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CHOICE HOTELS INTERNATIONAL INC /DE Form 4 April 19, 2017 OMB APPROVAL FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OMB 3235-0287 Washington, D.C. 20549 Number: Check this box January 31, Expires: if no longer 2005 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF subject to Estimated average **SECURITIES** Section 16. burden hours per Form 4 or response... 0.5 Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction 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 Renschler Scott Arnold Issuer Symbol CHOICE HOTELS (Check all applicable) INTERNATIONAL INC /DE [CHH] _X_ Director (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) below) below) 8171 MAPLE LAWN 04/18/2017 **BLVD, SUITE 375** (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 **FULTON, MD 20759** Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 1.Title of 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) any Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Direct Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Ownership (D) or Following Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Reported (Instr. 4) (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price See Common 179,228 Ι Footnote Stock (1)See Common Footnote 573,896 Ι Stock (2) See Common 21,798 Ι Footnote Stock (3)3,678 I See Common

Stock									Footnote			
Common Stock	04/18/20)17 04/18/20)17 A	95	A \$ 62.7	718 32,280	0 D	<u>(5)</u>				
Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not information contained in this form are not information contained to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number. Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)												
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Maine / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Renschler Scott Arnold 8171 MAPLE LAWN BLVD SUITE 375 FULTON, MD 20759	х						
Signatures							
Christine A. Shreve, POA	04/19/20	17					
<u>**</u> Signature of Reporting Person	Date						

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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- (1) Shares owned by the Scott Renschler Declaration of Trust ("Scott Trust") in which Dr. Renschler is the sole trustee and current beneficiary.
- (2) The proportionate interest of the Scott Trust in shares (6,821,574) owned by Realty Investment Company, Inc. ("Realty") a real estate investment and management company in which Dr. Renschler is a non-controlling shareholder and Director.
- (3) Shares owned by various trusts, the beneficiaries of which are Dr. Renschler's two minor children.
- (4) The proportionate interest of various trusts, the beneficiaries of which are Dr. Renschler's two minor children in shares (978,482) owned by MidPines Associates, L.P. ("MidPines").
- (5) Dr. Renschler's interest in the Non-Employee Director Compensation Plan of the Issuer.

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