CHIMERA INVESTMENT CORP Form 8-K September 03, 2014

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, DC 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): <u>September 3, 2014</u>

<u>CHIMERA INVESTMENT CORPORATION</u> (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

1211 Avenue of the Americas

Suite 2902

New York, New York10036(Address of principal executive offices)(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (646) 454-3759

No Change

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure

On September 3, 2014, Chimera Investment Corporation issued a press release announcing that it had acquired the rights to approximately \$4.8 billion of seasoned residential mortgage loans through the purchase of certain subordinate notes and trust certificates in Springleaf Mortgage Loan Trusts 2011-1, 2012-1, 2012-2, 2012-3, 2013-1, 2013-2 and 2013-3.

A copy of the press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this report.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release, dated September 3, 2014, issued by Chimera Investment Corporation.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Chimera Investment Corporation

By: /s/ Rob Colligan Name: Rob Colligan Title: Chief Financial Officer

Date: September 3, 2014