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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement STARWOOD PROPERTY TRUST, INC. [STWD] **Â** Ward Perry Stewart (Month/Day/Year) 03/15/2011 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) C/O STARWOOD PROPERTY (Check all applicable) TRUST, INC., Â 591 WEST PUTNAM AVENUE 10% Owner Director (Street) _X__ Officer Other 6. Individual or Joint/Group (give title below) (specify below) Filing(Check Applicable Line) Chief Financial Officer _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person GREENWICH. CTÂ 06830 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities 3. 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4) Ownership (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) Common Stock (1) 12,500 Ι By SPT Investment, LLC (1) Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not

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

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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Date Expiration Title Amount or Security Direct (D)

Exercisable Date Number of Shares (I)

(Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Ward Perry Stewart C/O STARWOOD PROPERTY TRUST, INC. 591 WEST PUTNAM AVENUE GREENWICH. CT 06830	Â	Â	Chief Financial Officer	Â	

Signatures

/s/ Perry Stewart
Ward

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).
 - Shares are held by SPT Investment, LLC, of which Starwood Capital Group Global, L.P. ("SCGG") is the sole member. In exchange for a capital contribution by Mr. Ward to SCGG, SCGG allocated to Mr. Ward an interest in these shares of the Company's common stock (the
- (1) "Stock"), consisting of (i) the current right to receive any dividends declared and paid by Starwood Property Trust, Inc. (the "Company") with respect to its Stock, and (ii) the contingent right to receive these shares after the expiration of a lock up agreement between the Company and the underwriters of the Company's initial public offering on August 11, 2010, subject to certain other conditions.

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