FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Ty	pe Response	s)																	
Name and Address of Reporting Person* Steamboat Capital Partners GP, LLC				Wh	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Wheeler Real Estate Investment Trust, Inc. [WHLRD]							-	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) DirectorX10% Owner Officer (give title below)Other (specify below)						
(Last) (First) (Middle) 420 LEXINGTON AVENUE, SUITE 2300					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/05/2020														
NEW YO	ORK, NY	(Street) 10170		4. If	Amendm	ent,	Date	Origi	inal F	Filed(Montl	n/Day/Ye	ear)	-	Form file	ual or Joint/Oed by One Repo led by More than	rting Person			e Line)
(City)	(State)	(Zip)			Ta	able I	- No	n-De	rivative	Securit	ties A	Acqui	red, Dispo	osed of, or l	Beneficiall	y Ow	ned	
1.Title of S (Instr. 3)	ecurity		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year	Exect any	Deemed ution Date th/Day/Yo		Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or		(D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)		Nature of ndirect eneficial winership instr. 4)			
							Co	ode	V	Amount	(D)	Pri	ice				(Inst	tr. 4)	
Common value	Stock, \$0	.01 par	05/05/2020				I)		35,885 (1) (3)	A	\$ 1.12 (4)	264	0 (1) (3)			I (5)		ootnotes
Common value	Stock, \$0	.01 par	05/05/2020				I	.		681 ⁽²⁾ (3)	Λ	\$ 1.12 (4)	264	0 (2) (3)			I (5)		ootnote
Common value	Stock, \$0	.01 par	05/06/2020				I)		21,892 (1) (3)	A	\$ 0.99 (6)	954	0 (1) (3)			I (5)		ee potnote
Common	Stock, \$0	.01 par	05/06/2020				I	P		713 ⁽²⁾	A	\$ 0.99 (6)	954	0 (2) (3)			I (5)		ee potnore
Reminder:	Report on a s	separate line	for each class of sec	urities l	beneficiall	y o	wned	direc	Per con	sons wh	no resp no this	forn	n are	not requ	ction of inf uired to res OMB con	spond un	less	SEC 1	474 (9-02)
			Table II											ly Owned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) Instr. 3) 2. Conversi or Exerci Price of Derivativ Security			Execution I any	d Date, if	4. Transaction		5. Number		6. I and (Me	ions, convertible secur 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		e lly g on(s)	Ownershi Form of Derivativ Security: Direct (D or Indirect	O) ct	
									Dat		Expira Date	ition	Title	Amount or Number					

Reporting Owners

	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			

Steamboat Capital Partners GP, LLC 420 LEXINGTON AVENUE SUITE 2300 NEW YORK, NY 10170	X	
Steamboat Capital Partners, LLC 420 LEXINGTON AVE SUITE 2300 NY, NY 10170	X	
Kiai Parsa 420 LEXINGTON AVENUE SUITE 2300 NY, NY 10170	X	
Steamboat Capital Partners II LP 420 LEXINGTON AVENUE SUITE 2300 NEW YORK, NY 10170	X	

Signatures

Parsa Kiai, Managing Member of Steamboat Capital Partners GP LLC **Signature of Reporting Person					
—Signature of Reporting Person	Date				
Parsa Kiai	05/07/2020				
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date				
Parsa Kiai, Managing Member of Steamboat Capital Partners GP, LLC, general partner of Steamboat Capital Partners Master Fund, LP	05/07/2020				
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date				
Parsa Kiai, Managing Member of Steamboat Capital Partners GP, LLC, general partner of Steamboat Capital Partners II, LP	05/07/2020				
**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).
- (1) Shares were acquired by Steamboat Capital Partners Master Fund, LP (Master) which owns 511,644 shares of Series D Cumulative Convertible Preferred Stock (Series D) and 381,253 shares of Series B Convertible Preferred Stock (Series B).
- (2) Shares were acquired by Steamboat Capital Partners II, LP (II) which owns 9536 shares of Series D and 6702 shares of Series B.
- (3) Shares were bought to cover a short position that pre-dated becoming subject to Section 16.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were bought in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$1.11 to \$1.15, inclusive. The relevant (4) filers undertake to provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth herein.
- Steamboat Capital Partners GP, LLC (GP) is general partner of, and receives a performance allocation from, each of Master and II. Parsa Kiai (Kiai) is the Managing (5) Member of GP. Accordingly, GP and Kiai may be deemed to have a pecuniary interest in shares owned by Master and II. GP, Master, Kiai and II are filers of this report, filing jointly but not as a group and each disclaims beneficial ownership of securities reported hereon except to the extent of its pecuniary interest therein.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were bought in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$0.99 to \$1.00, inclusive. The relevant (6) filers undertake to provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth herein.

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