FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type	Responses)																	
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* HANSEN DOUGLAS B				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						
ONE BELEVEDERE PLACE, SUITE 300				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/20/2003								X_ Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) President						
(Street)				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						
BELVEDE	ERE, CA 9	(State)	(Zip)															
(City)		(State)							Deriv	ative S	ecuritie	s Acquir	ed, Di	sposed of	, or Benefic	ially Owned		
(Instr. 3) Date			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		if Code (Instr. 8)	(Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquire or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of S Owned Follow Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		d Followin action(s)	Securities Beneficially ing Reported		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
							Code	V	An	nount	(A) or (D)	Price					(I) (Instr. 4)	
Common S	Stock		11/20/2003				S		5,78	80.26	D	\$ 57.39	127,4	135.74			D	
Common Stock 11/20/2003			11/20/2003				М		5,78	80.26	A	\$ 18.25	133,2	216			D	
Common S	Stock		11/20/2003				M		4,21	19.74	A	\$ 0	137,4	135.74			D	
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	se (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	f Transaction Code Secur (Instr. 8) Acqu or Dis (D)		umber of vative arities uired (A) visposed of tr. 3, 4, and	Expira	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		ecurities	Security (Instr. 5) If	Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Owner Form of Derivat Securit Direct or India (s) (I)	Ownershi y: (Instr. 4)		
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerci	sable	Expira Date	ntion	Title	o N	amount r Jumber f Shares		(Instr. 4)	(Instr.	4)
Dividend Equivalent Right	\$ 0	11/20/2003		М			4,219.74	<u>(</u>	1)	12/15	5/2005	Comm Stock	1.4	,219.74	\$ 0	29,746.9	1 D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 18.25	11/20/2003		М			5,780.26	Ш	D	12/15	5/2005	Comm Stock	ion k	7,780.26	\$ 0	40,747.7	4 D	

Reporting Owners

	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
HANSEN DOUGLAS B ONE BELEVEDERE PLACE SUITE 300 BELVEDERE, CA 94941	X		President			

Signatures

Douglas B. Hansen	11/24/2003	
**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) Options are fully exercisable.

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