STARWOOD PROPERTY TRUST, INC.

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FORM 4

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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 * STERNLICHT BARRY S			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol STARWOOD PROPERTY TRUST, INC. [STWD]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
(Last) (First) (Middle)				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/30/2013				_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) cEO, Chairman of Board of Dir			
				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			
GREENWICH, CT 06830								Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-I	Derivative S	ecurit	ies Acq	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficia	ally Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year			3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. 7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Form: Direct Beneficial (D) or Ownership Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)			
				Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(msu. 5 and 4)		D.,	
Common Stock	06/30/2013			M	162,501 (1)	A	(1)	1,128,648	I	By controlled entities (2)	
Common Stock								1,623,543	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)

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(3)</u>	06/30/2013		M	162,501 (1)	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	162,501

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
STERNLICHT BARRY S C/O STARWOOD PROPERTY TRUST, INC. 591 WEST PUTNAM AVENUE GREENWICH, CT 06830	X		CEO, Chairman of Board of Dir			

Signatures

Reporting Person

/s/ Barry S.
Sternlicht

**Signature of 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).
- SPT Management, LLC (the "Manager") acquired 162,501 shares of the issuer's common stock in connection with the vesting of (i) 89,584 out of 1,075,000 restricted stock units originally granted to the Manager on December 15, 2010 as an award under the Starwood Property Trust, Inc. Manager Equity Plan and (ii) 72,917 out of 875,000 restricted stock units originally granted to the Manager on
- (1) October 10, 2012 as an award under the Starwood Property Trust, Inc. Manager Equity Plan. The remaining restricted stock units will vest ratably in quarterly installments through December 31, 2013 and September 30, 2015, respectively, in each case subject to the Manager's continued service as the manager of the issuer. As such restricted stock units vest, the award will be settled in shares of common stock of the issuer promptly, but in no event later than 30 days, following the applicable quarterly vesting date.
- (2) Represents shares held by the Manager and SFIP, L.P. ("SFIP"). Starwood Capital Group Global, L.P. ("SCGG") is the sole member of the Manager. Mr. Sternlicht is the controlling partner of each of SCGG and SFIP.
- (3) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of the issuer's common stock.
- Represents the 1,075,000 restricted stock units granted to the Manager on December 15, 2010 and the 875,000 restricted stock units (4) granted to the Manager on October 1, 2012, less those restricted stock units that have already vested and been converted into shares of common stock.

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