FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Westbrook Bennett D						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Ryman Hospitality Properties, Inc. [RHP]									all appl Direct	icable) or	10% Owner		
(Last) ONE GA	(Last) (First) (Middle) ONE GAYLORD DRIVE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/15/2016									X Officer (give title Other (specify below) SVP, Investments, D&C				
(Street) NASHVILLE TN 37214 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person 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. Transa Date (Month/D					ction	ar) if	A. Dee Execution f any Month/I	med on Date	3. Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)			r	5. Amou Securiti Benefic Owned	unt of es ially Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	Pric	e	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)	
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 Dar if any (Month/Day/Ye	te, Ti	I. Transaction Code (Instr.		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		ole and			8. F Der Sec	. Price of erivative ecurity nstr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction((Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				c	ode	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		piration te	Title	Amoun or Numbe of Shares	r					
Restricted Stock Unit	\$0.00								(1)		(1)	Common Stock	880			880 ⁽²⁾	D		
Restricted Stock Unit	\$0.00								(3)		(3)	Comon Stock	2,123	3		2,123 ⁽²⁾	D		
Restricted Stock Unit	\$0.00								(4)		(4)	Common Stock	2,301			2,301 ⁽²⁾	D		
Restricted Stock Unit	\$0.00								(5)		(5)	Common	3,516	5		3,516 ⁽²⁾	D		

Explanation of Responses:

- $1. \ Restricted \ stock \ unit \ vests \ on \ a \ one-to-one \ share \ basis \ on \ February \ 14, \ 2017.$
- 2. In accordance with the terms of the reporting person's outstanding restricted stock unit awards, as a result of the \$0.75 dividend per share of outstanding common stock paid by the issuer on April 15, 2016, 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,
- 3. Restricted stock unit vests on a one-to-one share 50% basis on February 26, 2017 and February 26, 2018.
- 4. Restricted stock unit vests on a one-to-one share basis in 1/4 increments for four years beginning on March 15, 2016.
- 5. Restricted stock unit vests on a one-to-one share basis ratably in 1/4 increments for four years beginning on March 15, 2017.

Remarks:

Scott J. Lynn, Attorney-in-Fact 04/15/2016 for Bennett D. Westbrook

** 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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