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Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

Investors Real Estate Trust (the “Company”) issued an earnings release on February 27, 2019, announcing certain financial and operational results for the transition period ended December 31, 2018. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

The information in Item 2.02 of this Current Report on Form 8-K, including Exhibit 99.1 furnished pursuant to Item 9.01, shall not be deemed “filed” for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or otherwise subject to the liabilities under that Section. Furthermore, the information in this Current Report on Form 8-K, including Exhibit 99.1 hereto, shall not be incorporated by reference into any registration statement or other document pursuant to the Securities Act of 1933.

Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.

Certain supplemental operating and financial data regarding the Company not included in the earnings release is attached as Exhibit 99.2. The foregoing information is not deemed “filed” for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in filings under the Securities Act of 1933.

ITEM 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits
Exhibits

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99.1 Earnings Release, dated February 27, 2019.

99.2 Supplemental Operating and Financial Data, dated February 27, 2019

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

INVESTORS REAL ESTATE TRUST

By/s/ Mark O. Decker, Jr.

Mark O. Decker, Jr.

Date: February 27, 2019 President and Chief Executive Officer