FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *- HANSEN DOUGLAS B				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol REDWOOD TRUST INC [RWT]							5	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)X Director				
(Last) (First) (Middle) ONE BELEVEDERE PLACE, SUITE 300				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/24/2003								X_Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) President				
(Street) BELVEDERE, 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)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, i any (Month/Day/Yea		(Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Benef Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		1	Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
						Code	V	Amou		(A) or (D)	Price				(I) (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 11/21/2			11/21/2003			M		8,670	0.39 A	A	\$ 18.25	141,886.39			D	
Common Stock 11/2			11/21/2003			S		8,670	.39 I	D \$ 133,216			D			
Common Stock 11/21			11/21/2003		M 6,329.62 A \$ 0 139,545.62				D							
Common Stock			11/21/2003			S		6,329	.62 I	D S	\$ 56.483	133,216			D	
Common Stock 1			11/24/2003			M		1,250) A		\$ 17.625	134,466			D	
Common Stock 11/24			11/24/2003			S		1,250			\$ 55.52	133,216			D	
Reminder: Re	eport on a sep	parate line for each c	lass of securities ber	neficially	owned o	lirectly or in	Pers	sons w	re no	t requ		collection of in espond unles umber.				1474 (9-02)
			Table II			urities Acqu , warrants,						wned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction Derivation Code Security (Instr. 8) Acquired or District (D)		Number of rivative curities quired (A) Disposed of str. 3, 4, and	e Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Und (Inst			and Amount of ing Securities and 4)	Derivative Security	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(Ownershi Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D or Indirects)	Beneficia Ownersh (Instr. 4)		
				Code	V (A)	(D)	Date Exerc	isable E	Expirat Date	tion	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Dividend Equivalent Right	\$ 0	11/21/2003		М		6,329.62		1	12/15	/2005	Comm	16 370 67	\$ 0	23,417.2	9 D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.625	11/24/2003		М		1,250	(2) 1	12/14	/2010	Comm	1 1 250	\$ 0	20,000	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 18.25	11/21/2003		М		8,670.39	(1) 1	12/15	/2005	Comm	8,670.39 k	\$ 0	32,077.3	5 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.
- (2) Twenty-five percent of the options vest on January 1, 2002. The remaining seventy-five percent of the options vest in twelve quarterly installments from April 1, 2002 through January 5, 2005.

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