HOST HOTELS & RESORTS, INC.

Form 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading HAMILTON JOANNE G. Issuer Symbol HOST HOTELS & RESORTS, INC. [HST]

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

Director 10% Owner Other (specify _X__ Officer (give title

EVP, Human Resources

6903 ROCKLEDGE DRIVE, SUITE 02/08/2017 1500

(State)

(Zin)

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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below)

BETHESDA, MD 20817

(City)

(City)	(State) (A	Table Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	02/08/2017		J <u>(1)</u>	12,279	A	\$ 18.33	40,172	D	
Common Stock	02/08/2017		F	6,354	D	\$ 18.33	33,818	D	
Restricted Stock	02/08/2017		<u>J(1)</u>	12,279	D	\$ 18.33	37,857	D	
Restricted Stock	02/08/2017		J(2)	37,857	D	\$ 18.33	0	D	

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

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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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercis Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Y	e	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0					12/31/2012	01/20/2022	Common Stock	3,782
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0					02/05/2013	02/05/2023	Common Stock	6,631
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0					01/22/2014	01/22/2024	Common Stock	7,249
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0					12/31/2015	01/15/2025	Common Stock	6,551
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0					12/31/2016	02/04/2026	Common Stock	15,254

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
HAMILTON JOANNE G. 6903 ROCKLEDGE DRIVE SUITE 1500 BETHESDA, MD 20817			EVP, Human Resources					

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By: Elizabeth A. Abdoo For: Joanne G.
Hamilton

02/10/2017

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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).
- (1) This transaction represents the release of restrictions on shares of restricted stock which vested based on 2016 performance and inclusion of such shares into unrestricted common stock. Shares that did not vest based on performance criteria were forfeited.
- (2) This transaction represents the forfeiture of the restricted stock shares under the Comprehensive Stock Plan program for the performance year 2016.

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