FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  GAYLORD EDWARD K II  (Last) (First) (Middle)  5112 NORTH WILKINSON  (Street)  PARADISE VALLEY  AZ  85253						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol     Ryman Hospitality Properties, Inc. [ RHP ]      3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)     10/15/2013  4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								S. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)      6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting			
(City)	City) (State) (Zip)													Person			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)  Table II - Derivativ					action Day/Yea	ction 2A. Deemed Execution Date if any (Month/Day/Year)			3. Transac Code (Ir 8) Code	tion 5	str. 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)
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Day	ate, 1	I. Fransaction Code (Instr.		5. Number		6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	e and	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 (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				,	Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		iration	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Restricted Stock Units	\$0.00								(1)		(1)	Common Stock	1,845		1,845 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	
Restricted Stock Units	\$0.00								(1)	(	(1)	Common Stock	3,784		3,784 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	
Restricted Stock Units	\$0.00								(1)	(	(1)	Common Stock	3,536		3,536 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	
Restricted Stock Units	\$0.00								(1)	(	(1)	Common Stock	1,734		1,734 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Mr. Gaylord has deferred vesting of these restricted stock units until the earlier of a designated date or termination of his service as a director.
- 2. In accordance with the terms of the reporting person's outstanding restricted stock unit awards, as a result of the \$0.50 dividend per share of outstanding common stock paid by the issuer on October 15, 2013, 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 September 27, 2013

## Remarks:

Scott J. Lynn, Attorney-in-Fact 10/16/2013 for Edward K. Gaylord II

\*\* 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).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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