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VIA CERTIFIED MAIL --
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Top Hat Plan Exemption
Employee Benefits Security Administration
Room N-1513
U.S. Department of Labor
200 Constitution Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20210

**Re: Washington Real Estate Investment Trust Supplemental Executive Retirement Plan
Number II**

Dear Sir or Madam:

In accordance with Department of Labor Regulation 2520.104-23, the enclosed information is provided to satisfy the alternative method of compliance with the reporting and disclosure requirements of Part I of Title 1 of ERISA for unfunded pension plans maintained by an employer for a select group of management or highly compensated employees.

If you have any questions concerning the enclosed information, please feel free to contact me.

Very truly yours,



Quana C. Jew

Enclosure

**DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
ALTERNATIVE METHOD OF COMPLIANCE
FOR THE
WASHINGTON REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT TRUST
SUPPLEMENTAL EXECUTIVE RETIREMENT PLAN NUMBER II
under
DOL Regulation Section 2520.104-23**

**NAME AND ADDRESS
OF EMPLOYER:**

Washington Real Estate Investment Trust
6110 Executive Boulevard
Suite 800
Rockville, MD 20852

EMPLOYER

IDENTIFICATION NUMBER:

53-0261100

NUMBER OF PROGRAMS

SPONSORED BY EMPLOYER:

Currently 4

NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES

IN THE PROGRAMS:

Currently 7 executives

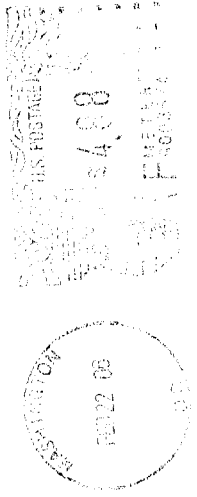
DECLARATION OF WASHINGTON REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT TRUST

Washington Real Estate Investment Trust declares that the deferred compensation program is maintained primarily for the purpose of providing deferred compensation for a select group of management or highly compensated employees.

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