Instruction 1(b).

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* GHOSH SOURAV						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HOST HOTELS & RESORTS, INC. [HST]									k all app Direc	or 10% C r (give title Other		.0% O Other (
(Last) (First) (Middle) 4747 BETHESDA AVENUE SUITE 1300					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/08/2021										EVI	P, Chief Fi	nancial (Office	r
(Street) BETHESDA MD 20814 (City) (State) (Zip)				4. If A	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Line)	i. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Da						Execution		oate,	Transaction		4. Securities Acquired (A Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5)			5. Amo Securi Benefi Owned	ties cially I Following	6. Owner Form: Di (D) or Ind (I) (Instr.	ect irect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	or F	Price	Transa	ction(s) 3 and 4)			(111341.4)
Common Stock 02/08/2					021				A		30,260(1)	A		\$0.0	103,035		D		
Common Stock 02/08/20				021				F		13,930	D) !	\$14.13	8	89,105				
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)	if any	emed tion Date, n/Day/Year)	Code (of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) o Dispo	r osed) r. 3, 4	6. Date Exerc Expiration D (Month/Day/		ate	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Inst 3 and 4)		De Se (In	Price of erivative ecurity estr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Owr Forr Dire or Ir (I) (I	ership n: ct (D) direct nstr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	sable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Shar	ber					

Explanation of Responses:

1. On February 4, 2021, the Compensation Policy Committee of the Issuer's Board of Directors determined that a portion of the performance goals for previously granted restricted stock units had been met, resulting in the vesting of these shares in the form of common stock on February 8, 2021. The underlying grants were as follows: (1) on February 8, 2018, the reporting person was granted an award of restricted stock units which vest based on the Issuer's total stockholder return (TSR) as compared to the Relative Lodging TSR, Relative NAREIT TSR, and Relative S&P 500 TSR; and (2) on May 15, 2020, the reporting person was granted an award of restricted stock units which vest based on the Issuer's performance against certain strategic objectives.

By: /s/ William K. Kelso For:

Sourav Ghosh

02/08/2021

** 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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