Ryman Hospitality Properties, Inc.

Form 4

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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 Lynn Scott J Issuer Symbol Ryman Hospitality Properties, Inc. (Check all applicable) [RHP] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) below) ONE GAYLORD DRIVE 02/26/2016 SVP, Secretary and GC (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting NASHVILLE, TN 37214 Person

| (City) | (State) (2 | Zip) Table | e I - Non-Do | erivative S | Securi | ties Ac | quired, Disposed | of, or Beneficia | lly Owned |
|---------------------|---------------------|------------------------|---|-------------|-----------|---------|----------------------------|---------------------|------------------------|
| 1.Title of | 2. Transaction Date | | 3. | 4. Securi | | | 5. Amount of | 6. Ownership | 7. Nature of |
| Security (Instr. 3) | (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if any | TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) | | | | Securities Beneficially | Form: Direct (D) or | Indirect Beneficial |
| (, | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | (Instr. 3, | ` | 1 | Owned | Indirect (I) | Ownership |
| | | | | | | | Following Reported | (Instr. 4) | (Instr. 4) |
| | | | | | (A) | | Transaction(s) | | |
| | | | Code V | Amount | or (D) | Price | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | |
| Common Stock | 02/26/2016 | | M | 1,035 | A | \$0 | 9,770 | D | |
| Common Stock | 02/26/2016 | | F | 284 (1) | D | \$0 | 9,486 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | 1,874 | I | by 401(k) |

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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. Transact Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number ionof 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 |
| Restricted Stock Units | \$ 0 | 02/26/2016 | | M | 1,035 | 02/26/2016 | 02/26/2018 | Common Stock | 1,035 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships |
|---------------------------------|---------------|
| Reporting Owner Maine / Address | |

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Lynn Scott J

ONE GAYLORD DRIVE SVP, Secretary and GC

Signatures

NASHVILLE, TN 37214

Scott J. Lynn 02/29/2016

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).

Represents shares withheld to satisfy Mr. Lynn's tax withholding obligation with respect to the 1,035 shares of common stock issued upon (1) the vesting of time-based restricted stock units (including accrued dividend equivalent units payable in additional shares of common stock) on February 26, 2016. Mr. Lynn retained the remaining 751 shares.

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