

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Westbrook Bennett D</u>			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>Ryman Hospitality Properties, Inc. [ RHP ]</u>			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <u>SVP, Investments, D&amp;C</u>		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>02/08/2016</u>			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
<u>ONE GAYLORD DRIVE</u>			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)					
(Street) <u>NASHVILLE TN 37214</u>								
(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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	02/08/2016		M		2,740	A	\$46.6	29,578	D	
Common Stock	02/08/2016		F		895 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	\$46.6	28,683	D	
Common Stock	02/14/2016		M		867	A	\$47.12	29,550	D	
Common Stock	02/14/2016		F		284 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	\$47.12	29,266	D	

**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 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(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date					
Restricted Stock Units	\$0.00	02/08/2016		M	2,740	02/08/2016	02/08/2016	Common Stock 2,740	\$0.00	0	D	
Restricted Stock Unit	\$0.00	02/14/2016		M	867	02/14/2016	02/14/2017	Common Stock 867	\$0.00	868	D	

**Explanation of Responses:**

- Represents shares withheld to satisfy Mr. Westbrook's tax withholding obligation with respect to the 2,740 shares of common stock issued upon the vesting of time-based restricted stock units (including accrued dividend equivalent units payable in additional shares of common stock) on February 8, 2016. Mr. Westbrook retained the remaining 1,845 shares.
- Represents shares withheld to satisfy Mr. Westbrook's tax withholding obligation with respect to the 867 shares of common stock issued upon the vesting of time-based restricted stock units (including accrued dividend equivalent units payable in additional shares of common stock) on February 14, 2016. Mr. Westbrook retained the remaining 583 shares.

**Remarks:**

Scott J. Lynn, Attorney-in-Fact 02/16/2016  
for Bennett Westbrook

\*\* 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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