

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * THOMSEN JOEL S. (Last) (First) (Middle) 1711 GOLD DRIVE S, SUITE 100 (Street) FARGO, ND 58103 (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Sterling Real Estate Trust [NONE]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) ____ Director _____ 10% Owner ☒ Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below) Chief Investment Officer
3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY) 4/15/2020		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) ☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person ____ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY)		

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Trans. Date	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	3. Trans. 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 Shares	4/15/2020		P		0.0142 (1)	A	\$18.2875
Common Shares	4/15/2020		P		88.6857 (1)	A	\$18.2875

Table II - Derivative Securities 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. Trans. Date	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Trans. 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	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 of Derivative Security: 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

Explanation of Responses:

(1) Includes shares acquired on April 15, 2020 under the Sterling dividend reinvestment plan.

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
THOMSEN JOEL S. 1711 GOLD DRIVE S SUITE 100 FARGO, ND 58103	Chief Investment Officer

Signatures

/s/Ryan M. Downs, Attorney-in-Fact

4/17/2020

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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