

CAPITAL TRUST INC  
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Voting Items The Board of Directors recommends you vote FOR the following: 1. Election of Directors Nominees: 01) Samuel Zell 05) Henry N. Nassau 02) Thomas E. Dobrowski 06) Stephen D. Plavin 03) Martin L. Edelman 07) Joshua A. Polan 04) Edward S. Hyman 08) Lynne B. Sagalyn The Board of Directors recommends you vote FOR the following proposals: 2. Approval and adoption of the Capital Trust, Inc. 2011 Long-Term Incentive Plan. 3. Approval of the Tax Benefit Preservation Rights Agreement. 4. Ratification of the appointment of Ernst & Young LLP as the Company's independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2011 NOTE: Such other business as may properly come before the meeting or any adjournment or postponement thereof. P12648 -M36220