FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT	OF CHAI	NGES IN BE	NEFICIAL (OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Smith Gordon H				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HOST HOTELS & RESORTS, INC. [HST]									Check all	ship of Reporti applicable) irector		10% C	wner		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 6903 ROCKLEDGE DRIVE				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/11/2017										fficer (give title elow)		Other (below)	(specify		
(Street) BETHES (City)	DA M		0817 Zip)		4. If	Amer	dment	, Date o	of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						S. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
		Tabl	e I - No	n-Deriv	ative	Sec	uritie	s Ac	quired	, Dis	sposed o	f, oı	r Ben	efici	ally Ov	/ned			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transact Date (Month/Day					Execution Date,				es Acquired (A) o Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a			d 5) Se Be Ov	Amount of curities neficially ned Following ported	Forr (D) (Ownership m: Direct or Indirect Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
							Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	Tra	nsaction(s) str. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)		
Restricted-Annual Director Stock Award 05/11/20				2017	017		A		7,070.1357		A	\$17	.68 5	52,833.6163		D			
Common Stock												4,373.1778		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)	rivative Conversion Date Execution Date, curity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			ansaction of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		str. 3	8. Price Derivati Security (Instr. 5)	derivative Securities	y [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:

By: Elizabeth A. Abdoo For: Gordon H. Smith

05/15/2017

** 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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