REDWOOD TRUST INC

Form 4

December 19, 2014

F(DF	RN	14
----	-----------	----	----

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

OMB Number:

Expires:

3235-0287

January 31, 2005

0.5

Estimated average

OMB APPROVAL

burden hours per response...

subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations

may continue.

See Instruction

if no longer

Check this box

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

Stone Andrew P

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

Issuer

REDWOOD TRUST INC [RWT]

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Instr. 8)

(Month/Day/Year)

Director 10% Owner

X_ Officer (give title below)

Other (specify

1 BELVEDERE PLACE, SUITE 300 12/17/2014

General Counsel 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

MILL VALLEY, CA 94941

(City) (State) (Zip)

(Street)

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial

Owned Following

Ownership (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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

Persons who respond to the collection of SEC 1474 information contained in this form are not (9-02)required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

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

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number of	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amount of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	onDerivative	Expiration Date	Underlying Securities
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)

Edgar Filing: REDWOOD TRUST INC - Form 4

(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (or Dispose (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	d of				
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Deferred Stock Units	\$ 19.87 (2)	12/17/2014		A	17,614		(3)	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	17,614
Performance Stock Units	\$ 14.99 (6)	12/17/2014		A	23,348 (7)		(8)	<u>(9)</u>	Common Stock	23,348

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
noporous o muor round / radicoss	Director	10% Owner Officer		Other				
Stone Andrew P								
1 BELVEDERE PLACE			General					
SUITE 300			Counsel					
MILL VALLEY CA 94941								

Signatures

Reporting Person

Andrew P.
Stone

**Signature of 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 grant of Deferred Stock Units.
- (2) Represents grant date fair value of the DSUs issued, based on the fair market value of RWT common stock on the transaction date under the 2014 Incentive Award Plan.
- (3) 25% vests 1/31/2016, 6.25% every quarter thereafter (beginning with the quarter end 3/31/2016). Fully vested 12/19/2018.
- (4) No expiration date is applicable to deferred stock units.

This transaction relates to the grant of Performance Stock Units ("PSUs"), which are performance-based equity awards. The number of underlying shares of common stock of Redwood Trust, Inc. ("Common Stock") that vest and that the recipient becomes entitled to receive at the time of vesting will generally range from 0% to 200% of a target number of PSUs granted, contingent on the achievement of a

- (5) pre-established performance metric (with the target number of PSUs granted being adjusted to reflect the value of any dividends on Common Stock declared during the vesting period). Vesting of these PSUs will generally occur at the end of three years (on December 16, 2017) based on three-year total stockholder return. Please refer to Item 5.02(e) of the Current Report on Form 8-K filed on December 19, 2014 by Redwood Trust, Inc. for a description of the terms of these PSUs, which Item 5.02(e) qualifies, in its entirety, the description set forth in this footnote (5) and footnote (7) below.
- (6) Represents grant date fair value of the PSUs issued.

Reporting Owners 2

Edgar Filing: REDWOOD TRUST INC - Form 4

- (7) Represents the target number of PSUs granted.
- (8) Vested shares, if any, will be delivered to the Participant no later than December 31, 2017.
- (9) No expiration date is applicable to performance stock units.

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.