Ryman Hospitality Properties, Inc.

Form 4

April 15, 2016

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* GAYLORD EDWARD K II

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Ryman Hospitality Properties, Inc.

(Check all applicable)

[RHP]

(Last) (First) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

4. If Amendment, Date Original

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

(Month/Day/Year)

5709 N. SAGUARO ROAD

(Middle)

04/15/2016

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

Person

below)

PARADISE VALLEY, AZ 85253

(Street)

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

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

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (I)

(Instr. 4)

(A)

Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

or Code V Amount (D) Price

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 Conversion or Exercise Security

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

5. TransactionNumber Code of

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

(Instr. 4)

Derivati Security

8. Price

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	s !				(Instr. 5)
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0				<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	2,081	
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0				<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	4,273	
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0				<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	3,993	
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0				<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	1,956	
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0				<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	32,953	
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0				<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	471	
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0				<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	1,780	
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0				<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	424	
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0				<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	390	
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0				<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	373	
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0				<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	322	
Restricted	\$ 0				<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common	1,495	

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Stock Units				Stock	
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	327
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	341
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	329
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	<u>(1)</u>	(1)	Common Stock	376

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
GAYLORD EDWARD K II						
5709 N. SAGUARO ROAD	X					
PARADISE VALLEY, AZ 85253						

## **Signatures**

Scott J. Lynn, Attorney-in-Fact for Edward K.
Gaylord II

04/15/2016

\*\*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) Mr. Gaylord has deferred vesting of these restricted stock units until either a designated date or termination of his service as a director.
- In accordance with the terms of the reporting person's outstanding restricted stock unit awards, as a result of the \$0.75 dividend per share of outstanding common stock paid by the issuer on April 15, 2016, the reporting person received additional restricted stock units in an amount based on the amount of the dividend per share and the closing price of the issuer's common stock traded on the NYSE on March 31, 2016.

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