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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>ABDOO ELIZABETH A</u>					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HOST MARRIOTT CORP/ [HMT]										all app Direc	olicable) ctor	g Person(s) to Iss 10% Ov			
(Last)	(Fir	rst) (Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/05/2004									X	belov	er (give title w) Executive V	b	Other (specify below) resident	
(Street) (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									. Indivine)	,				
(City)	(31	,		n-Deriv	ative	Sec	uritie	es Ac	quired	, Dis	posed o	f, or	Ben	efici	ally	Pers	on	e man Om	- Kep	orung
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D				Executi		Date,	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4				4 and 5) Se Be Ov		ount of ities icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
										v	Amount	(A (C) or))	Price		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 02/05.				/2004	2004			A ⁽¹⁾		17,089		A	\$12.525		44,733		D			
Common Stock 02/05				/2004	2004		F		7,436		D	\$12.525		37,297		D				
Restricted Stock 02/05/				/2004	2004			A ⁽¹⁾		17,089		D	\$12.525		52,589		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. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da	n Date,		Transaction Code (Instr.		n of		6. Date Exercis Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Ye		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		ı	Deri Seci	rice of ivative urity tr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(D) rect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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Explanation of Responses:

1. This transaction represents the release of the restrictions on the Restricted Shares for 2003 based on satisfaction of Company performance measures and time based measures pursuant to the Comprehensive Stock and Cash Incentive Plan, and the inclusion of such shares into common stock.

Elizabeth A. Abdoo

02/09/2004

** 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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