#### REDWOOD TRUST INC

Form 4

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## FORM 4

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**SECURITIES** 

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* **SIRKIS ANDREW** 

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

REDWOOD TRUST INC [RWT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 1 BELVEDERE PLACE, SUITE 300 02/26/2007

10% Owner

Director X\_ Officer (give title below)

Other (specify

Vice 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

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Person

MILL VALLEY, CA 94941

| (City)                               | (State)                                 | (Zip) Tab   | le I - Non-     | Derivativ               | e Secu                       | rities Acqui   | red, Disposed of,  | or Beneficiall   | y Owned   |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|-----------------|-------------------------|------------------------------|----------------|--|--|---|
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | Code (Instr. 8) | omr Dispo<br>(Instr. 3, | sed of<br>4 and<br>(A)<br>or | 5)             | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 02/26/2007                              |   | Code V M        | Amount 9,140            | (D)                          | Price \$ 27.05 | 16,011   | D  |   |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 02/26/2007                              |   | F               | 4,362                   | D                            | \$ 56.67       | 11,649   | D  |   |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 02/26/2007                              |   | F               | 1,707                   | D                            | \$ 56.67       | 9,942  | D  |   |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 02/28/2007                              |   | M               | 2,106                   | A                            | \$ 29.25       | 12,048   | D  |   |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 02/28/2007                              |   | S               | 2,106                   | D                            | \$<br>53.1181  | 9,942  | D  |   |

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Common Stock 02/28/2007 S 3,071 D \$ 53.3353 6,871 D

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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<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transactic<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number of stiorDerivative Securities b) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) |       | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) |                    | 7. Title and Amo<br>Underlying Secu<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |                            |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|---|-------|--|--------------------|---|----------------------------|
|   |   |                                      |   | Code V                                 | (A)   | (D)   | Date<br>Exercisable                                      | Expiration<br>Date | Title   | Ar<br>or<br>Nu<br>of<br>Sh |
| Non-Qualified<br>Stock Option<br>(right to buy)     | \$ 27.05  | 02/26/2007                           |   | M                                      |   | 9,140 | <u>(1)</u>   | 12/19/2012         | Common<br>Stock   | 9                          |
| Non-Qualified<br>Stock Option<br>(right to buy)     | \$ 29.25  | 02/28/2007                           |   | M                                      |   | 2,106 | (2)  | 10/17/2007         | Common<br>Stock   | 2                          |
| Non-Qualified<br>Stock Option<br>(right to buy)     | \$ 56.67  | 02/26/2007                           |   | A                                      | 6,069   |       | (3)  | 02/26/2012         | Common<br>Stock   | 6                          |

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SIRKIS ANDREW 1 BELVEDERE PLACE SUITE 300 MILL VALLEY, CA 94941

Vice President

## Signatures

Andrew I. Sirkis 02/28/2007

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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### **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) Twenty-five percent of the options vest on January 1, 2004. The remaining seventy-five percent of the options vest in twelve quarterly installments from April 1, 2004 through January 1, 2007.
- (2) The option becomes exercisable in four equal installments on the 4th day of May in 1999, 2000, 2001, and 2002.
- (3) These reloaded options are 100% vested on grant date, same expiration date as original options.

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