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Department of the Treasury

Internal Revenue Service

Report of Organizational Actions
Affecting Basis of Securities

See separate instructions.

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Reporting Issuer 2 Issuer's employer identification number (EIN) 1 Issuer's name NATIONAL RETAIL PROPERTIES, INC. 56-1431377 3 Name of contact for additional information 4 Telephone No. of contact 5 Email address of contact MR. CHRIS BARRY 407-265-7348 INVESTORRELATIONS@NNNREIT.COM 6 Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) of contact 7 City, town, or post office, state, and ZIP code of contact ORLANDO, FL 32801 450 S ORANGE AVE, SUITE 900 8 Date of action 9 Classification and description 2/15/19, 5/15/19, 8/15/19, 11/15/19 COMMON STOCK 10 CUSIP number 11 Serial number(s) 12 Ticker symbol 13 Account number(s) 637417106 NNN Part II Organizational Action Attach additional statements if needed. See back of form for additional questions. Describe the organizational action and, if applicable, the date of the action or the date against which shareholders' ownership is measured for the action ▶ NATIONAL RETAIL PROPERTIES, INC. DISTRIBUTED QUARTERLY DISTRIBUTIONS TO ITS COMMON SHAREHOLDERS FOR THE 2019 TAX YEAR. A PORTION OF THESE DISTRIBUTIONS REPRESENTS A NONTAXABLE RETURN OF CAPITAL. THE DISTRIBUTIONS WERE PAID ON 02/15/2019, 05/15/2019, 08/15/2019 AND 11/15/2019. Describe the quantitative effect of the organizational action on the basis of the security in the hands of a U.S. taxpayer as an adjustment per share or as a percentage of old basis ▶ THE BASIS OF THE SECURITY SHOULD BE REDUCED BY 13.1577% OF THE TOTAL DISTRIBUTION RECEIVED IN 2019. Describe the calculation of the change in basis and the data that supports the calculation, such as the market values of securities and the valuation dates ▶ THE RETURN OF BASIS REPRESENTS DISTRIBUTIONS ASSOCIATED WITH THE 2019 TAX YEAR WHICH ARE IN EXCESS OF CURRENT YEAR AND ACCUMULATED EARNINGS AND PROFITS.

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