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### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting I CRONIN EDMUND B JR	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_ Director10% Owner Officer (give title below)Other (specify below)			
6110 EXECUTIVE BLVD., S	(Middle) SUITE 800	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/29/2008				]				
(Street) ROCKVILLE, MD 20852		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City) (State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3.4. Securities AcquiredTransaction(A) or Disposed of (D)Code(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)(Instr. 8)		Reported Transaction(s) Fo (Instr. 3 and 4) Di	Ownership Form: Direct (D)	Ownership Form:of Indirect BeneficialDirect (D)Ownership			
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	07/29/2008		S		36,528	D	\$ 34.7654 (1)	231,870.1042	D	
Common Stock	07/30/2008		S		7,387	D	\$ 35.0532 (2)	224,483.1042	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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#### Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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Derivative Ownership	of Indirect
Securities Form of	Beneficial
Beneficially Derivative	Ownership
Owned Security:	(Instr. 4)
Following Direct (D)	
Reported or Indirect	
Transaction(s) (I)	
Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)	
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## **Reporting Owners**

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

## Signatures

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

07/30/2008

# **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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- This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$34.94 to \$35.16. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. The reporting (2) person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.

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