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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Smith Gordon H

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

Symbol

HOST HOTELS & RESORTS, INC.

(Check all applicable)

[HST]

(Last)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X_ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

6903 ROCKLEDGE DRIVE, SUITE 10/16/2017

(Street)

(First)

1500

4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

BETHESDA, MD 20817

(State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

(A)

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

(City)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

(Middle)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. Transaction Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

4. Securities Acquired (A) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

Following

Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect

7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

or Amount Price (D) Code V

Reported (I) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Restricted-Annual

Director Stock 10/16/2017 Award

J(1)550.5712

D 53,955.9798

D

Common Stock

4,373.1778

(Instr. 8)

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)

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									of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			

Smith Gordon H 6903 ROCKLEDGE DRIVE SUITE 1500 BETHESDA, MD 20817

X

Signatures

By: Elizabeth A. Abdoo For: Gordon H. Smith 10/17/2017

**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).

Relationships

(1) Pursuant to the Non-Employee Directors' Deferred Stock Compensation Plan, reporting person is required to reinvest cash dividends in shares of additional Host Hotels & Resort's common stock.

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