# **UNITED STATES** SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

## FORM 8-K

### **CURRENT REPORT**

### Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event Reported): October 8, 2019

**Gladstone Investment Corporation** 

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

814-00704 (Commission File Number)

83-0423116 (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

1521 Westbranch Drive, Suite 100, McLean, Virginia 22102 (Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

(703) 287-5800

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)

Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (17 CFR §230.405) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (17 CFR §240.12b-2). Emerging growth company [ ]

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act. []

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

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Title of Each Class Common Stock, \$0.001 par value per share 6.250% Series D Cumulative Term Preferred Stock, \$0.001 par value per share 6.375% Series E Cumulative Term Preferred Stock, \$0.001 par value per share

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Name of Each Exchange on Which Registered Nasdaq Global Select Market Nasdaq Global Select Market Nasdaq Global Select Market

Trading Symbol(s)

#### Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.

On October 8, 2019, Gladstone Investment Corporation (the "Company") issued a press release, filed herewith as Exhibit 99.1, announcing that the Company's board of directors (the "Board") declared monthly cash distributions for the Company's common stock, 6.25% Series D Cumulative Term Preferred Stock, and 6.375% Series E Cumulative Term Preferred Stock for each of October, November, and December 2019 and a supplemental distribution to common stockholders for December 2019.

The information disclosed under this Item 7.01, including portions of Exhibit 99.1 attached hereto regarding distributions, is being furnished and shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and shall not be deemed incorporated by reference into any filing made under the Securities Act of 1933, except as expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

<u>Exhibit No.</u>	Description
<u>99.1</u>	Press Release issued by Gladstone Investment Corporation, dated October 8, 2019.

## SIGNATURE

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

## **Gladstone Investment Corporation**

Date: October 8, 2019

By: <u>/s/ Julia Ryan</u> Julia Ryan Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer

# Gladstone Investment Announces Monthly Cash Distributions for October, November and December 2019, a Supplemental Distribution to Common Stockholders, and Second Fiscal Quarter Earnings Release and Conference Call Dates

MCLEAN, Va., Oct. 08, 2019 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- <u>Gladstone Investment Corporation</u> (NASDAQ: GAIN) (the "Company") announced today that its board of directors declared the following monthly cash distributions to preferred and common stockholders. The Company also announced its plan to report earnings for the second fiscal quarter ended September 30, 2019.

The Company will also pay a supplemental distribution of \$0.09 per share to holders of its common stock in December 2019. In this regard, the Company currently anticipates paying semi-annual, supplemental distributions each fiscal year that include undistributed net capital gains, but may also be made from undistributed net investment income, which the Company anticipates it will continue to generate in the future. The Board of Directors will evaluate the amount and timing of additional, semi-annual, supplemental distributions in future periods.

*Common Stock:* \$0.068 per share of common stock for each of October, November and December 2019, payable per the table below. The Company has paid 171 consecutive monthly cash distributions on its common stock.

<b>Record Date</b>	Payment Date	<b>Cash Distribution</b>
October 22	October 31	\$ 0.068
November 19	November 29	\$ 0.068
December 3	December 13	\$ 0.09*
December 19	December 31	\$ 0.068
	Total for the Quarter:	\$ 0.294

\*Denotes supplemental distribution to common stockholders

*Series D Term Preferred Stock:* \$0.13020833 per share of the Company's 6.25% Series D Cumulative Term Preferred Stock ("Series D Term Preferred Stock") for each of October, November and December 2019, payable per the table below. The Series D Term Preferred Stock trades on the NASDAQ under the symbol "GAINM."

<b>Record Date</b>	Payment Date	<b>Cash Distribution</b>
October 22	October 31	\$ 0.13020833
November 19	November 29	\$ 0.13020833
December 19	December 31	\$ 0.13020833
	Total for the Quarter:	\$ 0.39062499

*Series E Term Preferred Stock:* \$0.1328125 per share of the Company's 6.375% Series E Cumulative Term Preferred Stock ("Series E Term Preferred Stock") for each of October, November and December 2019, payable per the table below. The Series E Term Preferred Stock trades on the NASDAQ under the symbol "GAINL."

<b>Record Date</b>	Payment Date	<b>Cash Distribution</b>
October 22	October 31	\$ 0.1328125
November 19	November 29	\$ 0.1328125
December 19	December 31	\$ 0.1328125
	Total for the Quarter:	\$ 0.3984375

The Company offers a dividend reinvestment plan (the "DRIP") to its common stockholders. For more information regarding the DRIP, please visit <u>www.gladstoneinvestment.com</u>.

## **Earnings Announcement:**

The Company also announced today that it plans to report earnings after the stock market closes on Monday, November 4, 2019, for the second quarter ended September 30, 2019. The Company will hold a conference call on Tuesday, November 5, 2019 at 8:30 a.m. EST to discuss its earnings results. Please call (855) 376-7516 to enter the conference call. An operator will monitor the call and set a queue for questions.

A conference call replay will be available beginning one hour after the call and will be accessible through November 12, 2019. To hear the replay, please dial (855) 859-2056 and use playback conference number 8878206.

The live audio broadcast of the Company's conference call will be available online at <u>www.gladstoneinvestment.com</u>. The event will also be archived and available for replay on the Company's website through January 5, 2020.

<u>Gladstone Investment Corporation</u> is a publicly traded business development company that seeks to make secured debt and equity investments in lower middle market businesses in the United States in connection with acquisitions, changes in control and recapitalizations. Information on the business activities of all the Gladstone funds can be found at <u>www.gladstonecompanies.com</u>.

For Investor Relations inquiries related to any of the monthly dividend paying Gladstone funds, please visit www.gladstone.com.

Source: Gladstone Investment Corporation For further information: Gladstone Investment Corporation, +1-703-287-5893