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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Sossen Andrew Jay

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

STARWOOD PROPERTY TRUST,

INC. [STWD]

(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

03/28/2013

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

COO and General Counsel

C/O STARWOOD PROPERTY TRUST, INC., 591 WEST PUTNAM **AVENUE**

(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

GREENWICH, CT 06830

(City) (State)

(Zip)

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

Common

Stock (1)

(Month/Day/Year)

03/28/2013

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

Reported

71,837

Transaction(s)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A)

(Instr. 3 and 4) (D) Price

(1)

Amount

25,000

D

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)

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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exer	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	TransactionNumber		Expiration D	ate	Amour	nt of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underl	ying	Security	Secui
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	Derivative				Securities Acquired			(Instr. :	3 and 4)		Owne
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	·				(A) or						Repo
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					of (D)						(Instr
					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
									A		
									Amount		
						Date			or		
						Exercisable		Title Number of			
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Sossen Andrew Jay C/O STARWOOD PROPERTY TRUST, INC. 591 WEST PUTNAM AVENUE GREENWICH, CT 06830

COO and General Counsel

Signatures

/s/ Andrew J. 04/01/2013 Sossen

**Signature of Date Reporting Person

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).

Starwood Property Trust, Inc. (the "Company") granted restricted shares of the Company's common stock (the "Restricted Shares") to Mr.

(1) Sossen pursuant to the Starwood Property Trust, Inc. Equity Plan. The Restricted Shares will vest as to Mr. Sossen in quarterly installments over a three-year period beginning on March 31, 2013, subject to certain conditions.

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