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* CIVERA EDWARD S | | | | WA | 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 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) | | | | | |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 1775 EYE STREET, SUITE 1000 | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/15/2017 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (Street) WASHINGTON, DC 20006 | | | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting PersonForm filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | | | | |
| | (City) (State) (Zip) | | | | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acqu | | | | | | | ired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | |
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | | | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | Exec any | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, it any (Month/Day/Year | | (Instr. 8) | | (A) or Disposed o (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | of | Beneficia | nt of Securities ally Owned Following Transaction(s) and 4) | | \ / | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | | | | | C | ode | V | Amoui | (A) or (D) | Price | | | | (I) (Instr. 4) | (msu. 4) |
| Common Stock 05/15/2017 | | | | | | A | | 1,594 (1) | A | \$ 0 | 40,504.8145 | | | D | | | |
| | | | Table II - | | | | | quire | conta the fo | ained i orm dis sposed | n this for splays a of, or Ben | rm ard curre | e not requently valid | OMB conf | spond unle | ss | 1474 (9-02) |
| Security | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | | 3A. Deemed Execution Day any | 4. te, if Transaction Code Year) (Instr. 8) | | 5. | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. T Am Und Sec | Title and ount of derlying urities str. 3 and | Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4) | Ownersl Form of Derivati Security Direct (l or Indire | Beneficia Ownersh (Instr. 4) | | |
| | | | | | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exerc | cisable | Expiration Date | n Titl | Amount or e Number of Shares | | | | |

Reporting Owners

| D C N | Relationships | | | | | |
|--|---------------|--------------|---------|-------|--|--|
| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | |
| CIVERA EDWARD S 1775 EYE STREET SUITE 1000 WASHINGTON, DC 20006 | X | | | | | |

Signatures

| By: W. Drew Hammond For: Edward S. Civera | 05/16/2017 | |
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| **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).
- (1) These are Restricted Stock Awards granted pursuant to the Washington Real Estate Investment Trust 2016 Omnibus Long-Term Incentive Plan based on closing price on 5/15/17 of \$31.35.

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