HERSHA HOSPITALITY TRUST Form 10-Q August 09, 2007

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 10-Q

(Mark One)

x QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the quarterly period ended June 30, 2007

OR

"TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the transition period from _____ to ____

COMMISSION FILE NUMBER: 001-14765

HERSHA HOSPITALITY TRUST

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Maryland 251811499

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation or Organization)

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

44 Hersha Drive

Harrisburg, Pennsylvania

17102

(Address of Registrant's Principal Executive Offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (717) 236-4400

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (i) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (ii) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days.

x Yes "No

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, or a non-accelerated filer. See definition of "accelerated filer and large accelerated filer" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act. (Check one):

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Large accelerated filer "	Accelerated filer x	Non-accelerated filer "				
Indicate by check mark whether the regist	rant is a shell company (as defined in	n Rule 12b-2 of the Act). "Yes x No				
As of June 30, 2007, the number of Class	A common shares of beneficial inter	est outstanding was 40,986,779.				
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PART I. FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Item 1. Financial Statements.

HERSHA HOSPITALITY TRUST AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS AS OF JUNE 30, 2007 [UNAUDITED] AND DECEMBER 31, 2006 [IN THOUSANDS, EXCEPT SHARE AMOUNTS]

	June 30, 2007		December 31, 2006		
Assets:					
Investment in Hotel Properties, net of Accumulated Depreciation	\$	901,914	\$	807,784	
Investment in Joint Ventures		58,174		50,234	
Development Loans Receivable		44,716		47,016	
Cash and Cash Equivalents		9,571		10,316	
Escrow Deposits		16,574		14,927	
Hotel Accounts Receivable, net of allowance for doubtful accounts of \$50 and \$30		10,219		4,608	
Deferred Costs, net of Accumulated Amortization of \$2,270 and \$1,543		8,724		7,525	
Due from Related Parties		2,237		4,059	
Intangible Assets, net of Accumulated Amortization of \$758 and \$618		5,720		5,594	
Other Assets		18,646		16,145	
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Total Assets	\$	1,076,495	\$	968,208	
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Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity:					
Line of Credit	\$	48,800	\$	24,000	
Mortgages and Notes Payable, net of unamortized discount of \$85 and \$1,312		631,559	·	556,542	
Accounts Payable, Accrued Expenses and Other Liabilities		16,149		14,740	
Dividends and Distributions Payable		9,354		8,985	
Due to Related Parties		3,555		3,297	
Due to Related Lardes		3,555		3,277	
Total Liabilities		709,417		607,564	
		705,117		007,201	
Minority Interests:					
Common Units	\$	36,953	\$	25,933	
Interest in Consolidated Joint Ventures	Ψ	2,671	Ψ	3,092	
interest in consonated some ventures		2,071		3,072	
Total Minority Interests		39,624		29,025	
Total Willoffly Theoresis		37,024		27,023	
Shareholders' Equity:					
Preferred Shares - 8% Series A, \$.01 Par Value, 29,000,000 Shares Authorized,					
2,400,000 Shares Issued and Outstanding at June 30, 2007 and December 31, 2006,					
respectively. (Aggregate Liquidation Preference \$60,000 at June 30, 2007 and					
December 31, 2006, respectively)		24		24	
Common Shares - Class A, \$.01 Par Value, 80,000,000 Shares Authorized, 40,986,779		24		24	
and 40,671,950 Shares Issued and Outstanding at June 30, 2007 and December 31,					
The state of the s		410		405	
2006, respectively. Common Shares - Class B, \$.01 Par Value, 1,000,000 Shares Authorized, None Issued		410		403	
and Outstanding		-		-	

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Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income	221	233
Additional Paid-in Capital	390,993	381,592
Distributions in Excess of Net Income	(64,194)	(50,635)
Total Shareholders' Equity	327,454	331,619
Total Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity	\$ 1,076,495 \$	968,208

The Accompanying Notes are an Integral Part of These Consolidated Financial Statements.

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HERSHA HOSPITALITY TRUST AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS FOR THE THREE AND SIX MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 2007 AND 2006 [UNAUDITED] [IN THOUSANDS, EXCEPT SHARE/UNIT AND PER SHARE AMOUNTS]

	T	Three Months Ended			Six Months Ended			
	June 30, 2007		June 30, 2006		June 30, 2007		June 30, 2006	
Revenue:								
Hotel Operating Revenues	\$	63,478	\$	38,226	\$	109,868	\$	62,155
Interest Income from Development Loans		1,331		295		2,634		723
Land Lease Revenue		1,117		-		2,205		-
Hotel Lease Revenue		195		-				