

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Chaffin Patrick S</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 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <u>SVP, Asset Management</u>
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>03/15/2018</u>	
	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	

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	03/15/2018		M		1,309	A	\$0.00	20,213	D	
Common Stock	03/15/2018		F		516 ⁽¹⁾	D	\$0.00	19,697	D	
Common Stock	03/15/2018		M		2,687	A	\$0.00	22,384	D	
Common Stock	03/15/2018		F		1,058 ⁽²⁾	D	\$0.00	21,326	D	
Common Stock	03/15/2018		M		883	A	\$0.00	22,209	D	
Common Stock	03/15/2018		F		348 ⁽³⁾	D	\$0.00	21,861	D	
Common Stock	03/15/2018		M		647	A	\$0.00	22,508	D	
Common Stock	03/15/2018		F		255 ⁽⁴⁾	D	\$0.00	22,253	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
Restricted Stock Units	\$0.00	03/15/2018		M			1,309	03/15/2018	03/15/2019	Common Stock	1,309	\$0.00	1,248	D	
Restricted Stock Unit	\$0.00	03/15/2018		M			2,687	03/15/2018	03/15/2018	Common Stock	2,687	\$0.00	0	D	
Restrictd Stock	\$0.00	03/15/2018		M			883	03/15/2018	03/15/2020	Common Stock	883	\$0.00	1,693	D	
Restricted Stock	\$0.00	03/15/2018		M			647	03/15/2018	03/15/2021	Common Stock	647	\$0.00	1,929	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- Represents shares withheld to satisfy Mr. Chaffin's tax withholding obligation with respect to the 1,309 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 03/15/2018. Mr. Chaffin retained the remaining 793 shares.
- Represents shares withheld to satisfy Mr. Chaffin's tax withholding obligation with respect to the 2,687 shares of common stock issued upon the vesting of performance-based restricted stock units on 3/15/18. Mr. Chaffin retained the remaining 1,629 shares.
- Represents shares withheld to satisfy Mr. Chaffin's tax withholding obligation with respect to the 883 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 03/15/2018. Mr. Chaffin retained the remaining 535 shares.
- Represents shares withheld to satisfy Mr. Chaffin's tax withholding obligation with respect to the 647 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 03/15/2018. Mr. Chaffin retained the remaining 392 shares.

Remarks:

Scott J. Lynn, Attorney-in-Fact 03/19/2018
for Patrick S. Chaffin

** 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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