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### FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Stone Andrew P Issuer Symbol REDWOOD TRUST INC [RWT] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify ONE BELVEDERE PLACE, SUITE 12/19/2018 below) 300 General Counsel (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting MILL VALLEY, CA 94941 Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit on(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	of (D)  Price	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	12/19/2018		M(1)	37,047	A	\$ 15.21 (2)	85,062	D	
Common Stock	12/19/2018		S(3)	15,000	D	\$ 15.25 (4)	70,062	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)

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 onDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	ve Expiration Date es (Month/Day/Year) d (A) osed of		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Performance Stock Units	\$ 9.46 (5)	12/19/2018		M(1)	28,707	(6)	<u>(7)</u>	Common Stock	28,707
Performance Stock Units	\$ 9.46 (5)	12/19/2018		F(8)	31,920	<u>(6)</u>	<u>(7)</u>	Common Stock	31,920
Deferred Stock Units	\$ 19.87 (5)	12/19/2018		M <u>(1)</u>	8,340	<u>(6)</u>	<u>(7)</u>	Common Stock	8,340
Deferred Stock Units	\$ 19.87 (5)	12/19/2018		F(8)	9,274	<u>(6)</u>	<u>(7)</u>	Common Stock	9,274

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Stone Andrew P ONE BELVEDERE PLACE, SUITE 300 MILL VALLEY, CA 94941			General Counsel				

#### **Signatures**

/s/ Andrew P.
Stone

12/19/2018

\*\*Signature of Pate 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 Performance Stock Units and Deferred Stock Units to common stock under the Executive Deferred Compensation Plan.
- Represents the value (per stock unit or share of common stock) of the distribution and/or conversion of Performance Stock Units and

  Deferred Stock Units 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) Transaction made pursuant to a 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person earlier in 2018.

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This transaction was executed in multiple trades with prices ranging from \$15.10 to \$15.40, inclusive. The price reported in Column 4 above reflects the weighted average sale price. The Reporting Person hereby undertakes to provide to the Securities and Exchange Commission staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each respective price within the range set forth in this footnote.

- (5) Represents fair value per stock unit of Performance Stock Units or Deferred Stock Units, based on the original grant date fair value determined at such time in accordance with FASB Accounting Standards Codification Topic 718.
- Performance Stock Units and Deferred Stock Units were subject to a mandatory holding period and conversion and/or distribution to
  the Reporting Person is at the time provided in the applicable deferral election form, in accordance with the terms and conditions of the
  Executive Deferred Compensation Plan.
- (7) No expiration date is applicable to Performance Stock Units and Deferred Stock Units.
- This disposition transaction represents a Compensation Committee approved withholding of securities incident to the payment of income tax liability relating to the distribution and/or conversion of Performance Stock Units and/or Deferred Stock Units under the Executive Deferred Compensation Plan.
- (9) Following these reported transactions, no other Performance Stock Units and/or Deferred Stock Units with the same original grant date are beneficially owned.

#### **Remarks:**

This Form 4 is being filed in connection with the distribution and/or conversion of Performance Stock Units and Deferred Stock Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.