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ASHFORD HOSPITALITY TRUST INC Form 4 August 10, 2016 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 TALLIS ALAN Issuer Symbol ASHFORD HOSPITALITY TRUST (Check all applicable) INC [AHT] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction _X__ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) below) below) 14185 DALLAS 08/08/2016 PARKWAY, SUITE 1100 (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 DALLAS, TX 75254 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) 5. Amount of 6. 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) anv Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) Owned Ownership (Instr. 8) Direct (D) or Indirect (Instr. 4) Following Reported (I)(A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price 9.000% By 2009 Tallis Series E \$ **J**(1) 25.2312 Cumulative 08/08/2009 2,100 D 0 I Family (2) Preferred Irrevocable Stock Trust By 2012 9.000% Shirley A. Series E \$ Tallis Cumulative 08/08/2016 **J**(1) 2,100 D 25.2312 0 I Family (2) Preferred Irrevocable Stock Trust

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7.375% Series F Cumulative Preferred Stock	08/09/2016	Р	2,087	A	\$ 25.0375	2,087	I	By 2009 Tallis Family Irrevocable Trust
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Common Stock						249,586	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. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	5. tionNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year) rivative curities quired) or sposed (D) str. 3,		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price Derivat Securit (Instr. :
				Code V	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Special Limited Partnership Units (3)	\$ 0 <u>(3)</u>					<u>(3)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock (3)	26,387 (<u>3)</u>	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

10% Owner Officer Other

Director

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TALLIS ALAN	
14185 DALLAS PARKWAY	

SUITE 1100 DALLAS, TX 75254

Signatures

/s/ ALAN TALLIS

08/10/2016

<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).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) The reported securities were called for redemption by the Issuer.
- (2) The redemption price was \$25.00 per share plus accrued and unpaid dividends thereon in the amount of \$0.23125 per share, for a total per-share redemption price of \$25.23125.

Special long-term incentive partnership units ("LTIP Units") in Ashford Hospitality Limited Partnership, the Issuer's operating subsidiary ("Subsidiary"). Vested LTIP Units, upon achieving parity with the Common Limited Partnership Units of the Subsidiary ("Common

- (3) Units"), are convertible into Common Units at the option of the Reporting Person. Common Units are redeemable for cash or, at the option of the Issuer, convertible into shares of the Issuer's common stock based on a conversion ratio described in the partnership agreement of Subsidiary, which, on August 9, 2016, was 0.9542660061 shares of the Issuer's common stock for each Common Unit.
- (4) The LTIP Units have no expiration date.
- (5) Includes LTIP Units previously granted to, and reported by, the Reporting Person having different grant dates, some of which have achieved parity with the Common Units.

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