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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] LENTZ MICHAEL E | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HOST HOTELS & RESORTS, INC. [HST] | | tionship of Reporting Po all applicable) Director | 10% Owner |
|---|---------------------|----------------|---|------------------------|--|---------------------------------------|
| (Last) 4747 BETHESD SUITE 1300 | (First) A AVENUE | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/20/2020 | X | Officer (give title below) Executive Vice | Other (specify below) President |
| (Street) BETHESDA (City) | MD (State) | 20814 (Zip) | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | 6. Indiv Line) X | idual or Joint/Group Fili Form filed by One Re Form filed by More th Person | porting Person |

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) | | 4. Securities Acquired (A) c action (Instr. 5) | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported | 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 | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | (1130.4) |
| Common Stock | 02/20/2020 | | A ⁽¹⁾ | | 16,210 | A | \$17.18 | 55,743.1449 | D | |
| Common Stock | 02/20/2020 | | F | | 7,313 | D | \$17.18 | 48,430.1449 | 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. Transa Code (8) | | of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) or Dispo of (D) | sposed (D) str. 3, 4 | | | 7. Title Amouri Securi Underl Deriva Securi and 4) | nt of ties ying tive ty (Instr. 3 | 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 | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. On February 8, 2019, the reporting person was granted an award of restricted stock units, which vest in the form of common stock based on the Issuer's performance against certain strategic objective goals. Also, on February 13, 2017 the reporting person was granted an award of restricted stock units, which vest in the form of common stock based on the Issuer's total shareholders return (TSR) over a three year period as compared to the Relative Lodging TSR, Relative NAREIT TSR, and Relative S&P 500 TSR. On February 20, 2020, the Compensation Committee of the Issuer's Board of Directors determined that a portion of the performance goals had been met relating to both grants, resulting in the vesting of these shares.



02/24/2020

** 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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