INVESTORS REAL ESTATE TRUST

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

Martin Andrew

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

may continue.

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

(Middle)

(Zip)

Symbol

INVESTORS REAL ESTATE

TRUST [IRET]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 06/24/2015

1400 31ST AVENUE SW, SUITE

(State)

(First)

60

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

3235-0287

January 31,

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Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title

below)

SVP-Residential Property Mgmt

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

MINOT, ND 58701

(City)

		Table 1 - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Deficiently Owned								
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities Acquired		5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of		
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	n(A) or Dis	posed of	Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect		
(Instr. 3)		any	Code (D)		Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial			
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership		
						Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)		
					(4)	Reported				
					(A)	Transaction(s)				
			Codo V	Amount	or (D) Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)				
			Code V	Amount	(D) Price					
Common										
Shares of				15 768						

Shares of 06/24/2015 \$0 35,239,449 D Α (1)(2)Beneficial

Interest

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 (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of	٥
Derivative Conversion		on (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	TransactionNumber		Expiration Da	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative	J
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security	5
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)]
Derivative					Securities		(Instr. 3 and 4)			(
	Security				Acquired	Acquired		, ,]	
	J				(A) or	(A) or]
					Disposed						-
					of (D)						(
					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
					.,						
									Amount		
						Date	Expiration		or		
						Exercisable Date	•	Title Nu	Number		
							Date		of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Martin Andrew 1400 31ST AVENUE SW, SUITE 60 MINOT, ND 58701

SVP-Residential Property Mgmt

9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr

Signatures

/s/ Joy S. Newborg, Attorney-in-Fact

06/26/2015

**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) The total stock award was 23,594 shares, before deducting the number of shares withheld for the payment of estimated taxes.
- (2) The stock award vests as to 50% of the shares on the date of grant and 50% of the shares on April 30, 2016 if he is still employed by the Company on such date.

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