

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>FIORAVANTI MARK</u>  (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>ONE GAYLORD DRIVE</u>  (Street) <u>NASHVILLE TN 37214</u>  (City) (State) (Zip)	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>President &amp; CFO</u>
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>03/18/2016</u>	
		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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	03/18/2016		M		14,636	A	\$24.4	162,755	D	
Common Stock	03/18/2016		F		8,993 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	\$52	153,762	D	
Common Stock	03/18/2016		M		4,727	A	\$28.13	4,727	D	
Common Stock	03/18/2016		F		3,151 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	\$52	155,388	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)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Stock Option (Right-to-Buy)	\$24.4	03/18/2016		M		14,636		02/08/2013	02/08/2022	Common Stock	14,636	\$0.00	0	D	
Stock Option (Right-to-Buy)	\$28.13	03/18/2016		M		4,727		02/02/2012	02/02/2021	Common Stock	4,727	\$0.00	0	D	

**Explanation of Responses:**

- Mr. Fioravanti exercised options to purchase 14,636 shares of common stock at an exercise price of \$24.40 per share. Mr. Fioravanti paid the option exercise price and the applicable taxes to be withheld by surrendering a total of 8,993 shares, and he retained the remaining 5,643 shares.
- Mr. Fioravanti exercised options to purchase 4,727 shares of common stock at an exercise price of \$28.13 per share. Mr. Fioravanti paid the option exercise price and the applicable taxes to be withheld by surrendering a total of 3,151 shares, and he retained the remaining 1,576 shares.

**Remarks:**

Scott J. Lynn, Attorney-in-Fact 03/21/2016  
for Mark Fioravanti

\*\* 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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