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*  RAKOWICH WALTER C						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol HOST HOTELS & RESORTS, INC. [ HST ]									5. Relationship of Reportir (Check all applicable) X Director			ng Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 6903 ROCKLEDGE DRIVE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/15/2016										officer (give title elow)		Other (specify below)	
SUITE 1500  (Street) BETHESDA MD 20817  (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If	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				
(- 3)				n-Deriv	/ative	Sec	curitie	s Ac	guired	, Dis	posed o	of, o	r Ben	efici	ally Ov	ned			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transact Date (Month/Day				action	tion 2A. Deemed Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 3,			(A) or	5. nd 5) Se Be	Amount of curities neficially vned Following ported	Fori	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
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Restricted-Annual Director Stock Award 04/1					/2016	2016		A <sup>(1)</sup>		208.7705		A	\$16	5.21 1	7,129.6208		D		
Common Stock																6,095.2533		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. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		ı of		Expiration	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		8. Price Derivati Security (Instr. 5	ive derivative y Securities	ly   G	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Pursuant to the Non-Employee Directors' Deferred Stock Compensation Plan, reporting person is required to reinvest cash dividends in shares of additional Host Hotels & Resort's common stock.

By: Elizabeth A. Abdoo For: Walter C. Rakowich

04/18/2016

\*\* 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).
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