### FORM 4

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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type I	Responses)																	
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * STILWELL JOSEPH				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Wheeler Real Estate Investment Trust, Inc. [WHLR]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)  _X_ Director Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)							
(Last) 111 BROAI	DWAY, 12	(First) TH FLOOR		3. Date of 03/25/20		iest Tı	ransacti	ion (M	onth/Γ	Day/Year	.)							
(Street) NEW YORK, NY 10006				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  Form filed by One Reporting Person  X_Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City)	11, 111 100	(State)	(Zip)				Table	I - No	n-Der	rivative S	Securiti	es Acqu	ired, D	isposed o	f, or Benefic	cially Owned		
(Instr. 3) Da		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution D any (Month/Day		ate, if	3. Tra Code (Instr	(Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acc (A) or Disposed (Instr. 3, 4 and 5		of (D) Owner 5) Trans		Amount of Securities Beneficially owned Following Reported ransaction(s) [Instr. 3 and 4)		eficially 6	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
							Co	ode	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price					I) Instr. 4)	See
Common St	Common Stock												853,7	47		I		footnote (1)
Common Stock													113,8	14		I		See footnote (2)
Common Stock													213,7	75		I		See footnote (3)
			Table II -					a quired,	curre , Disp	ently val	lid OMI or Bene	B contress	ol num	iber.		orm display		
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year	Code	Derivative (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and 4)		curities	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)  8. Price of Derivative Security (Security Glavity Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactic (Instr. 4)		Owners Form o Derivat Security Direct ( or Indir	ive Ownershi (Instr. 4) D) eect							
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exerc	cisable	Expira Date	tion	Title		Amount or Number of Shares				
Series B Convertible Preferred Stock	\$ 40								<u>(4)</u>		<u>(4)</u>		imon ock	5,125		8,200	I	See footnote
Series D Cumulative Convertible Preferred Stock									<u>(5)</u>		<u>(5)</u>		imon ock	29,272		19,859	I	See footnote
Series D Cumulative Convertible Preferred									<u>(5)</u>	1	(5)		imon ock	7,806		5,296	I	See footnote

Series D Cumulative Convertible Preferred Stock	\$ 16.96				<u>(5)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	63,066		42,786	I	See footnote (1)
Cash- settled Total Return Swap (obligation to buy)	(6)				(7)	03/01/2022	Series B Convertible Preferred Stock	21,154		21,154	I	See footnote (6)
Cash- settled Total Return Swap (obligation to buy)	(6)	03/25/2021	S/K	4,775	(7)	03/01/2022	Series D Cumulative Convertible Preferred Stock		\$ 18	340,516	I	See footnote (6)
Cash- settled Total Return Swap (obligation to buy)	(8)				<u>(7)</u>	03/01/2022	Series B Convertible Preferred Stock	2,559		2,559	I	See footnote (8)
Cash- settled Total Return Swap (obligation to buy)	<u>(8)</u>	03/25/2021	S/K	688	(7)	03/01/2022	Series D Cumulative Convertible Preferred Stock		\$ 18	49,091	I	See footnote (8)
Cash- settled Total Return Swap (obligation to buy)	(9)				(7)	03/01/2022	Series B Convertible Preferred Stock	55,804		55,804	I	See footnote
Cash- settled Total Return Swap (obligation to buy)	(9)	03/25/2021	S/K	612	(7)	03/01/2022	Series D Cumulative Convertible Preferred Stock		\$ 18	20,122	I	See footnote

## **Reporting Owners**

	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
STILWELL JOSEPH 111 BROADWAY, 12TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10006	X	X					
Stilwell Value LLC 111 BROADWAY, 12TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10006		X					
Stilwell Activist Investments, L.P. 111 BROADWAY, 12TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10006		X					
Stilwell Activist Fund, L.P. 111 BROADWAY, 12TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10006		X					
Stilwell Value Partners VII, L.P. 111 BROADWAY, 12TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10006		X					

### **Signatures**

/s/ Joseph Stilwell	03/29/2021
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Joseph Stilwell as authorized agent for Stilwell Value LLC	03/29/2021
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Joseph Stilwell as authorized agent for Stilwell Activist Investments, L.P.	03/29/2021
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Joseph Stilwell as authorized agent for Stilwell Activist Fund, L.P	03/29/2021
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Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Joseph Stilwell as authorized agent for Stilwell Value Partners VII, L.P.	03/29/2021
**C:	Date
**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).
- These shares are owned directly by Stilwell Activist Investments, L.P. ("SAI") and indirectly by Joseph Stilwell in his capacity as the managing member and owner of Stilwell Value LLC ("Value"), which is the general partner of SAI. Joseph Stilwell disclaims beneficial ownership of all shares reported as owned indirectly except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- (2) These shares are owned directly by Stilwell Activist Fund, L.P. ("SAF") and indirectly by Joseph Stilwell in his capacity as the managing member and owner of Value, which is the general partner of SAF. Joseph Stilwell disclaims beneficial ownership of all shares reported as owned indirectly except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- (3) These shares are owned directly by Stilwell Value Partners VII, L.P. ("SVP VII") and indirectly by Joseph Stilwell in his capacity as the managing member and owner of Value, which is the general partner of SVP VII. Joseph Stilwell disclaims beneficial ownership of all shares reported as owned indirectly except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- (4) As disclosed in Wheeler Real Estate Investment Trust, Inc.'s (the "Company") Form 8-K filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") on April 3, 2017, each share of Series B Convertible Preferred Stock (the "Series B Stock") is convertible into 0.625 shares of the Company's common stock. The Series B Stock has no expiration date.
- (5) As disclosed in the Company's Form 8-K filed with the SEC on April 3, 2017, each share of Series D Cumulative Convertible Preferred Stock (the "Series D Stock") is convertible into 1.474 shares of the Company's common stock. The Series D Stock has no expiration date.
  - SAI entered into a certain cash-settled total return swap agreement, effective as of January 22, 2019 (the "Swap Agreement"), pursuant to which it purchased certain cash-settled swaps (the "Swaps") constituting economic exposure to notional shares of Series B Stock and Series D Stock with maturity dates of March 1, 2022. The price of the Swaps for the Series B Stock ranged
- (6) from \$11.10 to \$11.12, and the price of the Swaps for the Series D Stock ranged from \$13.75 to \$15.85. The Swap Agreement provides SAI with economic results that are comparable to the economic results of ownership, but does not provide SAI with the power to vote or direct the voting or dispose of or direct the disposition of the shares of Series B Stock and Series D Stock. Joseph Stilwell disclaims beneficial ownership of all shares underlying the Swap Agreement reported as owned indirectly except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- (7) These Swaps can be settled at any time prior to the expiration date.
  - SAF entered into a certain cash-settled total return swap agreement, effective as of May 20, 2019 (the "Additional Swap Agreement"), pursuant to which it purchased Swaps constituting economic exposure to notional shares of the Company's Series B Stock and Series D Stock with maturity dates of March 1, 2022. The price of the Swaps for the Series B Stock was \$11.10, and
- (8) the price of the Swaps for the Series D Stock ranged from \$14.75 to \$15.85. The Additional Swap Agreement provides SAF with economic results that are comparable to the economic results of ownership, but does not provide SAF with the power to vote or direct the voting or dispose of or direct the disposition of the shares of Series B Stock and Series D Stock. Joseph Stilwell disclaims beneficial ownership of all shares underlying the Additional Swap Agreement reported as owned indirectly except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
  - SVP VII entered into a certain cash-settled total return swap agreement, effective as of May 20, 2019 (the "Second Additional Swap Agreement"), pursuant to which it purchased Swaps constituting economic exposure to notional shares of the Company's Series B Stock and Series D Stock with maturity dates of March 1, 2022. The price of the Swaps for the Series B Stock
- (9) ranged from \$11.73 to \$12.88, and the price of the Swaps for the Series D Stock ranged from \$14.50 to \$15.50. The Second Additional Swap Agreement provides SVP VII with economic results that are comparable to the economic results of ownership, but does not provide SVP VII with the power to vote or direct the voting or dispose of or direct the disposition of the shares of Series B Stock and Series D Stock. Joseph Stilwell disclaims beneficial ownership of all shares underlying the Second Additional Swap Agreement reported as owned indirectly except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

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