#### STRATEGIC HOTELS & RESORTS, INC

Form 4

January 14, 2008

## FORM 4

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

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Form 5 obligations may continue.

See Instruction 1(b).

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

**GELLER LAURENCE S** 

(Last) (First) (Middle)

200 WEST MADISON STREET, SUITE 1700

(Street)

(State)

STRATEGIC HOTELS & RESORTS, INC [BEE]

> 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

01/10/2008

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Symbol

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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\_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below) President and CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

CHICAGO, IL 60606

(City)

1. Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Zip)

(Month/Day/Year)

4. Securities 3. TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

D

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

(D) Price Code V Amount

Common 01/10/2008 Stock

9.187 A (1)

\$0

595,511 (2)

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5.  onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) |                     | ate                | 7. Title<br>Amoun<br>Underly<br>Securiti<br>(Instr. 3 | unt of<br>erlying                      | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Nu<br>Deriv<br>Secur<br>Bene<br>Owne<br>Follo<br>Repo<br>Trans<br>(Instr |
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|   |   |   |   | Code V                                  | (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)  (A) (D)   | Date<br>Exercisable | Expiration<br>Date | Title N   | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares |   |   |

## **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |           |                   |       |  |  |  |
|---|---------------|-----------|-------------------|-------|--|--|--|
| 1   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer           | Other |  |  |  |
| GELLER LAURENCE S<br>200 WEST MADISON STREET<br>SUITE 1700<br>CHICAGO, IL 60606 | X             |           | President and CEO |       |  |  |  |

# **Signatures**

By: /s/ Paula C. Maggio as Attorney-in-Fact 01/14/2008

\*\*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).
  - Common stock in the form of restricted stock units under the 2004 Incentive Plan as a result of dividend equivalents on previously granted and estimated restricted stock units with respect to the dividends paid on January 10, 2008. Because FFO for 2007 has not yet
- (1) been determined, the performance shares reported earned as of 12/31/07 include the maximum possible number that could be earned under the Geller Employment Agreement for the FFO portion of the performance award. An amended Form 4 will be filed after FFO for 2007 has been determined if the FFO portion of the performance award and the resulting dividend equivalents are less than the maximum.
- (2) Includes common stock in the form of restricted stock units.

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