FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Preusse Mary Hogan					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HOST HOTELS & RESORTS, INC. [ HST ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
Pleusse Mary Hogan										,		-	X	Director			10% Ow	ner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 6903 ROCKLEDGE DRIVE SUITE 1500					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/15/2018									Officer (g below)	give title		Other (s	pecify	
(Street) BETHES	SDA N	MD	20817		4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Ye.						ay/Year)		6. Indi	dividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(5	State)	(Zip)																
		-	Гable I - Non-I	Deriva	tive S	Securitie	s A	cquired	, Dis	posed	of, or B	enefi	cially (	Owned					
			. Transaction ate Month/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year		Code	r, Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) of Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			and 5) Securities Beneficial Owned Fo		6. Owr Form: (D) or (I) (Ins	Direct I Indirect E tr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
								Code	v	Amoun	Amount (A) or (D)		Price	Reported Transaction (Instr. 3 and	nsaction(s)		(	(Instr. 4)	
			Table II - De	erivati .g., pu	ve Se	curities alls, war	Ace rant	quired, ts, optic	Disp ns, c	osed o	f, or Ber	nefici curitie	ally Ov	wned					
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)		Derivative I		6. Date Exercisable an Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amoun Securities Underly Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported	ve es ally eg d	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership ct (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal		opiration	Title	Amou Numb Share	er of		Transact (Instr. 4)				
Deferred Stock Units Div. Equiv. Rights- Lump Sum Vesting	(1)	10/15/2018		A		143.0594		(2)		(2)	Common Stock	143	.0594	\$19.18	557.30	039	D		
Deferred Stock Units- Lump Sum Vesting	(4)							(3)		(3)	Common Stock	13,3	05.156		13,305	.156	D		

## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Each dividend equivalent right represents the right to receive one share of common stock of the Issuer.
- 2. The dividend equivalent rights accrued on deferred stock units held by the reporting person and will be settled in shares of the Issuer's common stock on a date selected by the reporting person pursuant to the Issuer's Non-Employee Directors' Deferred Stock Compensation Plan (the "Plan").
- 3. The deferred stock units are fully vested and will be settled in shares of the Issuer's common stock on a date selected by the reporting person pursuant to the Plan.
- 4. Each deferred stock unit represents the right to receive one share of common stock of the Issuer.

By: Elizabeth A. Abdoo For: Mary Hogan Preusse

10/16/2018

Mary Hogan Preusse\*\* 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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