

ASHFORD HOSPITALITY TRUST INC

Form 4

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FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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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

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
TALLIS ALAN2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading
Symbol
ASHFORD HOSPITALITY TRUST
INC [AHT]5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

14185 DALLAS
PARKWAY, SUITE 1100

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
08/08/2016☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☐ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

DALLAS, TX 75254

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

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)
9.000% Series E Cumulative Preferred Stock	08/08/2009		J ⁽¹⁾	2,100 D \$ 25.2312 ⁽²⁾	0	I	By 2009 Tallis Family Irrevocable Trust
9.000% Series E Cumulative Preferred Stock	08/08/2016		J ⁽¹⁾	2,100 D \$ 25.2312 ⁽²⁾	0	I	By 2012 Shirley A. Tallis Family Irrevocable Trust

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7.375% Series F Cumulative Preferred Stock	08/09/2016	P	2,087	A	\$ 25.0375	2,087	I	By 2009 Tallis Family Irrevocable Trust
7.375% Series F Cumulative Preferred Stock	08/09/2016	P	2,087	A	\$ 25.0375	2,087	I	By 2012 Shirley A. Tallis Family Irrevocable Trust
Common Stock						249,586	D	

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)

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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)
Special Limited Partnership Units ⁽³⁾	\$ 0 ⁽³⁾			Code V (A) (D)		Date Exercisable ⁽³⁾ Expiration Date ⁽⁴⁾	Title Common Stock ⁽³⁾	Amount or Number of Shares 26,387 ⁽³⁾

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
TALLIS ALAN 14185 DALLAS PARKWAY	X

SUITE 1100
DALLAS, TX 75254

Signatures

/s/ ALAN
TALLIS

08/10/2016

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) The reported securities were called for redemption by the Issuer.
- (2) The redemption price was \$25.00 per share plus accrued and unpaid dividends thereon in the amount of \$0.23125 per share, for a total per-share redemption price of \$25.23125.

Special long-term incentive partnership units ("LTIP Units") in Ashford Hospitality Limited Partnership, the Issuer's operating subsidiary ("Subsidiary"). Vested LTIP Units, upon achieving parity with the Common Limited Partnership Units of the Subsidiary ("Common Units"), are convertible into Common Units at the option of the Reporting Person. Common Units are redeemable for cash or, at the option of the Issuer, convertible into shares of the Issuer's common stock based on a conversion ratio described in the partnership agreement of Subsidiary, which, on August 9, 2016, was 0.9542660061 shares of the Issuer's common stock for each Common Unit.
- (3) Units", are convertible into Common Units at the option of the Reporting Person. Common Units are redeemable for cash or, at the option of the Issuer, convertible into shares of the Issuer's common stock based on a conversion ratio described in the partnership agreement of Subsidiary, which, on August 9, 2016, was 0.9542660061 shares of the Issuer's common stock for each Common Unit.
- (4) The LTIP Units have no expiration date.
- (5) Includes LTIP Units previously granted to, and reported by, the Reporting Person having different grant dates, some of which have achieved parity with the Common Units.

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