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**FIRST TRUST SPEC SIT TR SER 27 OP GR & TRE SEC TR  
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CIK: **884981** | State of Incorporation: **IL** | Fiscal Year End: **0131**  
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Securities and Exchange Commission  
450 5th Street, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20549-1004

Re: Rule 24f-2 Notice for The First Trust Special Situations  
Trust Series 27, File No. 33-46003

Gentlemen:

As sponsor of The First Trust Special Situations Trust Series 27, we are submitting the information required by Rule 24f-2 promulgated under the investment Company Act of 1940, as amended. We also are enclosing the opinion of counsel specified in paragraph (b)(1)(v) of said Rule. The filing fee indicated below has been, or will be, sent by wire transfer to the SEC's account in payment of the fee prescribed by paragraph (c) of said Rule.

- (i) Fiscal year for which notice is filed: Year ended  
January 31, 1994
- (ii) Number of securities registered other than pursuant to  
Rule 24f-2 and remaining unsold at the beginning of the  
above fiscal year: 0
- (iii) Number of securities registered other than pursuant to  
Rule 24f-2 during the above fiscal year: 0
- (iv) Number of securities sold during the above fiscal year:  
1,441.250
- (v) Number of securities sold in reliance upon registration  
pursuant to Rule 24f-2 during the above fiscal year\*:  
1,441.250

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- (1) Aggregate sales price to the public  
of securities sold in reliance upon  
registration pursuant to Rule 24f-2: \$1,581,021.08
  - (2) Less actual aggregate redemption or  
repurchase price of securities during  
the fiscal year: \$1,445,370.30
  - (3) Plus actual aggregate redemption or  
repurchase price of securities  
previously applied in filings pursuant  
to Section 24(e)(1): -0-

\$ 135,650.78

Amount of filing fee computed at one

twenty-ninth of one percent (1/29 of 1%)  
of above total: \$ 46.78

Very truly yours,

Nike Securities L.P.

By  
Carlos E. Nardo  
Senior Vice President