BERNSTEIN KENNETH F

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Last)

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

(Middle)

(Zip)

ACADIA REALTY TRUST [AKR]

(Check all applicable)

C/O ACADIA REALTY

(First)

TRUST. 1311 MAMARONECK **AVENUE, SUITE 260**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 01/06/2006

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

below)

President and CEO

(Street)

(State)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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Person

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

WHITE PLAINS, NY 10605

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of 6. Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Direct Beneficial Owned (D) or Indirect (I) **Following** Reported (Instr. 4)

(A)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Common Shares of

\$.001 Par Value

Beneficial 01/06/2006 Interest -

86,978 A

Code V Amount

Price

or

(D)

583,353 (2)

D

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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7. Nature of

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

Indirect

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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	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	orNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative	Deriv
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(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)	Bene
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	Security				Acquired						Follo
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									of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
BERNSTEIN KENNETH F							
C/O ACADIA REALTY TRUST	X		President				
1311 MAMARONECK AVENUE, SUITE 260	Λ		and CEO				
WHITE PLAINS NY 10605							

Signatures

/s/ Kenneth
Bernstein

**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).

Restricted Shares generally carry all the rights of unrestricted shares including dividend rights, but may not be transferred, assigned or pledged until Mr. Bernstein has a vested, non-forfeitable right to these shares. Vesting, which is subject to Mr. Bernstein's continued employment with the Company through the applicable vesting dates, occurs over the next four years from the Grant Date. In addition, the vesting of certain Restricted Shares is contingent upon the Company's shareholder return on annual earnings exceeding certain thresholds in the year such vesting is scheduled to occur. These thresholds will be tested on an annual and cummulative basis.

On January 6, 2006 ("Grant Date"), Mr. Bernstein was awarded these common shares of beneficial interest ("Restricted Shares"). These

(2) Includes 184,306 vested Common Shares and 241,058 unvested Common Shares for a total of 583,353 Restricted Common Shares issued to Mr. Bernstein in 2000 through 2006. Also includes 129,110 common shares owned through a deferred Common Share Plan.

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