REDWOOD TRUST INC

Form 4 May 21, 2014

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Pero Jeffrey T

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

REDWOOD TRUST INC [RWT]

(First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

1 BELVEDERE PLACE, SUITE 300 05/20/2014

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Issuer

below)

_ Director

Officer (give title

MILL VALLEY, CA 94941

(City) (State) 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

Security

(Instr. 3)

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

Code (Instr. 8)

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

(A)

or

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership Form: Direct (Instr. 4)

Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(9-02)

7. Nature of

10% Owner

Other (specify

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Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Conversion Security or Exercise

Price of

(Instr. 3)

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

4 5. Number Transaction Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of 8. Price **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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Derivative (A) or Security Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) Code V (A) (D) Date **Expiration Title** Amount Exercisable Date or Number of Shares Deferred 4.381 Common (3) (4) Stock \$ 19.4 (1) 05/20/2014 Α 4,381 (2) Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Pero Jeffrey T

1 BELVEDERE PLACE
SUITE 300

MILL VALLEY, CA 94941

Signatures

Units

By: Andrew P. Stone: Attorney-In-Fact For: Jeffrey T.
Pero 05/21/2014

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Represents fair market value RWT common stock on transaction date under the 2002 Incentive Plan.
- (2) 100% vested at grant.
- (3) Shares are subject to a minimum mandatory holding period and will be delivered to the Participant at the time provided in the Deferral Election but no sooner than May 20, 2017.
- (4) No expiration date is applicable to deferred stock units.

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