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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person— GEORGE E BULL				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol REDWOOD TRUST INC [RWT]							S. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner						
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1 BELVEDERE PLACE, SUITE 300				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/08/2006							X_Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Chairman Of The Board/CEO						
(Street) MILL VALLEY, CA 94941			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)							_X_ For	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting PersonForm filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City) (State) (Zip)				Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned													
(Instr. 3) Date		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year	2A. Deemed Execution Dany (Month/Day		Date, if	3. Transac Code (Instr. 8)	(A) o		or Disposed of (D) r. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			6. Ownership Form: Direct (D)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
							Code	V	Amou	(A) or (D)	Price	:				or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 03/08/2006						M		45,00	00 A	\$ 24.50	0 45,52	45,522			D		
Common Stock 03/08/2006			03/08/2006		F 26,831 D \$ 18,691			D									
Common Stock 03/08/2006			03/08/2006			F		7,040) D	\$ 41.0	9	11,651		D			
Common	Stock											11,20	00			I	by IRA
Common	Stock											400				I	by Spouse
Common Stock											200				I	by Spouse - IRA	
Common Stock											172,625				I	by Trust	
Reminder: F	Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number. Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	se (Month/Day/Year)		Dispose		ive	Expiration Date of U (Month/Day/Year)			Title and Underlying curities astr. 3 and	ng		9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following	Owners Form of Derivat Securit Direct	Ownersh (Instr. 4)		
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerc	isable	Expiration Date	' Ti	tle	Amount or Number of Shares		Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	or India (I) (Instr. 4	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 24.50	03/08/2006		М			45,000	1	(1)	12/17/20)	ommon Stock	45,000	\$ 0	0	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 41.09	03/08/2006		A		33,871		<u>)</u>	(1)	03/08/20)	ommon Stock	33,871	\$ 0	33,871	D	

Reporting Owners

	Relationships				
Reporting Owner Name /					

Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
GEORGE E BULL 1 BELVEDERE PLACE SUITE 300 MILL VALLEY, CA 94941	X		Chairman Of The Board/CEO	

Signatures

George E Bull	03/10/2006
**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) Twenty-five percent of the options vest on January 1, 2003. The remaining seventy-five percent of the options vest in twelve quarterly installments from April 1, 2003 through January 1, 2006.

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