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Whitestone REIT (Whitestone)

(Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

KBS SOR Properties LLC

KBS SOR (BVI) Holdings, Ltd.

KBS Strategic Opportunity Limited Partnership

KBS Strategic Opportunity REIT, Inc.

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