## FEDERAL REALTY INVESTMENT TRUST

Form SC 13G/A February 19, 2003

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13G

(Rule 13d-102)

INFORMATION STATEMENT PURSUANT TO RULES 13d-1 AND 13d-2
Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No. 5)
FEDERAL REALTY INVESTMENT TRUST
(Name of Issuer) Common Stock
(Title of Class of Securities)
313747206
(CUSIP Number)
*The 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 securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior cover page.  The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).
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1. NAME OF REPORTING PERSON(S) S.S. OR I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON(S)
Morgan Stanley IRS # 39-314-5972
2. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP*  (a) [ ]  (b) [ ]

3. SEC USE ONLY

4.	CITIZENSHI	 P OR	 PLACE OF ORGANIZA	TION				
The state of organization is Delaware.								
SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING		5.	5. SOLE VOTING POWER 0					
		6.	SHARED VOTING PO 3,509,458					
		7.	SOLE DISPOSITIVE					
		8.	SHARED DISPOSITI 4,398,502	VE POWER				
9.	AGGREGATE	AMOUN	T BENEFICIALLY OW	NED BY EACH RE	PORTING	PERS	ON	
	4,398,502							
10.	CHECK BOX	IF TH	E AGGREGATE AMOUN	T IN ROW (9) E.	XCLUDES	CERT	AIN	SHARES*
11.	PERCENT OF	CLAS	S REPRESENTED BY	AMOUNT IN ROW	(9)			
	10.1517%							
12.	TYPE OF RE	PORTI	NG PERSON*					
	IA, CO							
		*	SEE INSTRUCTIONS	BEFORE FILLING	OUT!			
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1.			NG PERSON(S) IDENTIFICATION NO	. OF ABOVE PER	SON(S)			
	Morgan Sta		Investment Manage	ment Inc.				
2.	CHECK THE		PRIATE BOX IF A M			(a) (b)	-	-
3.	SEC USE ON							
4.	CITIZENSHI	P OR	PLACE OF ORGANIZA	TION				
	The state	of or	ganization is Del	aware.				
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EAC		3,428,100
REPORTING PERSON WITH		7. SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER 0
		8. SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER 4,317,144
	 GGREGATE ,317,144	AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
		IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES*
	 ERCENT OF .9639%	CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)
	 YPE OF RE A, CO	PORTING PERSON*
		*SEE INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE FILLING OUT!
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Item 1.	(a)	Name of Issuer: FEDERAL REALTY INVESTMENT TRUST
	(b)	Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices: 1626 EAST JEFFERSON STREET ROCKVILLE, MD 20852-4041
Item 2.	(a)	Name of Person Filing: (a) Morgan Stanley (b) Morgan Stanley Investment Management Inc.
	(b)	Address of Principal Business Office, or if None, Residence:
		(a) 1585 Broadway New York, New York 10036
		(b) 1221 Avenue of the Americas New York, New York 10020
	(c)	Citizenship:
		Incorporated by reference to Item 4 of the cover page pertaining to each reporting person.
	(d)	Title of Class of Securities: Common Stock
	(e)	CUSIP Number: 313747206
Item 3.	(a)	Morgan Stanley is a parent holding company.

(b) Morgan Stanley Investment Management Inc. is an Investment Adviser registered under Section 203 of the Investment Advisers Act of 1940.

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Item 4. Ownership.

Incorporated by reference to Items (5) - (9) and (11) of the cover page.

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

Inapplicable

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

Accounts managed on a discretionary basis by Morgan Stanley Investment Management Inc., a wholly owned subsidiary of Morgan Stanley, are known to have the right to receive or the power to direct the receipt of dividends from, or the proceeds from, the sale of such securities. No such account holds more than 5 percent of the class.

- Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary which Acquired the Security Being Reported on By the Parent Holding Company.
- Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group.
- Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group.
- Item 10. Certification.

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

Date: February 18, 2003

Signature: /s/ Dennine Bullard

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Name/Title	Dennine Bullard /Vice President, Morgan Stanley & Co. Ir	ncorporated								
	MORGAN STANLEY									
Date:	February 18, 2003									
Signature:	/s/ Jeffrey Hiller									
Name/Title	Jeffrey Hiller /Managing Director, Morgan Stanley Investment Management Inc.									
	MORGAN STANLEY INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT INC.									
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	* Attention. Intentional misstatements or omissions constitute federal criminal violations (see 18 U.S.C.									
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	EX-99 JOINT FILING AGREEMENT									
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	EXHIBIT 1 TO SCHEDULE 13G									
	FEBRUARY 18, 2003									
	MORGAN STANLEY and MORGAN STANLEY INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT									
INC. hereby agree that, unless differentiated, this Schedule										
	13G is filed on behalf of each of the parties.									
	MORGAN STANLEY									
	BY: /s/ Dennine Bullard									
	Dennine Bullard /Vice President, Morgan Stanley & Co. Incorporated									
	MORGAN STANLEY INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT INC.									

BY: /s/ Jeffrey Hiller

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Jeffrey Hiller /Managing Director, Morgan Stanley Investment  $$\operatorname{\textsc{Management}}$$  Inc.

\* Attention. Intentional misstatements or omissions of fact constitute federal criminal violations (see 18 U.S.C. 1001).

EX-99 SECRETARY'S CERTIFICATE

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#### EXHIBIT 2

#### MORGAN STANLEY

#### SECRETARY'S CERTIFICATE

I, Charlene R. Herzer, a duly elected and Assistant Secretary of Morgan Stanley, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware (the "Corporation"), certify as follows:

- Donald G. Kempf, Jr. is the duly elected Executive Vice President, Chief Legal Officer and Secretary of the Corporation;
- (2) Pursuant to Section 7.01 of the Bylaws of the Corporation and resolutions approved by the Board of Directors of the Corporation on September 25,1998, the Chief Legal Officer is authorized to enter into agreements and other instruments on behalf of the Corporation and may delegate such powers to others under his jurisdiction; and
- (3) Donald G. Kempf signed a Delegation of Authority as of February 23, 2000, which authorized Dennine Bullard to sign reports to be filed under Section 13 and 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 on behalf of the Corporation. Such authorization is in full force and efect as of this date.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my name and affixed the seal of the Corporation as of the 5th day of February, 2003.

Charlene R. Herzer Assistant Secretary