FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  PRATHER ROBERT S JR                    |   |  |   |  | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  Ryman Hospitality Properties, Inc. [ RHP ] |                   |  |  |                           |   |   | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  X Director 10% Owner |                      |  |  |  |  |
|--|---|--|---|--|--|-------------------|--|--|---------------------------|---|---|---|----------------------|--|--|--|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 1843 W. WESLEY ROAD NW.                                  |   |  |   |  | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/15/2020                                    |                   |  |  |                           |   |   | Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)  |                      |  |  |  |  |
| (Street) ATLANTA GA 30327  |   |  | _   4.  | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) |  |                   |  |  |                           |   | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |   |                      |  |  |  |  |
| (City) (State) (Zip)   |   |  |   |  |  |                   |  |  |                           |   | 1 03011   |   |                      |  |  |  |  |
| Table I - Non-Deriva  1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Da |   |  | saction   | ction 2A. Deemed Execution Date,                         |  | 3.<br>Transaction | 4. Secur   | ities Acquir<br>d Of (D) (Ins  | ed (A) or<br>str. 3, 4 an | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) |   | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4)                             |                      | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4)        |  |  |  |
| Table II - Derivati  |   |  |   | ative \$   | ve Securities Acqui  |                   |  | Code v   |                           |   |   | (0)   | Filce                |  |  |  |  |
| 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<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | (e.g.,  <br>3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transa<br>Code (                                   | ection   | _                 | mber<br>rative<br>rities<br>ired<br>r<br>osed<br>) | 6. Options, convertible securit 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Sec (Instr. 3 and 4) |                           | d<br>f<br>Security  | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5)   | f 9. Number of  |                      | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |  |
|  |   |  |   | Code   | v  | (A)               | (D)  | Date<br>Exercisable  | Expiration<br>Date        | Title   | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares  |   |                      |  |  |  |  |
| Restricted<br>Stock<br>Units   | \$0.00  |  |   |  |  |                   |  | (1)  | (1)                       | Common<br>Stock   | 4,600   |   | 4,600 <sup>(2)</sup> |  | D  |  |  |
| Restricted<br>Stock<br>Units   | \$0.00  |  |   |  |  |                   |  | (1)  | (1)                       | Common<br>Stock   | 5,232   |   | 5,232 <sup>(2)</sup> |  | D  |  |  |
| Restricted<br>Stock<br>Units   | \$0.00  |  |   |  |  |                   |  | (1)  | (1)                       | Common<br>Stock   | 4,888   |   | 4,888 <sup>(2)</sup> |  | D  |  |  |
| Restricted<br>Stock<br>Units   | \$0.00  |  |   |  |  |                   |  | (1)  | (1)                       | Common<br>Stock   | 2,389   |   | 2,389 <sup>(2)</sup> |  | D  |  |  |
| Restricted<br>Stock<br>Units   | \$0.00  |  |   |  |  |                   |  | (1)  | (1)                       | Common<br>Stock   | 2,176   |   | 2,176 <sup>(2)</sup> |  | D  |  |  |
| Restricted<br>Stock<br>Units   | \$0.00  |  |   |  |  |                   |  | (1)  | (1)                       | Common<br>Stock   | 1,825   |   | 1,825 <sup>(2)</sup> |  | D  |  |  |
| Restricted<br>Stock<br>Units   | \$0.00  |  |   |  |  |                   |  | (1)  | (1)                       | Common<br>Stock   | 1,891   |   | 1,891 <sup>(2</sup>  | 2)   | D  |  |  |
| Restricted<br>Stock<br>Units   | \$0.00  |  |   |  |  |                   |  | (1)  | (1)                       | Common<br>Stock   | 1,464   |   | 1,464 <sup>(2</sup>  | 2)   | D  |  |  |
| Restricted<br>Stock<br>Units   | \$0.00  |  |   |  |  |                   |  | (1)  | (1)                       | Common<br>Stock   | 1,337   |   | 1,337 <sup>(2</sup>  | 2)   | D  |  |  |
| Restricted<br>Stock<br>Units   | \$0.00  |  |   |  |  |                   |  | (1)  | (1)                       | Common<br>Stock   | 1,268   |   | 1,268 <sup>(2</sup>  | 2)   | D  |  |  |

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Mr. Prather has deferred vesting of these restricted stock units until either 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 \$0.95 dividend per share of outstanding common stock paid by the issuer on April 15, 2020, 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, 2020.

## Remarks:

Scott J. Lynn, Attorney-in-Fact for Robert S. Prather

04/15/2020

\*\* 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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