

FORM 4

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol		5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)	
<u>Stilwell Joseph</u>			<u>Wheeler Real Estate Investment Trust, Inc. [</u> <u>WHLR ]</u>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner	
(Last) (First) (Middle)					Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)	
<u>200 CALLE DEL</u> <u>SANTO CRISTO</u>			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>12/31/2025</u>			
(Street)						
<u>SAN JUAN</u> <u>PR</u> <u>00901</u>			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)	
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					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock								43,920	I	See footnote <sup>(1)</sup>
Common Stock								4,259	I	See footnote <sup>(2)</sup>
Common Stock								8,840	I	See footnote <sup>(3)</sup>
Common Stock								80	I	See footnote <sup>(4)</sup>

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative 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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
7.00% Subordinated Convertible Notes due 2031	\$1.9 <sup>(5)</sup>							(5)	12/31/2031	Common Stock	9,054,735 <sup>(5)(6)</sup>		\$17,158,975	I	See footnote <sup>(1)</sup>
7.00% Subordinated Convertible Notes due 2031	\$1.9 <sup>(5)</sup>							(5)	12/31/2031	Common Stock	1,321,853 <sup>(5)(6)</sup>		\$2,504,950	I	See footnote <sup>(2)</sup>
7.00% Subordinated Convertible Notes due 2031	\$1.9 <sup>(5)</sup>							(5)	12/31/2031	Common Stock	983,745 <sup>(5)(6)</sup>		\$1,864,225	I	See footnote <sup>(3)</sup>
7.00% Subordinated Convertible Notes due 2031	\$1.9 <sup>(5)</sup>							(5)	12/31/2031	Common Stock	291,486 <sup>(5)(6)</sup>		\$552,375	I	See footnote <sup>(4)</sup>
Series D Cumulative Convertible Preferred Stock	\$170,956,800 <sup>(8)</sup>	12/31/2025		J		28,885 <sup>(7)</sup>		(8)	(8)	Common Stock	0 <sup>(8)</sup>	(9)	108,954	I	See footnote <sup>(1)</sup>
Series D Cumulative Convertible Preferred Stock	\$170,956,800 <sup>(8)</sup>	12/31/2025		J		4,217 <sup>(7)</sup>		(8)	(8)	Common Stock	0 <sup>(8)</sup>	(9)	15,798	I	See footnote <sup>(2)</sup>
Series D Cumulative Convertible Preferred Stock	\$170,956,800 <sup>(8)</sup>	12/31/2025		J		3,138 <sup>(7)</sup>		(8)	(8)	Common Stock	0 <sup>(8)</sup>	(9)	19,099	I	See footnote <sup>(3)</sup>
Series D Cumulative	\$170,956,800 <sup>(8)</sup>	12/31/2025		J		929 <sup>(7)</sup>		(8)	(8)	Common Stock	0 <sup>(8)</sup>	(9)	2,289	I	See footnote <sup>(4)</sup>

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				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Convertible Preferred Stock															
Series B Convertible Preferred Stock	\$403,200,000 <sup>(10)</sup>							(10)	(10)	Common Stock	0 <sup>(10)</sup>		560,988	I	See footnote <sup>(1)</sup>
Series B Convertible Preferred Stock	\$403,200,000 <sup>(10)</sup>							(10)	(10)	Common Stock	0 <sup>(10)</sup>		83,488	I	See footnote <sup>(2)</sup>
Series B Convertible Preferred Stock	\$403,200,000 <sup>(10)</sup>							(10)	(10)	Common Stock	0 <sup>(10)</sup>		116,990	I	See footnote <sup>(3)</sup>

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