S. federal income tax on a net-income basis in the same manner as if such non-U.S. holder were a United States person. A non-U.S. holder that is a corporation also may be subject to a branch profits tax at a rate of 30% (or such lower rate as is specified by an applicable tax treaty) on its effectively connected earnings and profits for the taxable year, as adjusted for certain items. Non-U.S. holders should consult their tax advisors regarding any applicable tax treaties that may provide for different rules.

Gain described in the second bullet point above generally will be subject to U.S. federal income tax at a flat 30% rate (or such lower rate as is specified by an applicable income tax treaty), but may be offset by U.S.-source capital losses of the non-U.S. holder during the taxable year of the sale or disposition (even though the individual is not considered a resident of the United States), provided that the non-U.S. holder has timely filed U.S. federal income tax returns with respect to such losses.

With respect to the third bullet point above, we believe that we currently are a USRPHC. Because the determination of whether we are a USRPHC depends on the fair market value of our U.S. real property interests relative to the fair market value of our other real estate and business assets, however, there can be no assurance that we currently are a USRPHC or will remain a USRPHC in the future. Assuming we are a USRPHC, as long as shares of our common stock are regularly traded on an established securities market, a non-U.S. holder's shares of our common stock will not be treated as a U.S. real property interest unless the non-U.S. holder actually or constructively held more than 5% of the shares of our common stock at any time during the shorter of (i) the five-year period ending on the date of the non-U.S. holder's sale or disposition of such shares and (ii) the non-U.S. holder's holding period for such shares. We believe, but cannot guarantee, that shares of our common stock will continue to be regularly traded on an established securities market. If gain on the sale or other taxable disposition of shares of our common stock were subject to taxation under the third bullet point above, the non-U.S. holder would be subject to regular U.S. federal income tax with respect to such gain in generally the same manner as a United States person. In addition, if shares of our common stock were not regularly traded on an established securities market, the purchaser of such common stock would generally be required to withhold and remit to the IRS 10% of the purchase price.

Information Reporting and Backup Withholding

Generally, information returns must be filed annually with the IRS and provided to each non-U.S. holder with respect to the amount of dividends paid to such non-U.S. holder and the amount, if any, of tax

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withheld with respect to those dividends. This information also may be made available under a specific treaty or agreement with the tax authorities of the country in which the non-U.S. holder resides or is established. Under certain circumstances, the Code imposes backup withholding on certain reportable payments. Backup withholding generally will not, however, apply to payments of dividends to a non-U.S. holder of shares of our common stock, provided that the non-U.S. holder furnishes to the applicable withholding agent the required certification as to its non-U.S. status, such as by providing a valid IRS Form W-8BEN or W-8ECI, or otherwise establishes an exemption. Notwithstanding the foregoing, backup withholding may apply if the payor has actual knowledge, or reason to know, that the non-U.S. holder is a United States person that is not an exempt recipient.

Unless a non-U.S. holder complies with certification procedures to establish that it is not a United States person, information returns may be filed with the IRS in connection with, and the non-U.S. holder may be subject to backup withholding on the proceeds from, a sale or other disposition of shares of our common stock. The certification procedures described in the immediately preceding paragraph will satisfy these certification requirements as well.

Backup withholding is not an additional tax. Any amounts withheld under the backup withholding rules may be allowed as a refund or a credit against a non-U.S. holder's U.S. federal income tax liability, provided that the required information is timely furnished to the IRS.

Foreign Account Tax Compliance Act

Under legislation commonly referred to as the Foreign Account Tax Compliance Act (FATCA), withholding taxes may apply to certain types of payments made to foreign financial institutions (as specially defined in the Code) and certain other non-U.S. entities. Specifically, a 30% withholding tax may be imposed on dividends on, and gross proceeds from the sale or other disposition of, shares of our common stock paid to a foreign financial institution or to a non-financial foreign entity, unless (1) the foreign financial institution undertakes certain diligence and reporting obligations, (2) the non-financial foreign entity either certifies it does not have any substantial U.S. owners or furnishes identifying information regarding each substantial U.S. owner, or (3) the foreign financial institution or non-financial foreign entity otherwise qualifies for an exemption from these rules. If the payee is a foreign financial institution described in clause (1) above, in order to avoid this tax, it must generally enter into an agreement with the U.S. Treasury requiring, among other things, that it undertake to identify accounts held by certain United States persons or U.S.-owned foreign entities, annually report certain information about such accounts, and withhold 30% on certain payments to non-compliant foreign financial institutions and certain other account holders. Foreign financial institutions located in jurisdictions that have an inter-governmental agreement with the United States governing FATCA may be subject to different rules.

Treasury Regulations provide that the withholding provisions described above generally will apply to payments of dividends on or after January 1, 2014 and to payments of gross proceeds from a sale or other disposition of stock on or after January 1, 2017. Prospective investors should consult their tax advisors regarding these withholding provisions.

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Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated, Deutsche Bank Securities Inc. and Morgan Stanley & Co. LLC are the representatives of each of the underwriters named below. Subject to the terms and conditions set forth in an underwriting agreement between us and the underwriters, we have agreed to sell to the underwriters, and each of the underwriters has agreed, severally and not jointly, to purchase from us, the number of shares of common stock set forth opposite its name below.

Underwriter	Number of Shares
Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated	3,916,800
Deutsche Bank Securities Inc.	2,117,700
Morgan Stanley & Co. LLC	1,694,700
JMP Securities LLC	423,000
B.Riley & Co., LLC	282,600
CJS Securities, Inc.	282,600
Sidoti & Company, LLC	282,600
Total	9,000,000

Subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the underwriting agreement, the underwriters have agreed, severally and not jointly, to purchase all of the shares sold under the underwriting agreement if any of these shares are purchased. If an underwriter defaults, the underwriting agreement provides that the purchase commitments of the non-defaulting underwriters may be increased or the underwriting agreement may be terminated.

We have agreed to indemnify the underwriters and their control persons against certain liabilities, including liabilities under the Securities Act, or to contribute to payments the underwriters may be required to make in respect of those liabilities.

The underwriters are offering the shares, subject to prior sale, when, as and if issued to and accepted by them, subject to approval of legal matters by their counsel, including the validity of the shares, and other conditions contained in the underwriting agreement, such as the receipt by the underwriters of officer's certificates and legal opinions. The underwriters reserve the right to withdraw, cancel or modify offers to the public and to reject orders in whole or in part.

Commissions and Discounts

The representatives have advised us that the underwriters propose initially to offer the shares to the public at the public offering price set forth on the cover page of this prospectus supplement and to dealers at that price less a concession not in excess of \$0.47 per share. After the initial offering, the public offering price, concession or any other term of the offering may be changed.

The following table shows the public offering price, underwriting discounts and proceeds before expenses to us. The information assumes either no exercise or full exercise by the underwriters of their option to purchase additional shares.

	Per Share	Total	
		Without Option	With Option
Public offering price	\$15.7000	\$141,300,000	\$162,495,000
Underwriting discounts and commissions	\$0.8046	\$7,241,400	\$8,327,610
Proceeds, before expenses, to us	\$14.8954	\$134,058,600	\$154,167,390

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We estimate that the expenses of the offering payable by us, not including the underwriting discounts and commissions, will be approximately \$235,000.

Option to Purchase Additional Shares

We have granted an option to the underwriters, exercisable for 30 days after the date of this prospectus supplement, to purchase up to 1,350,000 additional shares at the public offering price, less the underwriting discount. If the underwriters exercise this option, each will be obligated, subject to conditions contained in the underwriting agreement, to purchase a number of additional shares proportionate to that underwriter's initial amount reflected in the above table.

No Sales of Similar Securities

We, our directors and certain executive officers and stockholders have agreed, subject to certain limited exceptions, not to sell or transfer any of our common stock or securities convertible into or exchangeable or exercisable for our common stock for 60 days after the date of this prospectus supplement without first obtaining the written consent of Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated. Specifically, we and these other persons have agreed, with certain limited exceptions, not to directly or indirectly:

- offer, pledge, sell or contract to sell any of our common stock;
- sell any option or contract to purchase any of our common stock;
- purchase any option or contract to sell any of our common stock;
- grant any option, right or warrant to purchase any of our common stock;
- otherwise dispose of or transfer any of our common stock;
- file (or, in the case of our directors and certain executive officers and stockholders, request or demand that we file) a registration statement related to our common stock; or
- enter into any swap or other agreement or any transaction that transfers, in whole or in part, directly or indirectly, the economic consequence of ownership of any of our common stock whether any such swap or transaction is to be settled by delivery of our common stock or such other securities, in cash or otherwise.

This lock-up provision applies to our common stock and to securities convertible into or exchangeable or exercisable for our common stock, whether such common stock is owned now or acquired during the lock-up period referred to above (subject to extension as described below) by the person executing the lock-up agreement or for which the person executing the lock-up agreement now has or acquires the power of disposition. The lock-up provision that applies to us contains exceptions for:

- the shares of common stock to be sold in this offering;
- any shares of common stock we issue upon the exercise of an option or warrant or the conversion of a security that is either (x) outstanding on the date of this prospectus supplement and referred to in this prospectus supplement and the registration

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statement relating to this prospectus supplement (including the documents incorporated by reference) or (y) issued pursuant to the exception described in the immediately following bullet point;

- any shares of common stock issued or options to purchase common stock granted pursuant to our existing employee benefit plans referred to in this prospectus supplement and the registration statement relating to this prospectus supplement (including the documents incorporated by reference); and

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any shares of common stock issued pursuant to any non-employee director stock plan or dividend reinvestment plan referred to in this prospectus supplement and the registration statement relating to this prospectus supplement (including the documents incorporated by reference).

In the event that either (x) during the last 17 days of the lock-up period referred to above, we issue an earnings release or material news or a material event relating to us occurs or (y) prior to the expiration of the lock-up period, we announce that we will release earnings results or become aware that material news or a material event will occur during the 16-day period beginning on the last day of the lockup period, the restrictions described above shall continue to apply until the expiration of the 18-day period beginning on the issuance of the earnings release or the occurrence of the material news or material event, unless Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated waives such extension in writing.

New York Stock Exchange

The shares are listed on the New York Stock Exchange under the symbol KW.

Price Stabilization, Short Positions

Until the distribution of the shares is completed, SEC rules may limit us, the underwriters and selling group members from bidding for and purchasing our common stock. However, the representatives may engage in certain transactions that stabilize the price of the common stock, such as bids or purchases to peg, fix or maintain that price.

In connection with the offering, the underwriters may purchase and sell our common stock in the open market. These transactions may include short sales, purchases on the open market to cover positions created by short sales and stabilizing transactions. Short sales involve the sale by the underwriters of a greater number of shares than they are required to purchase in the offering. Covered short sales are sales made in an amount not greater than the underwriters' additional share purchase option described above. The underwriters may close out any covered short position by either exercising their additional share purchase option or purchasing shares in the open market. In determining the source of shares to close out the covered short position, the underwriters will consider, among other things, the price of shares available for purchase in the open market as compared to the price at which they may purchase shares through the additional share purchase option. Naked short sales are sales in excess of the additional share purchase option. The underwriters must close out any naked short position by purchasing shares in the open market. A naked short position is more likely to be created if the underwriters are concerned that there may be downward pressure on the price of our common stock in the open market after pricing that could adversely affect investors who purchase in the offering. Stabilizing transactions consist of various bids for or purchases of shares of common stock made by the underwriters in the open market prior to the completion of the offering.

Similar to other purchase transactions, the underwriters' purchases to cover the syndicate short sales may have the effect of raising or maintaining the market price of our common stock or preventing or retarding a decline in the market price of our common stock. As a result, the price of our common stock may be higher than the price that might otherwise exist in the open market. The underwriters may conduct these transactions on the New York Stock Exchange, in the over-the-counter market or otherwise.

Neither we nor any of the underwriters make any representation or prediction as to the direction or magnitude of any effect that the transactions described above may have on the price of our common stock. In addition, neither we nor any of the underwriters make any representation that the representatives will engage in these transactions or that these transactions, once commenced, will not be discontinued without notice.

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Electronic Distribution

In connection with the offering, certain of the underwriters or securities dealers may distribute prospectuses by electronic means, such as e-mail.

Other Relationships

Some of the underwriters and their affiliates have engaged in, and may in the future engage in, investment banking, commercial lending and other commercial dealings in the ordinary course of business with us or our affiliates. They have received, or may in the future receive, customary fees and commissions for these transactions.

In addition, in the ordinary course of their business activities, the underwriters and their affiliates may make or hold a broad array of investments and actively trade debt and equity securities (or related derivative securities) and financial instruments (including bank loans) for their own account and for the accounts of their customers. These investments and securities activities may involve securities or instruments of ours or our affiliates. The underwriters and their affiliates may also make investment recommendations or publish or express independent research views in respect of these securities or financial instruments and may hold, or recommend to clients that they acquire long or short positions in these securities and instruments.

Notice to Prospective Investors in the European Economic Area

In relation to each Member State of the European Economic Area that has implemented the Prospectus Directive (each, a Relevant Member State), with effect from and including the date on which the Prospectus Directive is implemented in that Relevant Member State (the Relevant Implementation Date), no offer of shares may be made to the public in that Relevant Member State other than:

- to any legal entity which is a qualified investor as defined in the Prospectus Directive;
- to fewer than 100 or, if the Relevant Member State has implemented the relevant provision of the 2010 PD Amending Directive, 150, natural or legal persons (other than qualified investors, as defined in the Prospectus Directive), as permitted under the Prospectus Directive, subject to obtaining the prior consent of the representatives; or
- in any other circumstances falling within Article 3(2) of the Prospectus Directive, *provided* that no such offer of shares shall require us or the representatives to publish a prospectus pursuant to Article 3 of the Prospectus Directive or supplement a prospectus pursuant to Article 16 of the Prospectus Directive.

Each person in a Relevant Member State who initially acquires any shares or to whom any offer is made will be deemed to have represented, acknowledged and agreed that (A) it is a qualified investor within the meaning of the law in that Relevant Member State implementing Article 2(1)(e) of the Prospectus Directive, and (B) in the case of any shares acquired by it as a financial intermediary, as that term is used in Article 3(2) of the Prospectus Directive, the shares acquired by it in the offering have not been acquired on behalf of, nor have they been acquired with a view to their offer or resale to, persons in any Relevant Member State other than qualified investors as defined in the Prospectus Directive, or in circumstances in which the prior consent of the representatives has been given to the offer or resale. In the case of any shares being offered to a financial intermediary, as that term is used in Article 3(2) of the Prospectus Directive, each such financial intermediary will be deemed to have represented, acknowledged and agreed that the shares acquired by it in the offer have not been acquired on a non-discretionary basis on behalf of, nor have they been acquired with a view to their offer or resale to, persons in circumstances which may give rise to an offer of any shares to the public other than their

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offer or resale in a Relevant Member State to qualified investors as so defined or in circumstances in which the prior consent of the representatives has been obtained to each such proposed offer or resale.

We and the representatives and their affiliates will rely upon the truth and accuracy of the foregoing representation, acknowledgement and agreement.

This prospectus supplement has been prepared on the basis that any offer of shares in any Relevant Member State will be made pursuant to an exemption under the Prospectus Directive from the requirement to publish a prospectus for offers of shares. Accordingly, any person making or intending to make an offer in that Relevant Member State of shares that are the subject of the offering contemplated in this prospectus supplement may only do so in circumstances in which no obligation arises for us or any of the underwriters to publish a prospectus pursuant to Article 3 of the Prospectus Directive in relation to such offer. Neither we nor the underwriters have authorized, nor do we or they authorize, the making of any offer of shares in circumstances in which an obligation arises for us or the underwriters to publish a prospectus for such offer.

For the purpose of the above provisions, (1) the expression "an offer to the public" in relation to any shares in any Relevant Member State means the communication in any form and by any means of sufficient information on the terms of the offer and the shares to be offered so as to enable an investor to decide to purchase or subscribe the shares, as the same may be varied in the Relevant Member State by any measure implementing the Prospectus Directive in the Relevant Member State; (2) the expression "Prospectus Directive" means Directive 2003/71/EC (including the 2010 PD Amending Directive, to the extent implemented in the Relevant Member States) and includes any relevant implementing measure in the Relevant Member State; and (3) the expression "2010 PD Amending Directive" means Directive 2010/73/EU.

Notice to Prospective Investors in the United Kingdom

In addition, in the United Kingdom, this document is being distributed only to, and is directed only at, and any offer subsequently made may only be directed at persons who are, "qualified investors" (as defined in the Prospectus Directive) (1) who have professional experience in matters relating to investments falling within Article 19 (5) of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (Financial Promotion) Order 2005, as amended (the "Order"); or (2) who are high net worth companies (or persons to whom it may otherwise be lawfully communicated) falling within Article 49(2)(a) to (d) of the Order (all such persons together being referred to as "relevant persons"). This document must not be acted on or relied on in the United Kingdom by persons who are not relevant persons. In the United Kingdom, any investment or investment activity to which this document relates is only available to, and will be engaged in with, relevant persons.

Notice to Prospective Investors in Switzerland

The shares may not be publicly offered in Switzerland and will not be listed on the SIX Swiss Exchange ("SIX") or on any other stock exchange or regulated trading facility in Switzerland. This document has been prepared without regard to the disclosure standards for issuance prospectuses under art. 652a or art. 1156 of the Swiss Code of Obligations or the disclosure standards for listing prospectuses under art. 27 ff. of the SIX Listing Rules or the listing rules of any other stock exchange or regulated trading facility in Switzerland. Neither this document nor any other offering or marketing material relating to the shares or the offering may be publicly distributed or otherwise made publicly available in Switzerland.

Neither this document nor any other offering or marketing material relating to the offering, us or the shares has been or will be filed with or approved by any Swiss regulatory authority. In particular, this document will not be filed with, and the offer of shares will not be supervised by, the Swiss Financial Market Supervisory Authority FINMA, and the offer of shares has not been and will not be authorized under the Swiss Federal Act on Collective Investment Schemes ("CISA"). The investor protection afforded to acquirers of interests in collective investment schemes under the CISA does not extend to acquirers of shares.

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Notice to Prospective Investors in the Dubai International Financial Centre

This prospectus supplement and the accompanying prospectus relate to an Exempt Offer in accordance with the Offered Securities Rules of the Dubai Financial Services Authority (DFSA). This prospectus is intended for distribution only to persons of a type specified in the Offered Securities Rules of the DFSA. It must not be delivered to, or relied on by, any other person. The DFSA has no responsibility for reviewing or verifying any documents in connection with Exempt Offers. The DFSA has not approved this prospectus supplement or the accompanying prospectus or taken steps to verify the information set forth herein or therein and has no responsibility for this prospectus supplement or the accompanying prospectus. The shares to which this prospectus supplement and the accompanying prospectus relate may be illiquid or subject to restrictions on their resale. Prospective purchasers of the shares offered should conduct their own due diligence on the shares. If you do not understand the contents of this prospectus supplement or the accompanying prospectus, you should consult an authorized financial advisor.

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LEGAL MATTERS

The validity of the common stock offered hereby will be passed upon for us by Latham & Watkins LLP, Los Angeles, California. The underwriters have been represented by Davis Polk & Wardwell LLP, New York, New York.

EXPERTS

The consolidated financial statements of Kennedy-Wilson Holdings, Inc. and the related financial statement schedule as of December 31, 2012 and 2011, and for each of the years in the three year period then ended and management's assessment of the effectiveness of internal control over financial reporting as of December 31, 2012 have been incorporated by reference herein in reliance upon the reports of KPMG LLP, independent registered public accounting firm, which reports appear in the December 31, 2012 Annual Report on Form 10-K of Kennedy-Wilson Holdings, Inc., and are incorporated by reference herein, and upon the authority of said firm as experts in accounting and auditing.

The statements of revenues and certain expenses of 5200 Lankershim Boulevard for the year ended December 31, 2011 have been incorporated by reference herein in reliance upon the report of KPMG LLP, independent auditors, which report appears in the Current Report on Form 8-K of Kennedy-Wilson Holdings, Inc. filed with the SEC on November 6, 2012, and is incorporated by reference herein, and upon the authority of said firm as experts in accounting and auditing.

The statements of revenues and certain expenses of 1500 7th Street for the year ended December 31, 2011 have been incorporated by reference herein in reliance upon the report of KPMG LLP, independent auditors, which report appears in the Current Report on Form 8-K of Kennedy-Wilson Holdings, Inc. filed with the SEC on November 6, 2012, and is incorporated by reference herein, and upon the authority of said firm as experts in accounting and auditing.

The statements of revenues and certain expenses of 1900 South State College Boulevard for the year ended December 31, 2011 have been incorporated by reference herein in reliance upon the report of KPMG LLP, independent auditors, which report appears in the Current Report on Form 8-K of Kennedy-Wilson Holdings, Inc. filed with the SEC on November 6, 2012, and is incorporated by reference herein, and upon the authority of said firm as experts in accounting and auditing.

The statements of revenue and certain expenses (Historical Summary) of 950 Harrington Avenue for the year ended December 31, 2011 have been incorporated by reference herein in reliance upon the report of KPMG LLP, independent auditor, which report appears in the Current Report on Form 8-K of Kennedy-Wilson Holdings, Inc. filed with the SEC on February 14, 2013 and is incorporated by reference herein, and upon the authority of said experts in accounting and auditing.

The statements of revenue and certain expenses (Historical Summary) of 1492 East Spring Lane for the year ended December 31, 2011 have been incorporated by reference herein in reliance upon the report of KPMG LLP, independent auditor, which report appears in the Current Report on Form 8-K of Kennedy-Wilson Holdings, Inc. filed with the SEC on February 14, 2013 and is incorporated by reference herein, and upon the authority of said experts in accounting and auditing.

WHERE YOU CAN FIND MORE INFORMATION

We file reports, proxy statements and other information with the SEC. Our SEC filings are available to the public at the SEC's website at <http://www.sec.gov>. You may also read and obtain copies of any document we file with the SEC by mail from the Public Reference Room of the SEC, which is located at 100 F Street, N.E., Room 1580, Washington, D.C. 20549, at prescribed rates. You may obtain further information on the operation of the SEC's Public Reference Room in Washington, D.C. by calling the SEC at 1-800-SEC-0330.

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Our internet website at <http://www.kennedywilson.com> contains information about us. On the Investor Relations page of our website, we provide access to all of our SEC filings free of charge, as soon as reasonably practicable after filing with the SEC. Except for the documents listed below, the information contained in, or that can be accessed from, our internet website is not incorporated by reference in this prospectus supplement, and you should not consider it a part of this prospectus supplement.

INCORPORATION OF CERTAIN INFORMATION BY REFERENCE

The SEC allows information in documents that we file with the SEC to be incorporated by reference in this prospectus supplement, which means that we may disclose important information to you by referring you to those documents on file with the SEC. The information incorporated by reference is considered to be a part of this prospectus supplement. The following documents that we have filed with the SEC are incorporated by reference:

- our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2012, filed with the SEC on March 12, 2013 (File No. 001-33824);
- our Current Reports on Form 8-K, filed with the SEC on November 6, 2012 and February 14, 2013 (File No. 001-33824);
- the portions of our Definitive Proxy Statement on Schedule 14A, filed with the SEC on April 27, 2012 (File No. 001-33824), specifically incorporated by reference in Part III of our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2011, filed with the SEC on March 14, 2012 (File No. 001-33824);
- the description of our common stock incorporated by reference in the Registration Statement on Form 8-A, filed with the SEC on March 18, 2010 (File No. 001-32824), including any amendments or reports filed for purpose of updating such description; and
- any future filings of Kennedy-Wilson Holdings, Inc. with the SEC under Sections 13(a), 13(c), 14 or 15(d) of the Exchange Act on or after the date of this prospectus supplement but prior to the termination of the offering covered by this prospectus supplement.

Any statement in a document incorporated by reference in this prospectus supplement is deemed to be modified or superseded to the extent that a statement contained in this prospectus supplement, or in any other document subsequently filed with the SEC and incorporated by reference, modifies or supersedes that statement. If any statement is so modified or superseded, then it does not constitute a part of this prospectus supplement, except as modified or superseded.

Information that is furnished to the SEC is not considered to be filed with the SEC and, accordingly, is and will not be incorporated by reference into this prospectus supplement, the accompanying prospectus or the registration statement relating to this prospectus supplement.

Each person, including a beneficial holder, to whom this prospectus supplement or the accompanying prospectus is delivered, is entitled to receive a copy of any or all of the information that has been incorporated by reference in, but not delivered with, this prospectus supplement or the accompanying prospectus. You may request a copy of these filings, at no cost, by writing or telephoning Kennedy-Wilson Holdings at the following address and phone number:

Kennedy-Wilson Holdings, Inc.

9701 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 700

Beverly Hills, CA 90212

(310) 887-6400

Attn: Secretary

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KENNEDY-WILSON HOLDINGS, INC.

KENNEDY-WILSON, INC.

Common Stock

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Kennedy-Wilson Holdings, Inc. (Kennedy-Wilson Holdings) may offer and sell, from time to time, in one or more offerings, in amounts, at prices and on terms determined at the time of any such offering, (i) shares of its common stock, (ii) shares of its preferred stock, which may be issued in one or more series, (iii) warrants to purchase its common stock or preferred stock, and (iv) debt securities, which may be senior, senior subordinated or subordinated. The debt securities offered and sold by Kennedy-Wilson Holdings may be fully and unconditionally guaranteed by one or more of its subsidiaries. In addition, Kennedy-Wilson, Inc. (Kennedy-Wilson) may offer and sell debt securities, which may be senior, senior subordinated or subordinated, from time to time, in one or more offerings, in amounts, at prices and on terms determined at the time of any such offering. The debt securities offered and sold by Kennedy-Wilson will be fully and unconditionally guaranteed by Kennedy-Wilson Holdings and also may be fully and unconditionally guaranteed by one or more of Kennedy-Wilson's subsidiaries. Kennedy-Wilson Holdings and Kennedy-Wilson are sometimes referred to in this prospectus as the issuers.

The common stock, preferred stock, warrants, debt securities and guarantees being offered pursuant to this prospectus are collectively referred to in this prospectus as the securities. The securities may be offered in amounts, at prices and on terms determined at the time of the offering of such securities. However, the securities will have a maximum aggregate offering price of \$350,000,000 or its equivalent in a foreign currency based on the exchange rate at the time of sale.

The specific terms of the securities will be provided in one or more supplements to this prospectus at the time of offering. You should read this prospectus and the accompanying prospectus supplement carefully before you make your investment decision.

The securities may be offered directly by the applicable issuer, through agents designated from time to time or to or through underwriters or dealers. If any agents, dealers or underwriters are involved in the sale of any of the securities, their names, and any applicable purchase price, fee, commission or discount arrangement between or among them will be set forth, or will be calculable from the information set forth, in the applicable prospectus supplement. See the sections entitled Plan of Distribution and About this Prospectus for more information. No securities may be sold without delivery of this prospectus and the applicable prospectus supplement describing the method and terms of the offering of such series of securities.

Kennedy-Wilson Holdings' common stock is listed on the New York Stock Exchange under the trading symbol KW. Each prospectus supplement will indicate whether the securities offered thereby will be listed on any securities exchange.

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The principal executive offices of the issuers are located at 9701 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 700, Beverly Hills, California, and their telephone number is (310) 887-6400.

INVESTING IN THESE SECURITIES INVOLVES A HIGH DEGREE OF RISK. YOU SHOULD CAREFULLY READ AND CONSIDER THE RISK FACTORS INCLUDED IN THE PERIODIC REPORTS FILED BY THE ISSUERS, IN ANY PROSPECTUS SUPPLEMENT RELATING TO SPECIFIC OFFERINGS OF SECURITIES AND IN OTHER DOCUMENTS THAT THE ISSUERS FILE WITH THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION. SEE RISK FACTORS BEGINNING ON PAGE 1 OF THIS PROSPECTUS.

Neither the Securities and Exchange Commission nor any state securities commission has approved or disapproved of these securities or passed upon the adequacy or accuracy of the prospectus. Any representation to the contrary is a criminal offense.

The date of this prospectus is November 15, 2012

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You should rely only on the information contained in this prospectus, in an accompanying prospectus supplement or incorporated by reference herein or therein. Neither issuer has authorized anyone to provide you with information or make any representation that is different. If anyone provides you with different or inconsistent information, you should not rely on it. This prospectus and any accompanying prospectus supplement do not constitute an offer to sell or a solicitation of an offer to buy any securities other than the registered securities to which they relate, and this prospectus and any accompanying prospectus supplement do not constitute an offer to sell or the solicitation of an offer to buy securities in any jurisdiction where, or to any person to whom, it is unlawful to make such an offer or solicitation. You should not assume that the information contained in this prospectus and any accompanying prospectus supplement is correct on any date after the respective dates of the prospectus and such prospectus supplement or supplements, as applicable, even though this prospectus and such prospectus supplement or supplements are delivered or securities are sold pursuant to the prospectus and such prospectus supplement or supplements at a later date. Since the respective dates of this prospectus and any accompanying prospectus supplement, the issuers' respective businesses, financial conditions, results of operations and prospects may have changed. The issuers may use this prospectus to sell the securities only if it is accompanied by a prospectus supplement.

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RISK FACTORS

An investment in the securities involves a high degree of risk. You should consider carefully all of the material risks incorporated by reference in this prospectus, including the risk factors set forth in Kennedy-Wilson Holdings' most recent Annual Report on Form 10-K and Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q filed with the SEC, together with the other information contained in this prospectus and any applicable prospectus supplement before making a decision to invest in the securities. If any of the risks occur, the applicable issuer's business, financial condition and operating results may be materially adversely affected. In that event, the trading price of the securities could decline, and you could lose all or part of your investment. This prospectus also contains or incorporates by reference forward-looking statements that involve risks and uncertainties. Actual results could differ materially from those anticipated by the forward-looking statements as a result of specific factors, including the risks incorporated by reference in this prospectus. For more information, see the sections entitled "Where You Can Find Additional Information" and "Incorporation of Certain Information by Reference."

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ABOUT THIS PROSPECTUS

This prospectus is part of a shelf registration statement that the issuers have filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission, or SEC. Under this shelf registration process, the issuers may sell securities, from time to time, in one or more offerings up to a total dollar amount of \$350,000,000 or its equivalent in a foreign currency based on the exchange rate at the time of sale. This prospectus provides you with a general description of the securities that may be offered, which is not meant to be a complete description of each security. Each time securities are sold, a prospectus supplement containing specific information about the terms of that offering will be provided, including the specific amounts, prices and terms of the securities offered. The prospectus supplement and any other offering material may also add to, update or change information contained in this prospectus or in documents incorporated by reference into this prospectus. You are urged to read both this prospectus and any prospectus supplement and any other offering material (including a free writing prospectus) prepared by or on behalf of the applicable issuer for a specific offering of securities, together with additional information described under the heading *Where You Can Find Additional Information* on page 4 of this prospectus. You should rely only on the information contained or incorporated by reference in this prospectus and any prospectus supplement and in any authorized free writing prospectus. Neither issuer has authorized anyone to provide you with different information. The issuers are not making an offer to sell or soliciting an offer to purchase these securities in any jurisdiction where the offer or sale is not permitted.

The issuers may offer the securities directly, through agents, or to or through underwriters or dealers. The applicable prospectus supplement will describe the terms of the plan of distribution and set forth the names of any underwriters involved in the sale of the securities. See *Plan of Distribution* beginning on page 26 for more information on this topic. No securities may be sold without delivery of a prospectus supplement describing the method and terms of the offering of those securities.

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KENNEDY-WILSON HOLDINGS, INC.

Unless otherwise stated or the context otherwise requires, as used in this section, the words “we,” “us,” “our” or the “company” refer to Kennedy-Wilson Holdings, Inc. and its subsidiaries.

Founded in 1977, we are an international real estate investment and services firm. We are a vertically-integrated real estate operating company with approximately 300 professionals in 23 offices throughout the United States, United Kingdom, Ireland and Japan. Based on management’s estimate of fair value as of September 30, 2012, as of that date we had approximately \$11.9 billion of real estate and real estate related assets under our management, totaling over 58 million square feet of properties throughout the United States, Europe and Japan. This included ownership in 13,950 multifamily apartment units, of which 204 units were owned by our consolidated subsidiaries and 13,746 were held in joint ventures.

Our principal executive offices are located at 9701 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 700, Beverly Hills, CA 90212, and our telephone number is (310) 887-6400. Our website is <http://www.kennedywilson.com>. The information contained in, or that can be accessed through, our website is not part of this prospectus.

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WHERE YOU CAN FIND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

The issuers have filed a registration statement on Form S-3 with respect to the securities offered by this prospectus with the SEC in accordance with the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Securities Act, and the rules and regulations enacted under its authority. This prospectus, which constitutes a part of the registration statement, does not contain all of the information included in the registration statement and its exhibits and schedules. Statements contained in this prospectus regarding the contents of any document referred to in this prospectus are not necessarily complete, and, in each instance, you are referred to the full text of the document that is filed or incorporated by reference as an exhibit to the registration statement. Each statement concerning a document that is filed or incorporated by reference as an exhibit should be read along with the entire document. Kennedy-Wilson Holdings files annual, quarterly and current reports and other information with the SEC. For further information regarding the issuers and the securities offered by this prospectus, please refer to the registration statement and its exhibits and schedules, which may be inspected without charge at the SEC's Public Reference Room at 100 F Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20549. You may also read and copy Kennedy-Wilson Holdings' reports and other information filed with the SEC at the SEC's Public Reference Room. Please call the SEC at 1-800-SEC-0330 for further information on the Public Reference Room.

The SEC also maintains an Internet website that contains reports, proxy and information statements and other information regarding issuers, such as Kennedy-Wilson Holdings, that file electronically with the SEC. The SEC's website address is <http://www.sec.gov>.

Kennedy-Wilson Holdings' corporate website is <http://www.kennedywilson.com>. The information contained in, or that can be accessed through, that website is not part of this prospectus and should not be relied upon in determining whether to purchase the securities.

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INCORPORATION OF CERTAIN INFORMATION BY REFERENCE

The SEC allows information in documents that Kennedy-Wilson Holdings files with the SEC to be incorporated by reference, which means that important information may be disclosed to you by referring you to those documents on file with the SEC. The information incorporated by reference is considered to be a part of this prospectus. The following documents of Kennedy-Wilson Holdings are deemed to be incorporated by reference:

the Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2011, filed with the SEC on March 14, 2012 (including the information specifically incorporated by reference in Part III of such Annual Report from the Definitive Proxy Statement on Schedule 14A, filed with the SEC on April 27, 2012) (File No. 001-33824);

the Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q for the quarters ended March 31, 2012, June 30, 2012 and September 30, 2012, filed with the SEC on May 9, 2012, August 9, 2012 and November 9, 2012, respectively (File No. 001-33824);

the Current Reports on Form 8-K, filed with the SEC on October 3, 2011, January 11, 2012, January 30, 2012, April 10, 2012, June 15, 2012, June 29, 2012, July 24, 2012 and November 6, 2012 (File No. 001-33824);

the description of Kennedy-Wilson Holdings common stock incorporated by reference in the Registration Statement on Form 8-A, filed with the SEC on March 18, 2010 (File No. 001-32824), including any amendments or reports filed for purpose of updating such description; and

any future filings of Kennedy-Wilson Holdings with the SEC under Sections 13(a), 13(c), 14 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or the Exchange Act, on or after the date of the initial registration statement of which this prospectus forms a part and prior to the effectiveness of such registration statement, and on or after the date of this prospectus but prior to the termination of the offering covered by this prospectus.

Any statement in a document incorporated or deemed to be incorporated by reference in this prospectus is deemed to be modified or superseded to the extent that a statement contained in this prospectus, or in any other document subsequently filed with the SEC and incorporated by reference, modifies or supersedes that statement. If any statement is so modified or superseded, it does not constitute a part of this prospectus, except as modified or superseded.

Information that is furnished to the SEC shall not be deemed filed with the SEC and shall not be deemed incorporated by reference into this prospectus or the registration statement of which this prospectus is a part.

Each person, including any beneficial owner, to whom a prospectus is delivered, is entitled to receive a copy of any or all of the information that has been incorporated by reference in this prospectus but not delivered with this prospectus. You may request a copy of these filings, at no cost, by writing or telephoning Kennedy-Wilson Holdings at the following address and phone number:

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CAUTIONARY NOTE REGARDING FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

Statements made by in this prospectus and in other reports and statements released by either issuer that are not historical facts constitute forward-looking statements within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act and Section 21 of the Securities Exchange Act. These forward-looking statements are necessary estimates reflecting the judgment of senior management based on current estimates, expectations, forecasts and projections and include comments that express current opinions about trends and factors that may impact future operating results. Disclosures that use words such as believe, anticipate, estimate, intend, could, plan, expect, project or the negative of these, as well as expressions, are intended to identify forward-looking statements.

Forward-looking statements are not guarantees of future performance, rely on a number of assumptions concerning future events, many of which are outside of the issuers control, and involve known and unknown risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results, performance or achievement, or industry results, to differ materially from any future results, performance or achievements, expressed or implied by such forward-looking statements. Although the issuers believe that their plans, intentions, expectations, strategies and prospects as reflected in or suggested by those forward-looking statements are reasonable, no assurance can be given that the transactions and events described will happen as described (or that they will happen at all). In evaluating these statements, you should specifically consider the risks referred to under the heading Risk Factors on page 1 of this prospectus, and in the reports Kennedy-Wilson Holdings files from time to time with the SEC and incorporates by reference herein, including, but not limited to, the following factors:

disruptions in general economic and business conditions, particularly in geographies where the issuers respective businesses may be concentrated;

the continued volatility and disruption of the capital and credit markets, higher interest rates, higher loan costs, less desirable loan terms and a reduction in the availability of mortgage loans and mezzanine financing, all of which could increase costs and could limit the issuers ability to acquire additional real estate assets;

continued high levels of, or increases in, unemployment and general slowdowns in commercial activity;

the issuers leverage and ability to refinance existing indebtedness or incur additional indebtedness;

an increase in the issuers debt service obligations;

the issuers ability to generate a sufficient amount of cash from operations to satisfy working capital requirements and to service their existing and future indebtedness;

the issuers ability to achieve improvements in operating efficiency;

foreign currency fluctuations;

adverse changes in the securities markets;

the issuers ability to retain their senior management and attract and retain qualified and experienced employees;

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the issuers' ability to attract new user and investor clients;

the issuers' ability to retain major clients and renew related contracts;

trends in use of large, full-service commercial real estate providers;

changes in tax laws in the United States, Europe or Japan that reduce or eliminate deductions or other tax benefits the issuers receive;

future acquisitions may not be available at favorable prices or upon advantageous terms and conditions; and

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costs relating to the acquisition of assets the issuers may acquire could be higher than anticipated. Any such forward-looking statements, whether made in this prospectus or elsewhere, should be considered in the context of the various disclosures made by the issuers about their respective businesses including, without limitation, the risk factors discussed above. Except as required under the federal securities laws and the rules and regulations of the SEC, none of the issuers intends or has an obligation to update publicly any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events, changes in assumptions, or otherwise.

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USE OF PROCEEDS

Unless otherwise set forth in a prospectus supplement, the applicable issuer intends to use the net proceeds of any offering of its securities for working capital and other general corporate purposes, including acquisitions, repayment or refinancing of debt, additions to working capital, capital expenditures, investments in its subsidiaries, stock repurchases and other business opportunities. The applicable issuer will have significant discretion in the use of any net proceeds. Additional information about the use of the net proceeds from the sale of securities may be provided in an applicable prospectus supplement or other offering materials relating to the offered securities.

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The following table sets forth Kennedy-Wilson Holdings' ratio of earnings to fixed charges and ratio of earnings to fixed charges and preferred dividends for the periods indicated:

	Nine Months Ended		Year Ended December 31,			
	September 30, 2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007
Ratio of earnings to fixed charges	n/a	n/a	1.51	n/a	n/a	n/a
Ratio of earnings to combined fixed charges and preferred stock dividends	n/a	n/a	1.02	n/a	n/a	n/a

The ratio of earnings to fixed charges is calculated by dividing earnings, as defined, by fixed charges, as defined. For this purpose, earnings consist of pretax income from continuing operations before noncontrolling interest and equity in income of joint ventures plus operating distributions from equity investees, and fixed charges consists of interest expense, whether capitalized or expensed, amortization related to indebtedness and premiums or discounts of stock issuances and an estimate of interest expense within rental expense. For the nine months ended September 30, 2012 and the years ended December 31, 2011, 2009, 2008 and 2007, Kennedy-Wilson Holdings' earnings were insufficient to cover fixed charges, and the deficiency of earnings was \$2.2 million, \$6.5 million, \$21.1 million, \$9.5 million, and \$13.6 million, respectively.

The ratio of earnings to combined fixed charges and preferred stock dividends is calculated by dividing earnings, as defined, by fixed charges, as defined. For this purpose, earnings and fixed charges have the respective meanings assigned above. Preferred stock dividends refers to preferred dividend requirements of consolidated subsidiaries. For the nine months ended September 30, 2012 and the years ended December 31, 2011, 2009, 2008 and 2007, Kennedy-Wilson Holdings' earnings were insufficient to cover fixed charges and preferred stock dividends, and the deficiency of earnings was \$8.2 million, \$15.3 million, \$21.1 million, \$9.5 million and \$13.6 million, respectively.

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DESCRIPTION OF SECURITIES

This prospectus contains summary descriptions of the common stock, preferred stock, warrants, debt securities and guarantees that may be offered and sold from time to time. These summary descriptions are not meant to be complete descriptions of each security. At the time of an offering and sale, this prospectus together with the accompanying prospectus supplement will contain the material terms of the securities being offered.

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DESCRIPTION OF COMMON STOCK

Unless otherwise stated or the context otherwise requires, as used in this section, the words we, us, our or the company refer to Kennedy-Wilson Holdings, Inc. and its subsidiaries.

Our second amended and restated certificate of incorporation authorizes the issuance of 125,000,000 shares of common stock, par value \$0.0001. As of October 31, 2012, 63,772,598 shares of common stock were issued and outstanding. Holders of common stock have exclusive voting rights for the election of our directors and all other matters requiring stockholder action, except with respect to amendments to our second amended and restated certificate of incorporation that alter or change the powers, preferences, rights or other terms of any outstanding preferred stock if the holders of such affected series of preferred stock are entitled to vote on such an amendment. Holders of common stock are entitled to one vote per share on matters to be voted on by stockholders and also are entitled to receive such dividends, if any, as may be declared from time to time by our board of directors in its discretion out of funds legally available therefor. The payment of dividends, if ever, on the common stock will be subject to (i) the prior payment of dividends on any outstanding shares of preferred stock, and (ii) compliance with any applicable limitations in our debt agreements, including debt securities issued pursuant to this prospectus and any prospectus supplement. Our common stock has no conversion, preemptive or other subscription rights and there are no sinking fund or redemption provisions applicable to the common stock.

Our board of directors is divided into three classes, each of which generally serve for a term of three years with only one class of directors being elected in each year. A plurality of the votes cast at a stockholders meeting is sufficient to elect any director into office. There is no cumulative voting with respect to the election of directors.

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DESCRIPTION OF PREFERRED STOCK

Unless otherwise stated or the context otherwise requires, as used in this section, the words we, us, our or the company refer to Kennedy-Wilson Holdings, Inc. and its subsidiaries.

General. Our second amended and restated certificate of incorporation provides that we may issue up to 1,000,000 shares of preferred stock, \$0.0001 par value per share, or preferred stock. Our second amended and restated certificate of incorporation provides that shares of preferred stock may be issued from time to time in one or more series. Our board of directors is authorized to fix the voting rights, if any, the designations, powers, and preferences, the relative, participating, optional or other special rights and any qualifications, limitations and restrictions, applicable to the shares of each series of preferred stock. Our board of directors is able to, without stockholder approval, issue preferred stock with voting and other rights that could adversely affect the voting power and other rights of the holders of the common stock and could have anti-takeover effects. The ability of our board of directors to issue preferred stock without stockholder approval could have the effect of delaying, deferring or preventing a change of control or the removal of existing management by diluting the stock ownership or voting rights of a person seeking to obtain control of the company or remove existing management. As of October 31, 2012, 100,000 shares of our series A preferred stock were issued and outstanding and 32,550 shares of our series B preferred stock were issued and outstanding. Other than the series A preferred stock and series B preferred stock, no shares of preferred stock are currently outstanding.

The specific terms of a particular class or series of preferred stock will be described in the prospectus supplement relating to that class or series, including a prospectus supplement providing that preferred stock may be issuable upon the exercise of warrants, or upon the conversion of any debt securities, that we issue pursuant to this prospectus. The description of preferred stock set forth below and the description of the terms of a particular class or series of preferred stock set forth in the applicable prospectus supplement do not purport to be complete and are qualified in their entirety by reference to the articles supplementary relating to that class or series.

The preferences and other terms of the preferred stock of each class or series will be fixed by the certificate of designation relating to such class or series. A prospectus supplement, relating to each class or series, will specify the terms of the preferred stock as follows:

the title and stated value of such preferred stock;

the number of shares of such preferred stock offered, the liquidation preference per share and the offering price of such preferred stock;

the dividend rate(s), period(s), and/or payment date(s) or method(s) of calculation thereof applicable to such preferred stock;

whether such preferred stock is cumulative or not and, if cumulative, the date from which dividends on such preferred stock shall accumulate;

the provision for a sinking fund, if any, for such preferred stock;

the provision for redemption, if applicable, of such preferred stock;

any listing of such preferred stock on any securities exchange;

preemptive rights, if any;

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the terms and conditions, if applicable, upon which such preferred stock will be converted into our common stock, including the conversion price (or manner of calculation thereof);

a discussion of any material United States federal income tax consequences applicable to an investment in such preferred stock;

the relative ranking and preferences of such preferred stock as to dividend rights and rights upon liquidation, dissolution or winding up of the affairs of our company;

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any limitations on issuance of any class or series of preferred stock ranking senior to or on a parity with such class or series of preferred stock as to dividend rights and rights upon liquidation, dissolution or winding up of the affairs of our company;

any voting rights of such preferred stock; and

any other specific terms, preferences, rights, limitations or restrictions of such preferred stock.

Rank. Unless otherwise specified in the applicable prospectus supplement, the preferred stock will, with respect to dividend rights and rights upon liquidation, dissolution or winding up of our company, rank: (i) senior to all classes or series of our common stock, and to any other class or series of our stock expressly designated as ranking junior to the preferred stock; (ii) on parity with any class or series of our stock expressly designated as ranking on parity with the preferred stock; and (iii) junior to any other class or series of our stock expressly designated as ranking senior to the preferred stock.

Conversion Rights. The terms and conditions, if any, upon which any shares of any class or series of preferred stock are convertible into our common stock will be set forth in the applicable prospectus supplement relating thereto. Such terms will include the number of shares of our common stock into which the shares of preferred stock are convertible, the conversion price (or manner of calculation thereof), the conversion period, provisions as to whether conversion will be at the option of the holders of such class or series of preferred stock, the events requiring an adjustment of the conversion price and provisions affecting conversion in the event of the redemption of such class or series of preferred stock.

Power to Increase Authorized Stock and Issue Additional Shares of Our Preferred Stock. The number of authorized shares of preferred stock may be increased by the affirmative vote of the holders of a majority of the voting power of all the then outstanding shares of the capital stock entitled to vote generally in the election of directors, voting together as a single class, without a separate vote of the holders of the Preferred Stock, or any series thereof, unless a vote of any such holders is required pursuant to the resolutions adopted by the board of directors for such series. Our board of directors has the power to issue additional authorized but unissued shares of our preferred stock and to classify or reclassify unissued shares of our preferred stock and thereafter to cause us to issue such classified or reclassified shares of stock. Although our board of directors does not intend to do so, it could authorize us to issue a class or series that could, depending upon the terms of the particular class or series, delay, defer or prevent a transaction or a change of control of our company that might involve a premium price for our stockholders or otherwise be in their best interest.

Dividend Limitations. The payment of dividends, if ever, on the preferred stock will be subject to compliance with any applicable limitations in our debt agreements, including debt securities issued pursuant to this prospectus and any prospectus supplement.

6.0% Convertible Series A Preferred Stock

General. Our board of directors and a duly authorized committee thereof approved the certificate of designation, a copy of which we have previously filed with the SEC and which we incorporate by reference as an exhibit to the registration statement of which this prospectus is a part, creating the series A preferred stock as a class of our preferred stock, designated as the 6.0% convertible series A preferred stock. The outstanding series A preferred stock is validly issued, fully paid and nonassessable.

Ranking. The series A preferred stock ranks, with respect to dividend rights and rights upon our liquidation, dissolution or winding-up:

senior to all classes or series of our common stock, and to any other class or series of our stock expressly designated as ranking junior to the series A preferred stock;

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on parity with any class or series of our stock expressly designated as ranking on parity with the series A preferred stock; and

junior to any other class or series of our stock expressly designated as ranking senior to the series A preferred stock.

Dividend Rate and Payment Date. Investors are entitled to receive cumulative cash dividends on the series A preferred stock from and including the date of original issue, payable quarterly in arrears on or about the last calendar day of January, April, July and October of each year, commencing June 30, 2010, at the rate of 6.0% per annum of the \$1,000.00 liquidation preference per share. Dividends on the series A preferred stock will accrue whether or not we have earnings, whether or not there are funds legally available for the payment of such dividends. Our debt agreements, including debt securities issued pursuant to this prospectus and any prospectus supplement, may restrict our ability to declare and pay dividends on our preferred stock.

Liquidation Preference. If we liquidate, dissolve or wind-up, holders of the series A preferred stock will have the right to receive \$1,000.00 per share, plus accrued and unpaid dividends (whether or not earned or declared) up to and including the date of payment, before any payment is made to holders of our common stock and any other class or series of stock ranking junior to the series A preferred stock as to liquidation rights. The rights of holders of series A preferred stock to receive their liquidation preference will be subject to the proportionate rights of any other class or series of our stock ranking on parity with the series A preferred stock as to liquidation.

Optional Conversion and Mandatory Conversion. Prior to May 19, 2015, each share of series A preferred stock is convertible, at the option of the holder at any time, into approximately 81 shares of our common stock, subject to adjustments under certain circumstances. On May 19, 2015, each outstanding share of series A preferred stock will automatically be converted into shares of our common stock.

Voting Rights. Holders of series A preferred stock generally have no voting rights. However, if we are in arrears on dividends on the series A preferred stock for three or more quarterly periods, whether or not consecutive, holders of the series A preferred stock (voting together as a class with the holders of all other classes or series of parity preferred stock upon which like voting rights have been conferred and are exercisable) will be entitled to vote at our next annual meeting or special meeting of stockholders for the election of two additional directors to serve on our board of directors until all unpaid dividends and the dividend for the then-current period with respect to the series A preferred stock and any other class or series of parity preferred stock have been paid or declared and a sum sufficient for the payment thereof set aside for payment. In addition, we may not make certain material and adverse changes to the terms of the series A preferred stock without the affirmative vote of the holders of at least two-thirds of the outstanding shares of series A preferred stock and the holders of all other shares of any class or series ranking on parity with the series A preferred stock that are entitled to similar voting rights (voting together as a single class).

Transfer Agent and Registrar. The transfer agent and registrar for our series A preferred stock is Continental Stock Transfer & Trust Company.

6.452% Convertible Series B Preferred Stock

General. Our board of directors and a duly authorized committee thereof approved the certificate of designation, a copy of which we have previously filed with the SEC and which we incorporate by reference as an exhibit to the registration statement of which this prospectus is a part, creating the series B preferred stock as a class of our preferred stock, designated as the 6.452% convertible series B preferred stock. The outstanding series B preferred stock is validly issued, fully paid and nonassessable.

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Ranking. The series B preferred stock ranks, with respect to dividend rights and rights upon our liquidation, dissolution or winding-up:

senior to all classes or series of our common stock, and to any other class or series of our stock expressly designated as ranking junior to the series B preferred stock;

on parity with any class or series of our stock expressly designated as ranking on parity with the series B preferred stock; and

junior to any other class or series of our stock expressly designated as ranking senior to the series B preferred stock.

Dividend Rate and Payment Date. Investors are entitled to receive cumulative cash dividends on the series B preferred stock from and including the date of original issue, payable quarterly in arrears on or about the last calendar day of January, April, July and October of each year, commencing September 30, 2010, at the rate of 6.452% per annum of the \$1,000.00 liquidation preference per share. Dividends on the series B preferred stock will accrue whether or not we have earnings, whether or not there are funds legally available for the payment of such dividends. Our debt agreements, including debt securities issued pursuant to this prospectus and any prospectus supplement, may restrict our ability to declare and pay dividends on our preferred stock.

Liquidation Preference. If we liquidate, dissolve or wind-up, holders of the series B preferred stock will have the right to receive \$1,000.00 per share, plus accrued and unpaid dividends (whether or not earned or declared) up to and including the date of payment, before any payment is made to holders of our common stock and any other class or series of stock ranking junior to the series B preferred stock as to liquidation rights. The rights of holders of series B preferred stock to receive their liquidation preference will be subject to the proportionate rights of any other class or series of our stock ranking on parity with the series B preferred stock as to liquidation.

Optional Conversion and Mandatory Conversion. Prior to November 3, 2018, each share of series B preferred stock is convertible, at the option of the holder at any time, into approximately 93 shares of our common stock, subject to adjustments under certain circumstances, or the series B conversion rate. At any time on or after May 3, 2017 and prior to November 3, 2018, we have the option to convert all or part of the outstanding shares of series B preferred stock into shares of common stock at the series B conversion rate. On November 3, 2018, each outstanding share of series B preferred stock will automatically be converted into shares of our common stock at the series B conversion rate.

Voting Rights. Holders of series B preferred stock generally have no voting rights. However, if we are in arrears on dividends on the series B preferred stock for three or more quarterly periods, whether or not consecutive, holders of the series B preferred stock (voting together as a class with the holders of all other classes or series of parity preferred stock upon which like voting rights have been conferred and are exercisable) will be entitled to vote at our next annual meeting or special meeting of stockholders for the election of two additional directors to serve on our board of directors until all unpaid dividends and the dividend for the then-current period with respect to the series B preferred stock and any other class or series of parity preferred stock have been paid or declared and a sum sufficient for the payment thereof set aside for payment. In addition, we may not make certain material and adverse changes to the terms of the series B preferred stock without the affirmative vote of the holders of at least two-thirds of the outstanding shares of series B preferred stock and the holders of all other shares of any class or series ranking on parity with the series B preferred stock that are entitled to similar voting rights (voting together as a single class).

Transfer Agent and Registrar. The transfer agent and registrar for our series B preferred stock is Continental Stock Transfer & Trust Company.

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DESCRIPTION OF WARRANTS

Unless otherwise stated or the context otherwise requires, as used in this section, the words we, us, our or the company refer to Kennedy-Wilson Holdings, Inc. and its subsidiaries.

This section describes the general terms and provisions of our warrants to acquire our securities that we may issue from time to time. The applicable prospectus supplement will describe the terms of any warrant agreements and the warrants issuable thereunder. If any particular terms of the warrants described in the prospectus supplement differ from any of the terms described herein, then the terms described herein will be deemed superseded by that prospectus supplement.

We may issue warrants for the purchase of our common stock or preferred stock. We may issue warrants independently or together with other securities, and they may be attached to or separate from the other securities. Each series of warrants will be issued under a separate warrant agreement that we will enter into with a bank or trust company, as warrant agent, as detailed in the applicable prospectus supplement. The warrant agent will act solely as our agent in connection with the warrants and will not assume any obligation, or agency or trust relationship, with you. We will file a copy of the warrant and warrant agreement with the SEC each time we issue a series of warrants, and these warrants and warrant agreements will be incorporated by reference into the registration statement of which this prospectus is a part. A holder of our warrants should refer to the provisions of the applicable warrant agreement and prospectus supplement for more specific information.

The prospectus supplement relating to a particular issue of warrants will describe the terms of those warrants, including, when applicable:

the offering price;

the currency or currencies, including composite currencies, in which the price of the warrants may be payable;

the number of warrants offered;

the securities underlying the warrants, including the securities of third parties or other rights, if any, to receive payment in cash or securities based on the value, rate or price of one or more specified commodities, currencies, securities or indices, or any combination of the foregoing, purchasable upon exercise of the warrants;

the exercise price and the amount of securities you will receive upon exercise;

the procedure for exercise of the warrants and the circumstances, if any, that will cause the warrants to be automatically exercised;

the rights, if any, we have to redeem the warrants;

the date on which the right to exercise the warrants will commence and the date on which the warrants will expire;

the designation and terms of the securities with which the warrants are issued and the number of warrants issued with each such security;

the date on and after which the warrants and the related securities will be separately transferable;

material U.S. federal income tax consequences;

the name of the warrant agent; and

any other material terms of the warrants.

After the warrants expire they will become void. The prospectus supplement may provide for the adjustment of the exercise price of the warrants.

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Warrants may be exercised at the appropriate office of the warrant agent or any other office indicated in the applicable prospectus supplement. Before the exercise of warrants, holders will not have any of the rights of holders of the securities purchasable upon exercise and will not be entitled to payments made to holders of those securities.

The applicable warrant agreement may be amended or supplemented without the consent of the holders of the warrants to which it applies to effect changes that are not inconsistent with the provisions of the warrants and that do not materially and adversely affect the interests of the holders of the warrants. However, any amendment that materially and adversely alters the rights of the holders of warrants will not be effective unless the holders of at least a majority of the applicable warrants then outstanding approve the amendment. Every holder of an outstanding warrant at the time any amendment becomes effective, by continuing to hold the warrant, will be bound by the applicable warrant agreement as amended. The prospectus supplement applicable to a particular series of warrants may provide that certain provisions of the warrants, including the securities for which they may be exercisable, the exercise price and the expiration date, may not be altered without the consent of the holder of each warrant.

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DESCRIPTION OF DEBT SECURITIES

This prospectus covers the offer and sale of debt securities of Kennedy-Wilson Holdings or of Kennedy-Wilson. As used in this section, the term applicable issuer refers to Kennedy-Wilson Holdings, in the case of debt securities of Kennedy-Wilson Holdings, or Kennedy-Wilson, in the case of debt securities of Kennedy-Wilson, in each case excluding any of the issuers' respective subsidiaries, unless expressly stated or the context requires otherwise.

Any debt securities of Kennedy-Wilson offered and sold pursuant to this prospectus will be fully and unconditionally guaranteed by Kennedy-Wilson Holdings and may also be fully and unconditionally guaranteed by one or more of its subsidiaries.

The following description, together with the additional information included in any applicable prospectus supplement, summarizes certain general terms and provisions of the debt securities that may be offered under this prospectus. When a particular series of debt securities is offered and sold, a description of the specific terms of the series will be included in a supplement to this prospectus. The supplement will also indicate to what extent the general terms and provisions described in this prospectus apply to a particular series of debt securities.

The debt securities that may be offered pursuant to this prospectus may be senior, senior subordinated or subordinated obligations, and, unless otherwise specified in a supplement to this prospectus, the debt securities will be the direct, unsecured obligations of the applicable issuer and may be issued in one or more series.

The debt securities will be issued pursuant to an indenture between the applicable issuer and a trustee, which will be named in the applicable supplement to this prospectus. Select portions of the indentures to be entered into are summarized below. The summary is not complete. The form of the indentures has been filed as an exhibit to the registration statement of which this prospectus forms a part, and you should read the applicable indenture for provisions that may be important to you. Capitalized terms used in the summary and not defined herein have the meanings specified in the applicable indenture.

General

The terms of each series of debt securities will be established by or pursuant to a resolution of the applicable issuer's board of directors and set forth or determined in the manner provided in a resolution of such board of directors, in an officer's certificate or by a supplemental indenture. The particular terms of each series of debt securities will be described in a prospectus supplement relating to such series (including any pricing supplement or term sheet).

The applicable issuer can issue an unlimited amount of debt securities under the applicable indenture that may be in one or more series with the same or various maturities, at par, at a premium, or at a discount. The prospectus supplement (including any pricing supplement or term sheet) relating to any series of debt securities being offered will set forth the aggregate principal amount and other terms of the debt securities, including, if applicable:

the title and ranking of the debt securities (including the terms of any subordination provisions);

the price or prices (expressed as a percentage of the principal amount) at which the debt securities will be sold;

any limit on the aggregate principal amount of the debt securities;

the date or dates on which the principal of the securities of the series is payable;

the rate or rates (which may be fixed or variable) per annum or the method used to determine the rate or rates (including any commodity, commodity index, stock exchange index or financial index) at

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which the debt securities will bear interest, the date or dates from which interest will accrue, the date or dates on which interest will commence and be payable and any regular record date for the interest payable on any interest payment date;

the place or places where principal of, and interest, if any, on the debt securities will be payable (and the method of such payment), where the securities of such series may be surrendered for registration of transfer or exchange, and where notices and demands to the applicable issuer in respect of the debt securities may be delivered;

the period or periods within which, the price or prices at which and the terms and conditions upon which the applicable issuer may redeem the debt securities;

any obligation the applicable issuer will have to redeem or purchase the debt securities pursuant to any sinking fund or analogous provisions or at the option of a holder of debt securities and the period or periods within which, the price or prices at which and in the terms and conditions upon which securities of the series shall be redeemed or purchased, in whole or in part, pursuant to such obligation;

the dates on which and the price or prices at which the applicable issuer will repurchase debt securities at the option of the holders of debt securities and other detailed terms and provisions of these repurchase obligations;

the denominations in which the debt securities will be issued, if other than denominations of \$1,000 and any integral multiple thereof;

whether the debt securities will be issued in the form of certificated debt securities or global debt securities;

the portion of the principal amount of the debt securities payable upon declaration of acceleration of the maturity date, if other than the principal amount;

the currency of denomination of the debt securities, which may be U.S. dollars or any foreign currency, and, if such currency of denomination is a composite currency, the agency or organization, if any, responsible for overseeing such composite currency;

the designation of the currency, currencies or currency units in which payment of the principal of or premium, if any, and interest on the debt securities will be made;

if payments of the principal of or premium, if any, or interest on the debt securities will be made in one or more currencies or currency units other than that or those in which the debt securities are denominated, the manner in which the exchange rate with respect to these payments will be determined;

the manner in which the amounts of payment of the principal of or premium, if any, or interest on the debt securities will be determined, if these amounts may be determined by reference to an index based on a currency or currencies other than that in which the debt securities are denominated or designated to be payable or by reference to a commodity, commodity index, stock exchange index or financial index;

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any provisions relating to any security provided for the debt securities;

any addition to, deletion of or change in the Events of Default described in this prospectus or set forth in the applicable indenture with respect to the debt securities and any change in the acceleration provisions described in this prospectus or in the applicable indenture with respect to the debt securities;

any addition to, deletion of or change in the covenants described in this prospectus or set forth in the applicable indenture with respect to the debt securities;

any depositaries, interest rate calculation agents, exchange rate calculation agents or other agents with respect to the debt securities;

the provisions, if any, relating to conversion or exchange of any securities of such series, including if applicable, the conversion or exchange price and period, provisions as to whether conversion or exchange will be mandatory, the events requiring an adjustment of the conversion or exchange price and provisions affecting conversion or exchange;

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if applicable, the terms of any guarantee of the debt securities; and

any other terms of the debt securities, which may supplement, modify or delete any provision of the applicable indenture as it applies to that series or any guarantees of debt securities of that series, including any terms that may be required under applicable law or regulations or advisable in connection with the marketing of the securities.

The applicable issuer may issue debt securities that provide for an amount less than their stated principal amount to be due and payable upon declaration of acceleration of their maturity pursuant to the terms of the applicable indenture. Information on material federal income tax considerations and other special considerations applicable to any of these debt securities will be provided in the applicable prospectus supplement.

If the purchase price of any of the debt securities is denominated in a foreign currency or currencies or a foreign currency unit or units, or if the principal of, and any premium and interest on, any series of debt securities is payable in a foreign currency or currencies or a foreign currency unit or units, then information on the restrictions, elections, general tax considerations, specific terms and other information with respect to that issue of debt securities and such foreign currency or currencies or foreign currency unit or units will be provided in the applicable prospectus supplement.

Transfer and Exchange

Each debt security will be represented by either one or more global securities registered in the name of The Depository Trust Company, or the Depository, or a nominee of the Depository (which is referred to as a book-entry debt security) or a certificate issued in definitive registered form (which is referred to as a certificated debt security), as set forth in the applicable prospectus supplement. Except in limited circumstances, book-entry debt securities will not be issuable in certificated form.

Certificated Debt Securities. You may transfer or exchange certificated debt securities at any office the applicable issuer maintains for this purpose in accordance with the terms of the applicable indenture. No service charge will be made for any transfer or exchange of certificated debt securities, but payment of a sum sufficient to cover any tax or other governmental charge payable in connection with a transfer or exchange may be required.

You may effect the transfer of certificated debt securities and the right to receive the principal of, or any premium or interest on, certificated debt securities only by surrendering the certificate representing those certificated debt securities and either reissuance by the applicable issuer or the trustee of the certificate to the new holder or the issuance by the applicable issuer or the trustee of a new certificate to the new holder.

Global Debt Securities and Book-Entry System. Each global debt security representing book-entry debt securities will be deposited with, or on behalf of, the Depository and registered in the name of the Depository or a nominee of the Depository.

Covenants

Any restrictive covenants applicable to any issue of debt securities will be set forth in the applicable prospectus supplement.

No Protection In the Event of a Change of Control

Unless stated otherwise in the applicable prospectus supplement, the debt securities will not contain any provisions that may afford holders of the debt securities protection in the event the applicable issuer has a change in control or in the event of a highly leveraged transaction (whether or not such transaction results in a change in control) that could adversely affect holders of debt securities.

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Consolidation, Merger and Sale of Assets

The applicable issuer may not consolidate with or merge with or into, or convey, transfer or lease all or substantially all of its properties and assets to any person (a successor person) unless:

the applicable issuer is the surviving person or the successor person (if other than the applicable issuer) is a person that is organized and validly existing under the laws of any U.S. domestic jurisdiction and expressly assumes the applicable issuer's obligations on the debt securities and under the applicable indenture; and

immediately after giving effect to the transaction, no Default or Event of Default, shall have occurred and be continuing; Notwithstanding the above, any subsidiaries of the applicable issuer may consolidate with, merge into or transfer all or part of its properties to the applicable issuer.

Events of Default

Event of Default means with respect to any series of debt securities, any of the following:

a default in the payment of any interest upon any debt security of that series when it becomes due and payable, and continuance of such default for a period of 30 days (unless the entire amount of the payment is deposited by the applicable issuer with the trustee or with a paying agent prior to the expiration of the 30-day period);

a default in the payment of principal of any security of that series at its maturity;

a default in the deposit of any sinking fund payment, if, when and as due by the terms of the debt securities of that series, and the continuance of such default for a period of 60 days;

a default in the performance or breach of any other covenant or warranty by the applicable issuer (or, in the case the debt securities of that series are subject to a guarantee, the guarantor of such guarantee) in the applicable indenture (other than a covenant or warranty that has been included in the applicable indenture solely for the benefit of a series of debt securities other than that series), which default continues uncured for a period of 60 days after the applicable issuer receives written notice from the trustee or the applicable issuer and the trustee receive written notice from the holders of not less than 25% in principal amount of the outstanding debt securities of that series as provided in the applicable indenture;

if the debt securities of such series are subject to a guarantee of a guarantor, such guarantee shall for any reason cease to be, or shall for any reason be asserted in writing by such guarantor or the applicable issuer not to be, in full force and effect and enforceable in accordance with its terms, except to the extent contemplated or permitted by the applicable indenture or the terms of the debt securities of that series;

certain voluntary or involuntary events of bankruptcy, insolvency or reorganization of the applicable issuer; and

any other Event of Default provided with respect to debt securities of that series that is described in the applicable prospectus supplement.

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No Event of Default with respect to a particular series of debt securities (except as to certain events of bankruptcy, insolvency or reorganization) necessarily constitutes an Event of Default with respect to any other series of debt securities. The occurrence of certain Events of Default or an acceleration under the applicable indenture may constitute an event of default under certain other indebtedness of the applicable issuer or its subsidiaries outstanding from time to time.

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If an Event of Default with respect to debt securities of any series at the time outstanding occurs and is continuing, then the trustee or the holders of not less than 25% in principal amount of the outstanding debt securities of that series may, by a notice in writing to the applicable issuer (and to the trustee if given by the holders), declare to be due and payable immediately the principal of (or, if the debt securities of that series are discount securities, that portion of the principal amount as may be specified in the terms of that series), and any premium and accrued and unpaid interest on, all debt securities of that series. In the case of an Event of Default resulting from certain events of bankruptcy, insolvency or reorganization, the principal (or such specified amount) of, and any premium and accrued and unpaid interest on, all outstanding debt securities of the applicable series will become and be immediately due and payable without any declaration or other act on the part of the trustee or any holder of outstanding debt securities. At any time after a declaration of acceleration with respect to debt securities of any series has been made, but before a judgment or decree for payment of the money due has been obtained by the trustee, the holders of a majority in principal amount of the outstanding debt securities of that series may rescind and annul the acceleration if all Events of Default (other than the non-payment of accelerated principal, premium and interest, if any, with respect to debt securities of that series) have been cured or waived as provided in the applicable indenture. You are referred to the prospectus supplement relating to any series of debt securities that are discount securities for the particular provisions relating to acceleration of a portion of the principal amount of such discount securities upon the occurrence of an Event of Default.

The applicable indenture will provide that the trustee will be under no obligation to exercise any of its rights or powers under the applicable indenture unless the trustee receives indemnity satisfactory to it against any cost, liability or expense which might be incurred by it in exercising such right of power. Subject to certain rights of the trustee, the holders of a majority in principal amount of the outstanding debt securities of any series will have the right to direct the time, method and place of conducting any proceeding for any remedy available to the trustee or exercising any trust or power conferred on the trustee with respect to the debt securities of that series.

No holder of any debt security of any series will have any right to institute any proceeding, judicial or otherwise, with respect to the applicable indenture or for the appointment of a receiver or trustee, or for any remedy under the applicable indenture, unless:

that holder has previously given to the trustee written notice of a continuing Event of Default with respect to debt securities of that series; and

the holders of not less than 25% in principal amount of the outstanding debt securities of that series have made written request, and offered reasonable indemnity or security, to the trustee to institute the proceeding as trustee, and the trustee has (x) not received from the holders of not less than a majority in principal amount of the outstanding debt securities of that series a direction inconsistent with that request and (y) failed to institute the proceeding within 60 days.

Notwithstanding any other provision in the applicable indenture, the holder of any debt security will have an absolute and unconditional right to receive payment of the principal of, and any premium and interest on, that debt security on or after the due dates expressed in that debt security and to institute suit for the enforcement of payment.

The applicable indenture will require the applicable issuer to, within 120 days after the end of its fiscal year, furnish to the trustee a statement as to compliance with the applicable indenture. If a Default or Event of Default occurs and is continuing with respect to the securities of any series and is known to a responsible officer of the trustee, then the trustee must mail to each holder of the securities of that series notice of a Default or Event of Default within 90 days after it occurs. The applicable indenture will provide that the trustee may withhold notice to the holders of debt securities of any series of any Default or Event of Default (except in payment on any debt securities of that series) with respect to debt securities of that series if the trustee determines in good faith that withholding notice is in the interest of the holders of those debt securities.

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Modification and Waiver

The applicable issuer, the applicable guarantors, if any, and the trustee may modify and amend the applicable indenture or the debt securities of any series without the consent of any holder of any debt security:

to cure any ambiguity, defect or inconsistency;

to evidence the succession of another person to the applicable issuer or, if applicable, any guarantor and the assumption by such successor person of the covenants of the applicable issuer or such guarantor, as applicable, in or pursuant to the applicable indenture and in the debt securities or the guarantees of such guarantor, as applicable;

to secure or provide additional security for all or any debt securities of any series;

to add to the covenants of the applicable issuer or, if applicable, any guarantor for the benefit of the holders of all or any debt securities of any series or to surrender any right or power conferred upon the applicable issuer or, if applicable, any guarantor with regard to all or any debt securities of any series;

to provide for uncertificated debt securities in addition to or in place of certificated debt securities;

to make any change that does not materially adversely affect the rights of any holder;

to provide for the issuance of and establish the form, terms and conditions of debt securities of any series and any guarantees thereof, as permitted by the applicable indenture;

to evidence and provide for the acceptance of appointment by a successor trustee with respect to the debt securities of one or more series and to add to or change any of the provisions of the applicable indenture as shall be necessary to provide for or facilitate the administration of the trusts thereunder by more than one trustee;

to comply with requirements of the SEC in order to effect or maintain the qualification of the applicable indenture under the Trust Indenture Act;

to amend the provisions of the applicable indenture relating to the transfer and legending of debt securities; *provided, however*, that (i) compliance with the applicable indenture as so amended would not result in debt securities being transferred in violation of the Securities Act or any applicable securities law; and (ii) such amendment does not materially and adversely affect the rights of holders to transfer debt securities, except as required by law;

to add any additional Events of Default for the benefit of the holders of all or any debt securities of any series;

to add to, change or eliminate any provision of the applicable indenture in respect of all or any debt securities of any series or any guarantees thereof, provided that such addition, change or elimination shall either (A) (i) not apply to any debt security of any series

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or any guarantee thereof that was created prior to the execution and delivery of such supplemental indenture; and (ii) not modify the rights of the holder of any such debt security with respect to such provision; or (B) become effective only when there is no debt security outstanding;

in the case of any debt securities that, by their terms, may be converted into securities or other property (other than debt securities of the same series and of like tenor), to (A) make provisions with respect to adjustments to the applicable conversion rate of such debt securities as required or permitted by the applicable indenture and the terms of such debt securities; or (B) permit or facilitate the issuance, payment or conversion of such debt securities;

to add any person as a guarantor of all or any debt securities of any series, which debt securities were not theretofore subject to a guarantee, or to add additional guarantors of all or any debt securities of any series;

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to evidence the release and discharge of any guarantor from its obligations under its guarantees of any debt securities and its obligations under the applicable indenture in respect of any debt securities, in each case in accordance with the applicable indenture and the terms of such debt securities; or

to conform the text of the applicable indenture or any debt securities of any series or any guarantee to the description of the applicable indenture, such debt securities or such guarantee contained in this prospectus and the applicable prospectus supplement, provided that such supplemental indenture shall apply only to such debt securities or guarantee.

Except to the extent the terms of a series of debt securities otherwise provide with respect to any of such debt securities or guarantee thereof, the applicable issuer may also modify and amend the applicable indenture with the consent of the holders of at least a majority in principal amount of the outstanding debt securities of each series affected by the modifications or amendments. However, no waiver or amendment may be made without the consent of the holders of each affected debt security then outstanding if that waiver or amendment will:

reduce the amount of debt securities whose holders must consent to an amendment, supplement or waiver;

reduce the rate of or extend the time for payment of interest (including default interest) on any debt security;

reduce the principal of or premium, if any, on or change the fixed maturity of any debt security or reduce the amount of, or postpone the date fixed for, the payment of any sinking fund or analogous obligation with respect to any series of debt securities;

reduce the principal amount of discount securities payable upon acceleration of maturity;

waive a default in the payment of the principal of, or any premium or interest on, any debt security (except a rescission of acceleration of the debt securities of any series by the holders of at least a majority in aggregate principal amount of the then-outstanding debt securities of that series and a waiver of the payment default that resulted from such acceleration);

make the principal of, or any premium or interest on, any debt security payable in currency other than that stated in the debt security;

make any change to certain provisions of the applicable indenture relating to, among other things, (i) the right of holders of debt securities to receive payment of the principal of, or any premium or interest on, debt securities and to institute suit for the enforcement of any such payment; (ii) waivers of past defaults; and (iii) amendments and waivers that require the consent of each affected holder;

waive a redemption payment with respect to any debt security;

in the case of any debt security that is subject to a guarantee, release the guarantor of such guarantee from any of its obligations under such guarantee, except in accordance with the terms of the applicable indenture and such debt security;

make any change in the ranking or priority of any debt security or any guarantee thereof that would adversely affect the holders of such debt security; or

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in the case of any debt security that provides that the holder thereof may require the applicable issuer to repurchase or convert such debt security, impair such holder's right to require such repurchase or effect such conversion of such Security in accordance with the applicable Indenture and the terms of such debt security.

Except in certain circumstances, the holders of at least a majority in principal amount of the outstanding debt securities of any series may on behalf of the holders of all debt securities of that series waive compliance by the applicable issuer or any guarantor of debt securities of that series with provisions of the applicable indenture or guarantee. The holders of a majority in principal amount of the outstanding debt securities of any series may,

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on behalf of the holders of all the debt securities of such series, waive any past default under the applicable indenture with respect to that series and its consequences, except a default in the payment of the principal of, or any premium or interest on, any debt security of that series. The holders of a majority in principal amount of the outstanding debt securities of any series may rescind an acceleration and its consequences, including any related payment default that resulted from the acceleration.

Defeasance of Debt Securities and Certain Covenants in Certain Circumstances

Legal Defeasance. The applicable indenture will provide that, unless otherwise provided by the terms of the applicable series of debt securities, the applicable issuer and the guarantors, if any, will be deemed to have paid and discharged the entire indebtedness on all the outstanding debt securities of any series on the 91st day after the date of the deposit referred to below, and the provisions of the applicable indenture, as it relates to such outstanding debt securities of such series, will no longer be in effect, except as to certain specified rights, powers, immunities and provisions. In order to effect such legal defeasance, the following conditions, among others, must be satisfied:

subject to certain rights of the applicable issuer and guarantors, if any, the applicable issuer or, if applicable, any guarantor(s), must deposit, or cause to be irrevocably deposited, with the trustee money or U.S. government obligations or, in the case of debt securities denominated in a single currency other than U.S. Dollars, government obligations of the government that issued or caused to be issued such currency, that, through the payment of interest and principal in accordance with their terms, will provide money in an amount sufficient, in the opinion of a nationally recognized firm of independent public accountants or investment bank, to pay and discharge each installment of principal of, premium and interest on and any mandatory sinking fund payments in respect of all the debt securities of that series on the stated maturity of those payments in accordance with the terms of the applicable indenture and those debt securities; and

such deposit will not result in a breach or violation of, or constitute a default under, the applicable indenture or any other agreement or instrument to which the applicable issuer is a party or by which it is bound;

no default or Event of Default with respect to the debt securities of such series shall have occurred and be continuing on the date of such deposit or during the period ending on the 91st day after such date; and

the applicable issuer or guarantor(s) must deliver to the trustee an opinion of counsel stating that the applicable issuer or guarantor(s), as applicable, have received from, or there has been published by, the U.S. Internal Revenue Service a ruling or, since the date of execution of the applicable indenture, there has been a change in the applicable U.S. federal income tax law, in either case to the effect that, and based thereon such opinion shall confirm that, the holders of the debt securities of that series will not recognize income, gain or loss for U.S. federal income tax purposes as a result of the deposit, defeasance and discharge and will be subject to U.S. federal income tax on the same amounts and in the same manner and at the same times as would have been the case if the deposit, defeasance and discharge had not occurred.

Defeasance of Certain Covenants. The applicable indenture will provide that, unless otherwise provided by the terms of the applicable series of debt securities, upon compliance with certain conditions:

the applicable issuer and, if applicable, may omit to comply with the covenant described under the heading "Consolidation, Merger and Sale of Assets" and certain other covenants set forth in the applicable indenture, as well as any additional covenants which may be described in the applicable prospectus supplement; and

any omission to comply with those covenants, or with certain other Events of Default, will not constitute a default or an Event of Default with respect to the debt securities of that series ("covenant defeasance").

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The conditions include the following, among others:

subject to certain rights of the applicable issuer and guarantors, if any, the applicable issuer or, if applicable, any guarantor(s), must deposit, or cause to be irrevocably deposited, with the trustee money or U.S. government obligations or, in the case of debt securities denominated in a single currency other than U.S. Dollars, government obligations of the government that issued or caused to be issued such currency, that, through the payment of interest and principal in accordance with their terms, will provide money in an amount sufficient, in the opinion of a nationally recognized firm of independent public accountants or investment bank, to pay and discharge each installment of principal of, premium and interest on and any mandatory sinking fund payments in respect of all the debt securities of that series on the stated maturity of those payments in accordance with the terms of the applicable indenture and those debt securities; and

the applicable issuer or guarantor(s) must deliver to the trustee an opinion of counsel to the effect that the holders of the debt securities of that series will not recognize income, gain or loss for U.S. federal income tax purposes as a result of the deposit and related covenant defeasance and will be subject to U.S. federal income tax on the same amounts and in the same manner and at the same times as would have been the case if the deposit and related covenant defeasance had not occurred.

Covenant Defeasance and Events of Default. In the event the applicable issuer exercises its option to effect covenant defeasance with respect to any series of debt securities, and the debt securities of that series are declared due and payable immediately following an acceleration after the occurrence of any Event of Default, the amount of money or U.S. government obligations or foreign government obligations on deposit with the trustee will be sufficient to pay amounts due on the debt securities of that series at the time of their stated maturity but may not be sufficient to pay amounts due on the debt securities of that series at the time of such acceleration. However, the applicable issuer shall remain liable for those payments.

Governing Law

The applicable indenture and the debt securities, including any claim or controversy arising out of or relating to the applicable indenture or the securities, will be governed by the laws of the State of New York (without regard to the conflicts of laws provisions thereof, other than Section 5-1401 of the General Obligations Law).

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DESCRIPTION OF GUARANTEES

To the extent provided in the applicable supplement to this prospectus, the debt securities offered and sold pursuant to this prospectus may be guaranteed by one or more guarantors. Each guarantee will be issued under a supplement to the applicable indenture. The prospectus supplement relating to a particular issue of guarantees will describe the terms of those guarantees, including the following, to the extent applicable:

the series of debt securities to which the guarantees apply;

whether the guarantees are secured or unsecured;

whether the guarantees are senior, senior subordinated or subordinated;

the terms under which the guarantees may be amended, modified, waived, released or otherwise terminated, if different from the provisions applicable to the guaranteed debt securities; and

any additional terms of the guarantees.

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PLAN OF DISTRIBUTION

The issuers may sell the securities domestically or abroad to one or more underwriters for public offering and sale by them or may sell the securities to investors directly or through dealers or agents, or through a combination of methods. Any underwriter, dealer or agent involved in the offer and sale of the securities will be named in the applicable prospectus supplement.

Underwriters may offer and sell the securities at: (i) a fixed price or prices, which may be changed, (ii) market prices prevailing at the time of sale, (iii) prices related to the prevailing market prices at the time of sale or (iv) negotiated prices. The issuers also may, from time to time, authorize underwriters acting as their agents to offer and sell the securities upon the terms and conditions as are set forth in the applicable prospectus supplement. In connection with the sale of securities, underwriters may be deemed to have received compensation from the applicable issuer in the form of underwriting discounts or commissions and may also receive commissions from purchasers of securities for whom they may act as agent. Underwriters may sell securities to or through dealers, and the dealers may receive compensation in the form of discounts, concessions or commissions from the underwriters and/or commissions from the purchasers for whom they may act as agent.

Any underwriting compensation paid by an issuer to underwriters, dealers or agents in connection with the offering of securities, and any discounts, concessions or commissions allowed by underwriters to participating dealers, will be set forth in the applicable prospectus supplement. Dealers and agents participating in the distribution of the securities may be deemed to be underwriters, and any discounts and commissions received by them and any profit realized by them on resale of the securities may be deemed to be underwriting discounts and commissions under the Securities Act. Underwriters, dealers and agents may be entitled, under agreements entered into with any of the issuers, to indemnification against and contribution toward civil liabilities, including liabilities under the Securities Act. Any indemnification agreement will be described in the applicable prospectus supplement.

Unless specified otherwise in the applicable prospectus supplement, any series of securities issued hereunder will be a new issue with no established trading market (other than Kennedy-Wilson Holdings' common stock, which is listed on the NYSE). If Kennedy-Wilson Holdings sells any shares of its common stock pursuant to a prospectus supplement, such shares will be listed on the NYSE, subject to official notice of issuance. The issuers may elect to list any other securities issued hereunder on any exchange, but the issuers are not obligated to do so. Any underwriters or agents to or through whom such securities are sold for public offering and sale may make a market in such securities, but such underwriters or agents will not be obligated to do so and may discontinue any market making at any time without notice. No assurance can be given as to the liquidity of the trading market for any such securities.

If indicated in the applicable prospectus supplement, the issuers may authorize underwriters or other persons acting as the issuers' agents to solicit offers by institutions or other suitable purchasers to purchase the securities from the issuers at the public offering price set forth in the prospectus supplement, pursuant to delayed delivery contracts providing for payment and delivery on the date or dates stated in the prospectus supplement. These purchasers may include, among others, commercial and savings banks, insurance companies, pension funds, investment companies and educational and charitable institutions. Delayed delivery contracts will be subject to the condition that the purchase of the securities covered by the delayed delivery contracts will not at the time of delivery be prohibited under the laws of any jurisdiction in the United States to which the purchaser is subject. The underwriters and agents will not have any responsibility with respect to the validity or performance of these contracts.

To facilitate the offering of the securities, certain persons participating in the offering may engage in transactions that stabilize, maintain, or otherwise affect the price of the securities. This may include over-allotments or short sales of the securities, which involves the sale by persons participating in the offering of more securities than the issuers sold to them. In these circumstances, these persons would cover the over-allotments or

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short positions by making purchases in the open market or by exercising their over-allotment option. In addition, these persons may stabilize or maintain the price of the securities by bidding for or purchasing securities in the open market or by imposing penalty bids, whereby selling concessions allowed to dealers participating in the offering may be reclaimed if securities sold by them are repurchased in connection with stabilization transactions. The effect of these transactions may be to stabilize or maintain the market price of the securities at a level above that which might otherwise prevail in the open market. These transactions may be discontinued at any time. In compliance with FINRA guidelines, the maximum commission or discount to be received by any FINRA member or independent broker dealer may not exceed 8% of the aggregate amount of the securities offered pursuant to this prospectus and any applicable prospectus supplement.

The underwriters, dealers and agents and their affiliates may be customers of, engage in transactions with and perform services for the issuers in the ordinary course of business.

The specific plan of distribution, including any underwriters, dealers, agents or direct purchasers and their compensation, will be identified in a prospectus supplement.

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LEGAL MATTERS

Certain matters will be passed upon for the issuers by Latham & Watkins LLP, Los Angeles, California. Certain other matters will be passed on for the issuers by Kulik, Gottesman & Siegel LLP, Los Angeles, California.

EXPERTS

The consolidated financial statements of Kennedy-Wilson Holdings, Inc. and the related financial statement schedule as of December 31, 2011 and 2010, and for each of the years in the three year period then ended and management's assessment of the effectiveness of internal control over financial reporting as of December 31, 2011 have been incorporated by reference herein in reliance upon the reports of KPMG LLP, independent registered public accounting firm, which reports appear in the December 31, 2011 annual report on Form 10-K of Kennedy-Wilson Holdings, Inc., and are incorporated by reference herein, and upon the authority of said firm as experts in accounting and auditing. KPMG LLP did not audit the December 31, 2009 financial statements of KW Residential, LLC, a 35% owned investee company as of December 31, 2009. Kennedy-Wilson Holdings, Inc.'s equity in joint venture income from KW Residential, LLC was \$5,949,000 for the year ended December 31, 2009.

The consolidated balance sheet of KW Residential LLC and subsidiaries, as of December 31, 2010, and the related consolidated statements of operations and comprehensive income, members' equity and cash flows for the year then ended, have been incorporated by reference herein in reliance upon the report of KPMG AZSA LLC, independent registered public accounting firm, which report appears in the December 31, 2011 annual report on Form 10-K of Kennedy-Wilson Holdings, Inc., and is incorporated by reference herein, and upon the authority of said firm as experts in accounting and auditing.

The consolidated statements of operations and comprehensive income, members' equity and cash flows of KW Residential LLC and subsidiaries for the year ended December 31, 2009, have been incorporated by reference herein in reliance upon the report of Grant Thornton Taiyo ASG, independent registered public accounting firm, whose report appears in Kennedy-Wilson Holdings, Inc.'s Annual Report on Form 10-K for the period ended December 31, 2011, and is incorporated by reference herein, and upon the authority of said firm as experts in accounting and auditing.

The combined statement of financial condition of KW Property Fund III, L.P. and KW Property Fund III (QP-A), L.P. including the combined schedule of investments as of December 31, 2010, and the related combined statements of operations, partners' capital, and cash flows for the year then ended have been incorporated by reference herein in reliance upon the report of KPMG LLP, independent auditors, which report appears in the December 31, 2011 annual report on Form 10-K of Kennedy-Wilson Holdings, Inc., and is incorporated by reference herein, and upon the authority of said firm as experts in accounting and auditing.

The combined balance sheet of KW/WDC Portfolio Member LLC and subsidiaries and One Carlsbad as of December 31, 2010, and the related combined statements of operations, equity, and cash flows for the year then ended have been incorporated by reference herein in reliance upon the report of KPMG LLP, independent auditors, which report appears in the December 31, 2011 annual report on Form 10-K of Kennedy-Wilson Holdings, Inc., and is incorporated by reference herein, and upon the authority of said firm as experts in accounting and auditing.

The consolidated balance sheet of Bay Fund Opportunity, LLC and subsidiaries as of December 31, 2011, and the related combined statements of operations, members' equity and cash flows for the year then ended have been incorporated by reference herein in reliance upon the report of KPMG LLP, independent auditors, which report appears in the December 31, 2011 annual report on Form 10-K of Kennedy-Wilson Holdings, Inc., and is incorporated by reference herein, and upon the authority of said firm as experts in accounting and auditing.

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The consolidated balance sheet of KWF Real Estate Venture VI, L.P. and subsidiary as of December 31, 2011, and the related consolidated statements of operations and comprehensive loss, partners' capital and cash flows for the period from October 5, 2011 (inception) through December 31, 2011 have been incorporated by reference herein in reliance upon the report of KPMG LLP, independent auditors, which report appears in the December 31, 2011 annual report on Form 10-K of Kennedy-Wilson Holdings, Inc., and is incorporated by reference herein, and upon the authority of said firm as experts in accounting and auditing.

The balance sheet of Bay Area Smart Growth Fund II, LLC as of December 31, 2011, and the related statements of operations, members' equity and cash flows for the year then ended have been incorporated by reference herein in reliance upon the report of KPMG LLP, independent auditors, which report appears in the December 31, 2011 annual report on Form 10-K of Kennedy-Wilson Holdings, Inc., and is incorporated by reference herein, and upon the authority of said firm as experts in accounting and auditing.

The combined balance sheets of KWI America Multifamily, LLC and subsidiaries and KW SV Investment West Coast, LLC as of December 31, 2011, and the related combined statements of operations, members' equity and cash flows for the year then ended have been incorporated by reference herein in reliance upon the report of KPMG LLP, independent auditors, which report appears in the December 31, 2011 annual report on Form 10-K of Kennedy-Wilson Holdings, Inc., and is incorporated by reference herein, and upon the authority of said firm as experts in accounting and auditing.

The consolidated balance sheet of SJ Real Estate Investors, LLC as of December 31, 2011, and the related consolidated statements of operations, members' equity and cash flows for the year ended have been incorporated by reference herein in reliance upon the report of KPMG LLP, independent auditors, which report appears in the December 31, 2011 annual report on Form 10-K of Kennedy-Wilson Holdings, Inc., and is incorporated by reference herein, and upon the authority of said firm as experts in accounting and auditing.

The statements of revenues and certain expenses of 5200 Lankershim Boulevard for the year ended December 31, 2011 have been incorporated by reference herein in reliance upon the report of KPMG LLP, independent auditors, which report appears in the Current Report on Form 8-K of Kennedy-Wilson Holdings, Inc. filed with the SEC on November 6, 2012, and is incorporated by reference herein, and upon the authority of said firm as experts in accounting and auditing.

The statements of revenues and certain expenses of 1500 7th Street for the year ended December 31, 2011 have been incorporated by reference herein in reliance upon the report of KPMG LLP, independent auditors, which report appears in the Current Report on Form 8-K of Kennedy-Wilson Holdings, Inc. filed with the SEC on November 6, 2012, and is incorporated by reference herein, and upon the authority of said firm as experts in accounting and auditing.

The statements of revenues and certain expenses of 1900 South State College Boulevard for the year ended December 31, 2011 have been incorporated by reference herein in reliance upon the report of KPMG LLP, independent auditors, which report appears in the Current Report on Form 8-K of Kennedy-Wilson Holdings, Inc. filed with the SEC on November 6, 2012, and is incorporated by reference herein, and upon the authority of said firm as experts in accounting and auditing.

The historical summaries of gross income and direct operating expenses of 303-333 Hegenberger for the years ended December 31, 2010, 2009 and 2008 and the historical summary of gross income and direct operating expenses of 9320 Telstar Avenue for the year ended December 31, 2010 have been incorporated by reference herein in reliance upon the report of KPMG LLP, independent auditors, whose reports appear in our Current Report on Form 8-K, dated October 3, 2011, and are incorporated by reference herein, and upon the authority of said firm as experts in accounting and auditing. KPMG LLP's reports refer to the fact that the historical summaries of gross income and direct operating expenses of 303-333 Hegenberger and the historical summary of

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gross income and direct operating expenses of 9320 Telstar Avenue were prepared for the purpose of complying with the rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission and are not intended to be a complete presentation of gross income and direct operating expenses.

TRANSFER AGENT AND REGISTRAR

The transfer agent and registrar for Kennedy-Wilson Holdings common stock is Continental Stock Transfer & Trust Company. Its telephone number is (212) 509-4000.

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9,000,000 Shares

Kennedy-Wilson Holdings, Inc.

Common Stock

PROSPECTUS SUPPLEMENT

Joint Book-Running Managers

BofA Merrill Lynch

Deutsche Bank Securities

Morgan Stanley

Co-Managers

JMP Securities

B.Riley & Co.

CJS Securities, Inc.

Sidoti & Company, LLC

March 14, 2013

