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### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

#### SCHEDULE 13G

| Under the Se | curities Exchange | e Act of 1934 |
|--------------|-------------------|---------------|
| (1           | Amendment No      | _)            |

Washington Real Estate Investment Trust
----NAME OF ISSUER:

Common Stock (Par Value \$.01)
----TITLE OF CLASS OF SECURITIES

939653101 -----CUSIP NUMBER

Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:

[x] Rule 13d-1(b)

[] Rule 13d-1(c)

[] Rule 13d-1(d)

| 1.  | NAME C   | OF REPORTING PERSONS                    |
|---|--|---|
| Deutsche Bar  | nk AG*   |   |
| 2.  | CHECK THE APPROPRI   | IATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP         |
|   | (A)<br>(B)   | []                                      |
| 3.  |  | SEC USE ONLY                            |
| 4.  | CITIZENSHIP (  | OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION                |
| Germany   |  |   |
| NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIAL OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WI | 4,886,005 6. SHARED VOTING POY 7. SOLE DISPOSITIVE PO 4,886,005 G 8. SHARED DISPOSITIVE 10 | WER<br>OWER                             |
|   | HECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE  | AMOUNT IN ROW 9 EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES |
| []  |  |   |
| 11.   | PERCENT OF CLASS F   | REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9          |
| 8.18%   |  |   |
| 12.   | ТҮРЕ   | OF REPORTING PERSON                     |
| FI  |  |   |

<sup>\*</sup> In accordance with Securities Exchange Act Release No. 39538 (January 12, 1998), this amended filing reflects the securities beneficially owned by the Private Clients and Asset Management business group ("PCAM") of Deutsche Bank AG and its subsidiaries and affiliates (collectively, "DBAG"). This filing does not reflect securities, if any, beneficially owned by any other business group of DBAG. Consistent with Rule 13d-4 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act"), this filing shall not be construed as an admission that PCAM is, for purposes of Section 13(d) under the Act, the beneficial owner of any securities covered by the filing.

| 1.   | NAME OF REPORT   | ING PERSONS                     |
|--|--|---------------------------------|
| Deutsche Asset M   | Ianagement Australia Ltd   |                                 |
| 2.   | CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX  | IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP          |
|  | (A)<br>(B)   | [ ]<br>[ ]                      |
| 3.   | SEC USE (  | ONLY                            |
| 4.   | CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE   | OF ORGANIZATION                 |
| Australia  |  |                                 |
| NUMBER OF<br>SHARES<br>BENEFICIALLY<br>OWNED BY<br>EACH<br>REPORTING<br>PERSON WITH<br>9. AGO<br>132,100 | 7. SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER 132,100 8. SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER 0 GREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OV |                                 |
| 10. CHEC   | K BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT I  | N ROW 9 EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES |
| 11.<br>0.22%   | PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESEN  | ΓED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9          |
| 12.  | TYPE OF REPORT   | TING PERSON                     |
| IA, CO   |  |                                 |

| 1.                            |                   | NAME OF REPORTING PERSON                         | S                     |  |
|-------------------------------|-------------------|--|-----------------------|--|
| Deutsche Bank T               | rust Cor          | npany Americas                                   |                       |  |
| 2.                            | (                 | CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP |                       |  |
|                               |                   | (A)<br>(B)                                       | []                    |  |
| 3.                            |                   | SEC USE ONLY                                     |                       |  |
| 4.                            |                   | CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZ                  | ATION                 |  |
| Delaware                      |                   |  |                       |  |
| NUMBER OF                     | 5.<br>25          | SOLE VOTING POWER                                |                       |  |
| SHARES<br>BENEFICIALLY        | .y <sup>6</sup> . | SHARED VOTING POWER                              |                       |  |
| OWNED BY<br>EACH              | 0<br>7.           | SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER                           |                       |  |
| REPORTING 25<br>PERSON WITH 0 | 8.                | SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER                         |                       |  |
| 9. AG                         | GREGA             | TE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EAC              | CH REPORTING PERSON   |  |
| 25                            |                   |  |                       |  |
| 10. CHEC                      | CK BOX            | IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW 9 EXC             | CLUDES CERTAIN SHARES |  |
| []                            |                   |  |                       |  |
| 11.                           |                   | PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMO              | UNT IN ROW 9          |  |
| 0.00%                         |                   |  |                       |  |
| 12.                           |                   | TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON                         | I                     |  |
| BK, CO                        |                   |  |                       |  |
|                               |                   |  |                       |  |

| 1.  | NAME OF REI  | PORTING PERSONS                      |  |
|---|--|--------------------------------------|--|
| Deutsche Investment M   | Ianagement Americas  |                                      |  |
| 2.  | CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP                           |                                      |  |
|   | (A)<br>(B)   | []                                   |  |
| 3.  | SEC  | USE ONLY                             |  |
| 4.  | CITIZENSHIP OR PL  | LACE OF ORGANIZATION                 |  |
| Delaware  |  |                                      |  |
| NUMBER OF SHARES 131,4 6. BENEFICIALLY 0 OWNED BY EACH 131,4 8. PERSON WITH 0 | SHARED VOTING POWER  SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER  400  SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER |                                      |  |
|   | JATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALL  | I OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON     |  |
| 131,400<br>10. CHECK BC   | OX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOU   | UNT IN ROW 9 EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES |  |
| 11.   | PERCENT OF CLASS REPRE   | ESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9           |  |
| 0.22%   | TYPE OF RE   | EPORTING PERSON                      |  |
| IA, CO  |  |                                      |  |

| 1.   | NAME OF REPO             | ORTING PERSONS  |
|--|--------------------------|---|
| DWS Investments S.   | A., Luxembourg           |   |
| 2.   | CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BO | OX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP   |
|  | (A)<br>(B)               | []  |
| 3.   | SEC US                   | SE ONLY   |
| 4.   | CITIZENSHIP OR PLA       | CE OF ORGANIZATION  |
| Luxembourg   |                          |   |
| BENEFICIALLY 6.  OWNED BY 7.  EACH 13.  REPORTING 8.  PERSON WITH 0  9. AGGR |                          | ER<br>Y OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON<br>NT IN ROW 9 EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES |
| [] 11. 0.02% 12.   |                          | SENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9  ORTING PERSON                                      |
| IA, CO   | TITE OF REPO             | OKTINO I EKSON  |

| 1.   | NAME OF RE                          | PORTING PERSONS                      |
|--|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| RREEF America  | a, L.L.C.                           |                                      |
| 2.   | CHECK THE APPROPRIATE               | BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP           |
|  | (A)<br>(B)                          | []                                   |
| 3.   | SEC                                 | USE ONLY                             |
| 4.   | CITIZENSHIP OR PI                   | LACE OF ORGANIZATION                 |
| Delaware   |                                     |                                      |
| NUMBER OF<br>SHARES<br>BENEFICIALL<br>OWNED BY<br>EACH<br>REPORTING<br>PERSON WITH | 7. SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER 4,608,830 |                                      |
| 9. AC  | GGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALI         | LY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON    |
| 4,608,830  |                                     |                                      |
| 10. CHE  | CK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMO         | UNT IN ROW 9 EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES |
| []   |                                     |                                      |
| 11.  | PERCENT OF CLASS REPRI              | ESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9           |
| 7.72%  |                                     |                                      |
| 12.  | TYPE OF RE                          | EPORTING PERSON                      |
| IA, CO   |                                     |                                      |
|  |                                     |                                      |

| Item 1(a). |             |                      | Name of Issuer:  |
|------------|-------------|----------------------|--|
|            |             | Washin               | gton Real Estate Investment Trust (the "Issuer")                                 |
| Item 1(b). |             |                      | Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices:                                 |
|            |             |                      | 6110 Executive Boulevard Suite 800 Rockville, MD 20852                           |
|            |             |                      | United States  |
| Item 2(a). |             |                      | Name of Person Filing:   |
|            | 7           | Γhis statement is fi | led on behalf of Deutsche Bank AG ("Reporting Person").                          |
| Item 2(b). |             | Addr                 | ess of Principal Business Office or, if none, Residence:                         |
|            |             |                      | Theodor-Heuss-Allee 70<br>60468 Frankfurt am Main<br>Federal Republic of Germany |
| Item 2(c). |             |                      | Citizenship:   |
|            |             | The citizenship      | of the Reporting Person is set forth on the cover page.                          |
| Item 2(d). |             |                      | Title of Class of Securities:  |
|            | Т           | he title of the secu | rities is common stock, \$.01 par value ("Common Stock").                        |
| Item 2(e). |             |                      | CUSIP Number:  |
|            |             | The CUSIP num        | per of the Common Stock is set forth on the cover page.                          |
| Item 3. If | this statem | ent is filed pursuar | nt to Rules 13d-1(b), or 13d-2(b) or (c), check whether the person filing is a:  |
|            | (a)         | []                   | Broker or dealer registered under section 15 of the Act;                         |
|            | (b)         | [X]                  | Bank as defined in section 3(a)(6) of the Act;                                   |
| Deutsche   | Bank Trus   | t Company Americ     | eas  |
|            | (c)         | []                   | Insurance Company as defined in section 3(a)(19) of the Act;                     |
| (d)        | []          | Investment Comp      | any registered under section 8 of the Investment Company Act of 1940;            |
|            | (e)         | [X]                  | An investment adviser in accordance with Rule 13d-1(b) (1)(ii)(E);               |

Deutsche Asset Management Australia Ltd **Deutsche Investment Management Americas** DWS Investments S.A., Luxembourg RREEF America, L.L.C. (f) []An employee benefit plan, or endowment fund in accordance with Rule 13d-1 (b)(1)(ii)(F); []parent holding company or control person in accordance with Rule 13d-1 (b)(1)(ii)(G); (g) [] A savings association as defined in section 3(b) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act; (h) (i) [ ] A church plan that is excluded from the definition of an investment company under section 3(c)(14) of the Investment Company Act of 1940; (i) A non-U.S. institution in accordance with Group, in accordance with Rule 13d-1 (b)(1)(ii)(J). (k) []Group, in accordance with Rule 13d-1 (b)(1)(ii)(J). Item 4. Ownership. (a) Amount beneficially owned: The Reporting Person owns the amount of the Common Stock as set forth on the cover page. (b) Percent of class: The Reporting Person owns the percentage of the Common Stock as set forth on the cover page. (a) Number of shares as to which such person has: (i) sole power to vote or to direct the vote: The Reporting Person has the sole power to vote or direct the vote of the Common Stock as set forth on the cover page. (ii) shared power to vote or to direct the vote: The Reporting Person has the shared power to vote or direct the vote of the Common Stock as set forth on the cover page. (iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of: The Reporting Person has the sole power to dispose or direct the disposition of the Common Stock as set forth on the

shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of:

cover page.

(iv)

| The Reporting Person has the shared power to dispose or direct the disposition of the Common Stock as set fort | h on |
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| the cover page.  |      |

Item 5. Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class.

Not applicable.

Item 6. Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person.

Not applicable.

Item Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on by the 7. Parent Holding Company.

Subsidiary Item 3 Classification

Deutsche Asset Management Australia Ltd Investment Advisor

Deutsche Bank Trust Company Americas Bank

Deutsche Investment Management Americas Investment Advisor

DWS Investments S.A., Luxembourg Investment Advisor

RREEF America, L.L.C. Investment Advisor

Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group.

Not applicable.

Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group.

Not applicable.

Item 10. Certification.

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the foreign regulatory scheme applicable to a bank organized under the laws of the Federal Republic of Germany is substantially comparable to the regulatory scheme applicable to the functionally equivalent U.S. institution. I also undertake to furnish to the Commission staff, upon request, information that would otherwise be disclosed in a Schedule 13D.

#### **SIGNATURE**

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Dated: February 12, 2010

Deutsche Bank AG

By: /s/ Jeffrey A. Ruiz
Name: Jeffrey A. Ruiz
Title: Director

By: /s/ Cesar A. Coy
Name: Cesar A. Coy
Title: Assistant Vice President

#### **SIGNATURE**

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Dated: February 12, 2010

Deutsche Asset Management Australia Ltd

By: /s/ Anne Gardiner
Name: Anne Gardiner
Title: Director

By: /s/ Michael Thomas
Name: Michael Thomas
Title: Vice President

### **SIGNATURE**

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Dated: February 12, 2010

Deutsche Bank Trust Company Americas

By: /s/ Jeffrey A. Ruiz
Name: Jeffrey A. Ruiz
Title: Director

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Dated: February 12, 2010

Deutsche Investment Management Americas

By: /s/ Jeffrey A. Ruiz
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Title: Director

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Dated: February 12, 2010

DWS Investments S.A., Luxembourg

By: /s/ Christian Dargatz
Name: Christian Dargatz
Title: Director

By: /s/ Jack Sturmhoefel
Name: Jack Sturmhoefel
Title: Vice President

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Dated: February 12, 2010

RREEF America, L.L.C.

By: /s/ Amy Persohn
Name: Amy Persohn
Title: Director