FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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	e Responses	5)														
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Bakke Thomas Q.				W	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) Director X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) EVP & Chief Operating Officer				
` /	(Last) (First) (Middle) 1775 EYE STREET, SUITE 1000				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2016								EVP&C	iniei Operati	ng Officer	
WASHIN	IGTON, D	(Street) OC 20006		4.	If Amendment	, Date	Origin	nal Fil	led(Month	/Day/Year)	-	_X_ Form fil	ed by One Repo	Group Filing orting Person One Reporting	• •	ole Line)
(City))	(State)	(Zip)		Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acqu						s Acqui	nired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned				
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/		Year) Exc	Deemed ecution Date, if	Code (Instr. 8)		((A) or Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		of (D)	Beneficia	nt of Securities ally Owned Following I Transaction(s)		6. Ownership Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
				(M	onui/Day/ i ear		ode	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(msu. 3 a	iid 4)	\ /		(Instr. 4)
Common	Stock		12/31/2016]	7	4	5,435		\$ 32.69	41,548.8	8886		D	
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Reporting Owners

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Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Bakke Thomas Q. 1775 EYE STREET SUITE 1000 WASHINGTON, DC 20006			EVP & Chief Operating Officer				

Signatures

By: W. Drew Hammond For: Thomas Q. Bakke	01/04/2017
**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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