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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

REDWOOD TRUST INC

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FORM 4

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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **BAUM RICHARD**

(First)

(Street)

(State)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

REDWOOD TRUST INC [RWT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

(Month/Day/Year)

1 BELVEDERE PLACE, SUITE 300 05/01/2014

X_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title

below)

(Zip)

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

MILL VALLEY, CA 94941

(Chij)	(State)	Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative Sec	curitie	es Acqui	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. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or			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	05/01/2014		Code V M(1)	Amount 3,976.14	(D)	Price \$ 21.8 (2)	16,976.14	D	
Common Stock							1,758	I	by IRA

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of onDerivative 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Deferred Stock Units	\$ 15.09 (3)	05/01/2014		M <u>(1)</u>		3,976.14	<u>(4)</u>	(5)	Common Stock	3,976.14

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
BAUM RICHARD 1 BELVEDERE PLACE SUITE 300 MILL VALLEY, CA 94941	X						

Signatures

By: Andrew P. Stone: Attorney-In-Fact For: Richard
Baum
05/02/2014

**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).
- This transaction relates to the distribution and/or conversion of Deferred Stock Units to common stock in the Executive Deferred Compensation Plan.
- Represents fair value of the distribution and/or conversion of Deferred Stock Units to common stock based on the fair market value of RWT common stock on the business day prior to the transaction date.
- (3) Represents fair value of Deferred Stock Units, based on the original grant date fair market value.
- Shares are subject to a minimum mandatory holding period and will be delivered to the Participant at the time provided in the Deferral Election but no sooner than May 1, 2014.
- (5) No expiration date is applicable to deferred stock units.

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