



PIEDMONT OFFICE REALTY TRUST TO REPORT FIRST QUARTER 2018 FINANCIAL RESULTS

Atlanta, GA –April 19, 2018 – Piedmont Office Realty Trust (NYSE: PDM), an owner of Class A office properties in select sub-markets located primarily within eight major Eastern U.S. office markets, announced today that the Company will release its first quarter 2018 financial results on Tuesday, May 1, 2018, after the close of trading on the New York Stock Exchange. An audio webcast and a conference call are scheduled for Wednesday, May 2, 2018, at 10:00 a.m. Eastern daylight time. During the audio webcast and conference call, the Company's management team will review first quarter performance, discuss recent events and conduct a question-and-answer period.

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Click on the webcast link under the Investor Relations section of the Company's website at www.piedmontreit.com.

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The playback can be accessed through May 16, 2018 at 10am EDT.

To Submit a Question:

Investors interested in submitting a question to the Company prior to the call should send their questions to the following email address: askpiedmont@piedmontreit.com. Company management will attempt to answer as many questions as time allows on the conference call.

About Piedmont Office Realty Trust

Piedmont Office Realty Trust, Inc. (NYSE: PDM) is an owner, manager, developer, and operator of high-quality, Class A office properties located in select sub-markets of major U.S. cities. Its geographically-diversified, almost \$5 billion portfolio is comprised of approximately 17 million square feet. The

Company is a fully-integrated, self-managed real estate investment trust (REIT) with local management offices in each of its major markets and is investment-grade rated by Standard & Poor's (BBB) and Moody's (Baa2). For more information, see www.piedmontreit.com.

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