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#### **VAN ECK WORLDWIDE INSURANCE TRUST**

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RE: Van Eck Worldwide Insurance Trust  
File Nos. 033-13019 and 811-05083  
Post-Effective Amendment No. 28

Dear Sir or Madam:

Pursuant to Rule 497(j) of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, I hereby certify that the definitive forms of the prospectus and statement of additional information used with respect to the above Registrant do not differ from those contained in Post-Effective Amendment No. 28 ("PEA No. 28") to its Registration Statement on Form N-1A. PEA No. 28 was electronically filed under Rule 485(b) on April 27, 2005.

If you have any questions or comments concerning the filing, please contact me at 212-293-2031.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Patricia A. Maxey

Patricia A. Maxey  
Vice President and Secretary