# **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

## **SCHEDULE 13G**

INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN STATEMENTS FILED PURSUANT TO RULES 13d-1(b) (c), and (d) AND AMENDMENTS THERETO FILED PURSUANT TO RULE 13d-2(b)

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

	Federal Realty Investment Trust	
	(Name of Issuer)	
	Common Stock	
	(Title of Class of Securities)	
	313747206	
	(CUSIP Number)	
	December 31, 2006	
	(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)	
Check the ap	opriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:	
0	Rule 13d-1(b)	
X	Rule 13d-1(c)	
0	Rule 13d-1(d)	
	remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securi r any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior cover page.	ties,
(hov	ver, see the Notes).	
CUSIP No.	3747206	
1.	Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only) AEW Capital Management, L.P.	
2.	Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)	
	a) o	
	b) o	
3.	SEC Use Only	
4.	Citizenship or Place of Organization Delaware	
Number of	5. Sole Voting Power	

Shares Beneficially Owned by Each

1,050,700

Reporting Person With	6.	Shared Voting Power None		
	7.	Sole Dispositive Power 2,160,689		
	8.	Shared Dispositive Power None		
9.	Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 2,160,689 shares of Common Stock			
10.	Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o			
11.	Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9) 3.91%			
12.	2. Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions) PN			
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CUSIP No. 3	13747206			
1.	Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only) AEW Capital Management, Inc.			
2.	Check the Appropria	ate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)		
	(a) o			
	(b) o			
3.	SEC Use Only			
4.	Citizenship or Place Massachusetts	of Organization		
	5.	Sole Voting Power 1,050,700		
Number of Shares Beneficially	6.	Shared Voting Power None		
Owned by Each Reporting Person With	7.	Sole Dispositive Power 2,160,689		
	8.	Shared Dispositive Power None		
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10.	Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o						
11.	Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9) 3.91%						
12.	Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions) CO						
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CUSIP No. 3	13747206						
	Name of Days						
1.	1. Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only)  AEW Management and Advisors, L.P.						
2.		opriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)					
	(b) <u>(</u>						
3.	SEC Use Only						
4.	Citizenship or Place of Organization Delaware						
	5.	Sole Voting Power 1,050,700					
Number of Shares Beneficially	6.	Shared Voting Power None					
Owned by Each Reporting Person With	7.	Sole Dispositive Power 2,160,689					
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12.	Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions) PN						

### CUSIP No. 313747206

1.	Names of Repo	orting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only) ent Group, Inc.	
2.	2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)		
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3.	SEC Use Only		
4.	Citizenship or Place of Organization Massachusetts		
	5.	Sole Voting Power 1,050,700	
Number of Shares Beneficially	6.	Shared Voting Power None	
Owned by Each Reporting Person With	7.	Sole Dispositive Power 2,160,689	
	8.	Shared Dispositive Power None	
9.	Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 2,160,689 shares of Common Stock		
10.	Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o		
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12.	Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions) CO		
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CUSIP No. 3	313747206		
Item 1.			
	(a) Name of Federal	Fissuer Realty Investment Trust	
	1626 Ea	of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices st Jefferson Street	

		Name of Person Filing AEW Capital Management, L.P. AEW Capital Management, Inc. AEW Management and Advisors, L.P. AEW Investment Group, Inc.		
		Address of Principal Business Office or, if none, Residence World Trade Center East Two Seaport Lane Boston, MA 02110-2021		
		Citizenship Delaware for AEW Capital Management, L.P. Massachusetts for AEW Capital Management, Inc. Delaware for AEW Management and Advisors, L.P. Massachusetts for AEW Investment Group, Inc.		
		Title of Class of Securities Common Stock		
		CUSIP Number 313747206		
Item 3.	If this	statement is filed pursuant to §§240.13d-1(b) or 240.13d-2(b) or (c), check whether the person filing is a:		
	(a)	o Broker or dealer registered under section 15 of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78o).		
	(b)	o Bank as defined in section 3(a)(6) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c).		
	(c)	o Insurance company as defined in section 3(a)(19) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c).		
	(d)	o Investment company registered under section 8 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C 80a-8).		
	(e)	o An investment adviser in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(E);		
	(f)	o An employee benefit plan or endowment fund in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(F);		
	(g)	o A parent holding company or control person in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G);		
	(h)	o A savings associations as defined in Section 3(b) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act (12 U.S.C. 1813);		
	(i)	A church plan that is excluded from the definition of an investment company under section 3(c)(14) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-3);		
	(j)	o Group, in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J).		
		Not Applicable		
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Item 4.	Own	nership		
Provide th	ne followir	g information regarding the aggregate number and percentage of the class of securities of the issuer identified in Item 1.		
	(a)	Amount beneficially owned: 2,160,689 shares of Common Stock		
	(b)	Percent of class: 3.91%		
	(c)	Number of shares as to which the person has:		
		(i) Sole power to vote or to direct the vote 1,050,700 shares of Common Stock		
		(ii) Shared power to vote or to direct the vote		

None

- (iii) Sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of 2,160,689 shares of Common Stock
- (iv) Shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of None

#### Item 5. Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class

If this statement is being filed to report the fact that as of the date hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the class of securities, check the following x.

As of the date hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the class of securities

Item 6. Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person

Not Applicable

Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on By the Parent Holding Company or

Control Person

Not Applicable

Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group

Not Applicable

Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group

Not Applicable

Item 10. Certification

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

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#### **SIGNATURE**

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Dated: February 8, 2007

AEW CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, L.P.

By: AEW Capital Management, Inc., its general partner

By: \_\_\_/s/ James J. Finnegan

Name: James J. Finnegan
Title: Vice President

AEW CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, INC.

By: /s/ James J. Finnegan

Name: James J. Finnegan Title: Vice President

AEW MANAGEMENT AND ADVISORS, L.P.

By: AEW INVESTMENT GROUP, Inc., its

general partner

By: /s/ James J. Finnegan

Name: James J. Finnegan Title: Vice President

AEW INVESTMENT GROUP INC.

By: /s/ James J. Finnegan

Name: James J. Finnegan
Title: Vice President

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#### JOINT FILING AGREEMENT

In accordance with Rule 13d-1(k) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the undersigned agree to the joint filing on behalf of each of them of a statement on Schedule 13G (including amendments thereto) with respect to the Common Stock of Federal Realty Investment Trust and further agree that this agreement be included as an exhibit to such filing. Each party to the agreement expressly authorizes each other party to file on its behalf any and all amendments to such statement. Each party to this agreement agrees that this joint filing agreement may be signed in counterparts.

In evidence whereof, the undersigned have caused this Agreement to be executed on their behalf this 8th day of February, 2007.

AEW CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, L.P. By: AEW Capital Management, Inc., its

General partner

By: /s/ James J. Finnegan

Name: James J. Finnegan Title: Vice President

AEW CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, INC.

By: /s/ James J. Finnegan

Name: James J. Finnegan Title: Vice President

AEW MANAGEMENT AND ADVISORS, L.P.

By: AEW Investment Group, Inc., its

General partner

By: /s/ James J. Finnegan

Name: James J. Finnegan Title: Vice President

AEW INVESTMENT GROUP, INC.

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