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* LEVINE ELLEN R | | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and 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) 250 WEST 55TH STREET | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/21/2012 | | | | | | | | | | | Λ | Officer (give title below) Officer (give title below) | | | | | | |
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| (City) (State) (Zip) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 (1301) | | | | | |
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| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D. | | | | | ar) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year | | е, | Code (Instr | | on Disposed O | | ies Acquired (A) or Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a | | id S | 5. Amou Securition Senefici Owned I Reporte | es ally Following | Forn (D) c | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | Code | v | Amount | | (A) or (D) | Price | Transact (Instr. 3 | | tion(s) | | | (| |
| Common Stock 12/21/ | | | | | | 2012 | | | | J | | 1,354 | (1) | Α | \$0.0 | 00 11, | | ,635 | 5 D | | | |
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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. Transactio Code (Inst 8) | | | | 6. Date Exercis Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea | | Date | | 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) | Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |
| | | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Dat Exe | te ercisable | | opiration | Title | | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | | | | |
| Stock Options (Right to Buy) | \$29.28 | | | | | | | | | (2) | 11 | /11/2014 | | imon ock | 12,196 | | | 12,196 ⁽ | (3) | D | | |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$34.19 | | | | | | | | | (2) | 05 | 5/05/2015 | | imon ock | 6,098 | | | 6,098 ⁽³ | 3) | D | | |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$37.31 | | | | | | | | | (2) | 05 | 5/04/2016 | | imon ock | 6,098 | | | 6,098 ⁽³ | 3) | D | | |
| Restricted Stock | \$0.00 | | | | | | | | | (4) | | (4) | | imon | 3,405 | | | 3,405 ⁽⁵ | 5) | D | | |

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. On December 21, 2012, the Issuer paid a special dividend to stockholders of record on November 13, 2012. As a result of the special dividend, the reporting person received 1354 shares of common stock on December 21, 2012
- 2. Each of these stock options grants vested 100% on the first anniversary date of the grant.
- 3. In connection with the special dividend paid on December 21, 2012, the previously reported stock options were adjusted pursuant to anti-dilution provisions contained in the Issuer's equity incentive plans, and the amounts reported reflect such adjustments. The adjustments were based on the ratio between the unadjusted closing trading price on the NYSE of a share of the Issuer's common stock on the date prior to the ex-dividend date, and the opening price on the NYSE on the ex-dividend date
- 4. Restricted stock unit vests 100% on the first anniversary date of the restricted stock unit award.
- 5. In connection with the special dividend paid on December 21, 2012, the previously reported restricted stock units were adjusted pursuant to anti-dilution provisions that applied to restricted stock units pursuant to the Issuer's equity incentive plans. For each share underlying the restricted stock units, the reporting person received additional restricted stock units equal to 0.1848316 of a share, subject to the same vesting and other restrictions as the original award. The amount listed in this column reflects the total number of shares issuable upon vesting of the award following such adjustment.

Remarks:

Carter R. Todd, Attorney-in-Fact for Ellen R. Levine

12/21/2012

** 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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