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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Thit of Type Responses)										
1. Name and Address of Pero Jeffrey T	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol REDWOOD TRUST INC [RWT]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner				
(Last) 1 BELVEDERE PL	ACE, SUITE	(Middle) 300	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/20/2019					Officer (give title below)O	other (specify bel	ow)	
(Street) MILL VALLEY, CA 94941			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 - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year			Execution Date, if any	3. Transaction Code4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8)(Instr. 8)(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			isposed	l of (D)	Reported Transaction(s)		Beneficial
			(Month/Day/Year)	Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4) Dire or In (I) (Instr. 3 and 4)		Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock		05/20/2019		M <mark>(1)</mark>		6,310	А	\$ 16.17 (2)	64,212.94	D	

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)														
Security	Conversion	Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code	ion	of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) c Disp of (D	vative urities uired or osed O) r. 3, 4,	er 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) s		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities		Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Deferred Stock Units	\$ 13.47 (3)	05/20/2019		M <mark>(1)</mark>			6,310	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	6,310	\$ 0 <u>(1)</u>	0	D	

Reporting Owners

Barrier Oran Name /	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Pero Jeffrey T 1 BELVEDERE PLACE SUITE 300 MILL VALLEY, CA 94941	Х						

Signatures

Attorney-In-Fact: /s/ Andrew P. Stone	05/21/2019
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) This transaction relates to the distribution and/or conversion of Deferred Stock Units to common stock under the Executive Deferred Compensation Plan.
- (2) Represents the value (per stock unit or share of common stock) of the distribution and/or conversion of Deferred Stock Units, including to common stock under the Executive Deferred Compensation Plan, based on the fair market value of Redwood Trust, Inc. common stock on the transaction date.
- (3) Represents fair value of Deferred Stock Units, based on the original grant date fair market value.
- (4) Deferred Stock Units were subject to a mandatory holding period and are being delivered to the Participant at the time provided in the Deferral Election Form, according to the terms and conditions of the Executive Deferred Compensation Plan.
- (5) No expiration date is applicable to deferred stock units.

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