

**UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

May 9, 2012

**ORDER GRANTING CONFIDENTIAL TREATMENT
UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

PennyMac Mortgage Investment Trust

File No. 001-34416 - CF# 28085

PennyMac Mortgage Investment Trust submitted an application under Rule 24b-2 requesting confidential treatment for information it excluded from the Exhibits to a Form 10-K filed on March 9, 2012.

Based on representations by PennyMac Mortgage Investment Trust that this information qualifies as confidential commercial or financial information under the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. 552(b)(4), the Division of Corporation Finance has determined not to publicly disclose it. Accordingly, excluded information from the following exhibit will not be released to the public for the time period specified:

Exhibit 10.38 through December 10, 2012

For the Commission, by the Division of Corporation Finance, pursuant to delegated authority:

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