AMREIT Form 8-K September 11, 2008

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 FORM 8-K CURRENT REPORT Pursuant to Section 13 OR 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): September 5, 2008 AMREIT

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Texas (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 0-28378 (Commission File Number) 76-0410050 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

8 Greenway Plaza, Suite 1000, Houston, Texas 77046 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code) Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (713) 850-1400 (Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

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o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 3.01. Notice of Delisting or Failure to Satisfy a Continued Listing Rule or Standard; Transfer of Listing.

(b) On September 11, 2008, AmREIT (the Company) filed with the American Stock Exchange (AMEX) a Section 803 notice informing the AMEX that, due to the resignation of G. Steven Dawson from the Board of Trust Managers of the Company on September 5, 2008, the Company does not have an audit committee expert as defined in Item 407(d)(5)(ii) and (iii) of Regulation S-K and pursuant to Section 803 of the AMEX Company Guide. Section 803 requires listed companies to have at least one member of the audit committee of the Board of Trust Managers to serve as an audit committee expert or otherwise be financially sophisticated. The Company is in the process of a search for an individual that qualifies as an audit committee expert and the Company intends to complete the process as soon as practicable.

Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

(b) On September 5, 2008, G. Steven Dawson informed the Company of his decision to resign from his position as a trust manager of the Board of Trust Managers of the Company, effective on that date. The Company is in the process of a search for a replacement independent trust manager and audit committee financial expert and the Company intends to complete the process as soon as practicable.

SIGNATURES

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 thereunto duly authorized.

AMREIT

By: /s/ Chad C. Braun Chad C. Braun Executive Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and Secretary

Dated: September 11, 2008