Gormsen Christopher Andrew Form 4 March 05, 2018

# FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

Washington, D.C. 20549

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may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Gormsen Christopher Andrew

(First) (Middle)

C/O RLJ LODGING TRUST, 3 BETHESDA METRO CENTER.

**SUITE 1000** 

(City)

Common

Shares

(Last)

(Street)

(State)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

RLJ Lodging Trust [RLJ]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

02/22/2018

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Check all applicable)

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Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

Chief Accounting Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

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

BETHESDA, MD 20814

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

Code

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

A

Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

(1)

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4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

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

or Code V Amount (D) Price 9,478

(A)

40,891

02/22/2018

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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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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	e and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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						Exercisable	Date	Title Number			
				~					of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Plante / Plantess	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Gormsen Christopher Andrew C/O RLJ LODGING TRUST 3 BETHESDA METRO CENTER, SUITE 1000 BETHESDA, MD 20814			Chief Accounting Officer				

### **Signatures**

/s/ Anita Cooke Wells, Attorney-in-Fact 03/05/2018

\*\*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).

These common shares were issued to the reporting person pursuant to RLJ Lodging Trust 2015 Equity Incentive Plan and will vest on a quarterly basis over a four year period from the award date provided the reporting person remains employed by the Issuer through the vesting date

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