Form **8937**

(December 2011)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Report of Organizational Actions Affecting Basis of Securities

► See separate instructions.

OMB No. 1545-2224

Part I Reporting	ssuer							
1 Issuer's name		2 Issuer's employer identification number (EIN)						
WELLS REAL ESTATE INV		20-0068852						
3 Name of contact for additional information 4			ne No. of contact	5 Email address of contact				
STEVE SAVITSKI OR KRIS	TER ROMEYN		1-800-557-4830	CLIENT.SERVICES@WELLSREF.COM				
6 Number and street (or F	O. box if mail is not	7 City, town, or post office, state, and Zip code of contact						
PO BOX 219073 8 Date of action		KANSAS CITY, MO 64121-9073						
b Date of action		9 Class	sification and description					
3/16/2012; 6/18/2012; 9/17/	2012: 12/17/2012	DISTRIB	BUTIONS ON COMMON STO	ОСК				
10 CUSIP number	11 Serial number(12 Ticker symbol	13 Account number(s)				
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				ee back of form for additional questions.				
14 Describe the organiza the action ►	tional action and, it a	ipplicable, the	e date of the action or the da	te against which shareholders' ownership is measured for				
WELLS REAL ESTATE INV	ESTMENT TRUST I	I, INC. MADE	QUARTERLY DISTRIBUTION	ONS TO SHAREHOLDERS DURING 2012. A PORTION OF				
THESE DISTRIBUTIONS R	EPRESENTED A NO	ONDIVIDEND	DISTRIBUTION. THE DIST	RIBUTIONS WERE PAID ON 3/16/2012 TO SHARE-				
HOLDERS OF RECORD AS	OF 3/15/2012; PAI	D ON 6/18/20	12 TO SHAREHOLDERS O	F RECORD AS OF 6/15/2012; PAID ON 9/17/2012 TO				
SHAREHOLDERS OF REC	ORD AS OF 9/15/20	12; AND PAI	D ON 12/17/2012 TO SHAR	EHOLDERS OF RECORD AS OF 12/15/2012.				
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·	_	inizational act	tion on the basis of the secur	rity in the hands of a U.S. taxpayer as an adjustment per				
share or as a percenta	· -	C OL ACCIET	ED AC A NONDENDEND DIG	CTRIBUTION REPUGES THE PAGE OF THE STORY				
	TRIBUTION THAT I	S CLASSIFIE	ED AS A NONDIVIDEND DIS	STRIBUTION REDUCES THE BASIS OF THE STOCK				
AS FOLLOWS:				_				
PAYMENT DATE:		OF BASIS PER SHARE:						
3/16/2012								
6/18/2012			\$0.104					
9/17/2012	\$0.10475							
12/17/2012								
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Describe the calculation valuation dates ►	on of the change in b	asis and the	data that supports the calcul	ation, such as the market values of securities and the				
	FSTMENT TRUST I	LINC CALC	LII ATED FARNINGS AND E	PROFITS IN ACCORDANCE WITH IRC SECTION 312,				
				AND THE REGULATIONS THEREUNDER. THE AMOUNT				
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17 Li	st the	applicable Internal Revenue Code section	on(s) and subsection(s) upo	n which the tax treatmen	t is based 🛭	
NONDI	/IDEN	ID DISTRIBUTION IS DETERMINED PU	RSUANT TO IRC SECTIO	N 301(c).		
18 C	an any	y resulting loss be recognized? ▶				
NO RES	SULTI	NG LOSS CAN BE RECOGNIZED.				
19 Pi	rovide	any other information necessary to impl	ement the adjustment, sucl	as the reportable tax ye	ear ▶	
THE RE	PORT	TABLE TAX YEAR IS 2012.				
	Unde	er penalties of perjury, I declare that I have exa	amined this return, including ac	companying schedules and	statements,	and to the best of my knowledge and
	belief	f, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration	of preparer (other than officer)	s based on all information of	f which prepa	arer has any knowledge.
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