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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Form 5 obligations may Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Instruction 1(b). Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)										
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] ZAGUNIS HAROLD F		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol REDWOOD TRUST INC [RWT]			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) 1 BELVEDERE PLACE, SUITE 300		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/24/2006				X_Officer (give title below)Other (specify below) Chief Financial Officer				
(Street) MILL VALLEY, CA 94941	4	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City) (State)	(Zip)		Table I - N	on-D	erivative	Securitie	s Acqu	uired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned	1	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	3. Transacti Code (Instr. 8) Code	e (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or		f (D)	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		Beneficial Ownership	

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 (a.g., pute calls warrants options convertible cognities)

(e.g., puts, cans, warrants, options, convertible securities)															
1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction	3A. Deemed	4.		5. Number	of	6. Date Exer	cisable	7. Title and	Amount of	8. Price of	9. Number of	10.	11. Nature
Derivative	Conversion	Date	Execution Date, if	Transact	tion	Derivative		and Expirati	on Date	Underlying	Securities	Derivative	Derivative	Ownership	of Indirect
Security	or Exercise	(Month/Day/Year)	any	Code		Securities		(Month/Day	/Year)	(Instr. 3 and	4)	Security	Securities	Form of	Beneficial
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8))	Acquired (A	A)					(Instr. 5)	Beneficially	Derivative	Ownership
	Derivative					or Disposed	1 of						Owned	Security:	(Instr. 4)
	Security					(D)							Following	Direct (D)	
						(Instr. 3, 4,	and							or Indirect	
						5)						Transaction(s)	· · /		
											Amount		(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
								Date	Expiration	T:41-	or				
								Exercisable	Date	Title	Number				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)				of Shares				
Stock Units in															
Deferred										Common					
	\$ 41.27	02/24/2006		A		5,562.43		(1)	<u>(2)</u>	Common Stock	5,562.43	\$ 0	5,562.43	D	
Compensation										SIDCK					
Plan															

Reporting Owners

	Relationships							
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
ZAGUNIS HAROLD F 1 BELVEDERE PLACE SUITE 300 MILL VALLEY, CA 94941			Chief Financial Officer					

Signatures

Harold F. Zagunis	02/24/2006
***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) Units 100% vested at grant

(2) No expiration.

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