FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*						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) 705 VIA DEL MONTE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/15/2019									Office below	r (give title r)		Other ( below)	specify
(Street) PALOS VERDES CA 90274 ESTATES			4. 1	f Ame	ndmen	t, Date	of Original F	iled (	(Month/D		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)																			
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						ar)   E	A. Deemed Execution Date f any Month/Day/Yea		Code (Ir			rities Acquired (A) ed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		and Securit Benefic Owned Reporte		ies ially Following ed	6. Owner Form: Di (D) or Inc (I) (Instr.	rect lirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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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/Da	Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)				6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		r) Amou Securi Under Deriva		Fitle and nount of curities derlying rivative Security str. 3 and 4)		ice of vative rity r. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	m: ect (D) ndirect	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		piration te	Title	Amour or Number of Shares	er					
Restricted Stock Units	\$0.00								(1)		(1)	Common Stock	264			264 <sup>(2)</sup>		D	
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Restricted Stock Units	\$0.00								(1)		(1)	Common Stock	228			228 <sup>(2)</sup>		D	
Restricted Stock	\$0.00								(1)		(1)	Common Stock	251			251		D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Mr. Merchant has deferred vesting of these restricted stock units until either a designated date or the 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 \$0.85 dividend per share of outstanding common stock paid by the issuer on January 15, 2019, 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 December 28, 2018.

## Remarks:

Scott J. Lynn, Attorney-in-Fact 01/15/2019 for Fazal F. Merchant

\*\* 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).
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