FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan for the purchase or sale of equity securities of the issuer that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10.

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

| | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol REDWOOD TRUST INC [RWT] | Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | | |
|-----------------------------------------------------|--------------|----------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|-----------------------|--|--|
| Debota Horvaul D | | | | | Director | 10% Owner | | |
| (Last) 1 BELVEDERE P. SUITE 300 | (First) LACE | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/30/2024 | | Officer (give title below) | Other (specify below) | | |
| (Street) MILL VALLEY CA 94941 (City) (State) (Zip) | | | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | 6. Individ | ck Applicable Line) Person Reporting Person | | | |

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

| | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | | xecution Date, Transaction | | | | | | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
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| | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | (111341. 4) | |

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

| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
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| | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | | |
| Deferred Stock Units | \$6.57 | 12/30/2024 | | A | | 8,191.4 ⁽¹⁾ | | (2) | (3) | Common Stock | 8,191.4 | \$0.0 | 8,191.4 | D | |

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. This transaction relates to the acquisition of Deferred Stock Units in accordance with the deferral election made with respect to director compensation and/or dividend equivalent rights according to the terms and conditions of the Redwood Trust Inc. Amended and Restated Executive Deferred Compensation Plan.
- 2. 100% vested at grant.
- 3. No expiration date is applicable to deferred stock units.

Attorney-In-Fact:/s/Andrew P.
Stone

12/31/2024

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- * 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).

 $Note: File\ three\ copies\ of\ this\ Form,\ one\ of\ which\ must\ be\ manually\ signed.\ If\ space\ is\ insufficient,\ see\ Instruction\ 6\ for\ procedure.$

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