FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *- CRONIN EDMUND B JR				WASH	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol WASHINGTON REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT TRUST [WRE]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) _X_ Director Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 6110 EXECUTIVE BLVD., SUITE 800					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/15/2008											
				4. If Am	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
	OCKVILLE, MD 20852 (City) (State) (Zip)				Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned											
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if		Code (Instr. 8)		tion	n 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)				ollowing	Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
				(Month) Day/ Teal			ode	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(Histi: 5 ta			` /	(Instr. 4)
Common	Stock		05/15/2008			S	S		51,400	D	\$ 35.67	268,395	.8928		D	
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Security	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/\)	Year) Execution Da	4. Transaction Code Year) (Instr. 8)		Number a		and (Mo	Date Exercisable and Expiration Date Month/Day/Year)		An Un Sec	Fitle and nount of derlying curities str. 3 and	Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Ownersh Form of Derivati Security Direct (I or Indire	Ownershi (Instr. 4)
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Reporting Owners

D (O N (Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
CRONIN EDMUND B JR 6110 EXECUTIVE BLVD. SUITE 800 ROCKVILLE, MD 20852	X					

Signatures

By: Laura M. Franklin For: Edmund B. Cronin, Jr.	05/15/2008
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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