# FORM 4

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

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| (Print or Type   | e Responses)  |  |  |  |  |  |  |   |   |  |                   |  |   |   |   |  |
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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Whitney Kenneth C  (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O PJT PARTNERS INC., 280 PARK AVENUE |   |  | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PJT Partners Inc. [PJT]  |  |  |  | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  _X_ Director 10% Owner  |   |   |  |                   |  |   |   |   |  |
|  |   |  | Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)     09/22/2021      4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) |  |  |  |  |   | Officer (gi   | ve title below)  | Oth               | er (specify below  | v)  |   |   |  |
| (Street) NEW YORK, NY 10017  |   |  |  |  |  |  |  | 4   | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting PersonForm filed by More than One Reporting Person |  |                   |  |   |   |   |  |
| (City)   | KK, 141 10  | (State)                                  | (Zip)  | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acqu       |  |  |  |   | ities Acqu  | ired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned                 |                   |  |   |   |   |  |
| 1.Title of Sec<br>(Instr. 3)   | curity  | I  | Date<br>Month/Day/Year)  | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution I<br>any<br>(Month/Day | Date, if   | Code<br>(Instr.  | (  | A. Securities A. A. Or Disposi<br>Instr. 3, 4 an                                  | ed of (D)<br>d 5)   | Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) |                   | wned Following Reported Ownersh Form: ansaction(s) Direct (D |   | Ownership<br>Form: B<br>Direct (D) C<br>or Indirect (I            | Beneficial<br>Ownership   |  |
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## **Reporting Owners**

| D 11 0 37 1   | Relationships |              |         |       |  |
|---|---------------|--------------|---------|-------|--|
| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Director      | 10%<br>Owner | Officer | Other |  |
| Whitney Kenneth C<br>C/O PJT PARTNERS INC.<br>280 PARK AVENUE<br>NEW YORK, NY 10017 | X             |              |         |       |  |

#### **Signatures**

| /s/Salvatore Rappa, as Attorney-in-Fact | 09/24/2021 |
|---|------------|
| **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) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Issuer Class A common stock.
- (2) Represents dividend equivalent rights in connection with the Issuer's quarterly dividend that accrue to the reporting person in restricted stock units that vest at the same time(s) as the underlying restricted stock units.

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