FORM 4

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obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT	OF CHANGES	IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] Smith Gordon H			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>HOST HOTELS & RESORTS, INC.</u> [HST]		ionship of Reporting Persor all applicable) Director	n(s) to Issuer 10% Owner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 6903 ROCKLEDGE DRIVE SUITE 1500		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/15/2019		Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)
			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)		
(Street) BETHESDA	MD	20817		X	Form filed by One Report Form filed by More than C Person	Ũ
(City)	(State)	(Zip)				

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)	Date, Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	(D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	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)

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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. Transa Code (8)		Derivative		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	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		(Instr. 4)		
Deferred Stock Units Div. Equiv. Rights	(1)	10/15/2019		A		888.9147		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	888.9147	\$0.0	12,878.4058	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 or phantom stock held by the reporting person and will be settled in shares of the Issuer's common stock or cash on a date selected by the reporting person pursuant to the Issuer's Non-Employee Directors' Deferred Stock Compensation Plan (the "Plan").

By: /s/ William K. Kelso For:

10/17/2019

Date

Gordon H. Smith ** Signature of Reporting Person

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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