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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K/A

Amendment No. 1

CURRENT REPORT Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of The Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): July 25, 2005

HERSHA HOSPITALITY TRUST

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Maryland 001-14765 251811499

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

510 Walnut Street, 9th Floor Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19106

(Address and zip code of principal executive offices)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (215) 238-1046

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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

This Amendment No. 1 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed on July 26, 2005 by Hersha Hospitality Trust, a Maryland real estate investment trust (Hersha) is being filed to amend and restate the proforma financial information included therein to reflect the actual terms of Hersha s offering of \$60.0 million of Series A Preferred Shares of Beneficial Interest related to Hersha proposed joint venture with Waterford Hospitality Group, LLC and Mystic Hotel Investors, LLC.

Item 8.01 Other Events.

Hersha Hospitality Trust, a Maryland real estate investment trust (the Company) engaged in several acquisition, disposition and financing transactions during the three months ending June 30, 2005. Those transactions include:

the sale of the Holiday Inn Express Hotel in Long Island City, New York on May 13, 2005 for approximately \$9.0 million:

the sale of the Doubletree Club Hotel in Jamaica, New York on May 13, 2005 for approximately \$11.5 million;

the acquisition of the Hampton Inn, Herald Square in New York, New York on April 1, 2005 for approximately \$31.3 million:

the acquisition of the Brookline Courtyard by Marriott in Brookline, Massachusetts, including the hotel, improvements, certain personal property and a pre-paid ground lease for the underlying land with a remaining term of approximately 90 years, on June 16, 2005 for approximately \$54.5 million;

the acquisition of the five hotel McIntosh portfolio in May and June of 2005 for a total of \$48.9 million, plus transaction costs, which included:

- the acquisition of the Holiday Inn Express Hotel & Suites King of Prussia in King of Prussia, Pennsylvania on May 23, 2005 for approximately \$16.1 million;
- the acquisition of the Holiday Inn Express of Frazer Malvern in Frazer, Pennsylvania on May 24, 2005 for approximately \$8.2 million;
- the acquisition of the Holiday Inn Express Langhorne Oxford Valley in Langhorne, Pennsylvania on May 26, 2005 for approximately \$7.8 million; and
- the acquisition of the Courtyard by Marriott and the McIntosh Inn of Wilmington each in Wilmington, Delaware on June 17, 2005 for approximately \$16.8 million; and

the issuance of \$51.5 million of unsecured fixed/floating rate junior subordinated notes due 2035 issued by our operating partnership subsidiary to two statutory trust subsidiaries in connection with the trusts issuance and sale of \$50.0 million of fixed/floating rate trust preferred securities.

The acquisition of the Brookline Courtyard by Marriott was reported on a Current Report on Form 8-K filed on June 22, 2005, as amended by a Current Report on Form 8-K/A filed on July 20, 2005. The acquisition of the McIntosh portfolio was reported on a Current Report on Form 8-K filed on June 1, 2005, as amended by Current Reports on Form 8-K/A filed on June 23, 2005 and July 20, 2005.

In addition, the Company proposes to (a) acquire an interest in the proposed Mystic Partners joint venture with the Waterford Hospitality Group for approximately \$52.0 million and (b) conduct a public offering of \$60.0 million of

Series A Cumulative Redeemable Preferred Shares of Beneficial Interest to raise proceeds to pay the purchase price for the Company s interest in the Mystic Partners joint venture. The proposed Mystic Partners joint venture with Waterford Hospitality Group was reported on a Current Report on Form 8-K filed on June 21, 2005, as amended.

Certain of the Current Reports on Form 8-K reporting these transactions included pro forma financial information giving effect to the reported transaction. This Current Report on Form 8-K is being filed to include cumulative pro forma financial information giving effect to all the transactions described above.

Pro Forma Consolidated Balance Sheet As of March 31, 2005

(Unaudited, Dollar Amounts in Thousands Except per Share Data)

The accompanying unaudited Pro Forma Consolidated Balance Sheet as of March 31, 2005 presents acquisitions, dispositions and financing transactions that occurred after March 31, 2005, as if such acquisitions, dispositions and financing transactions and the incurrence of any acquisition-related indebtedness occurred on March 31, 2005 and includes the following on a pro forma basis:

the acquisition of:

- the Hampton Inn, Herald Square in New York, New York on April 1, 2005 for approximately \$31.3 million;
- the McIntosh Portfolio for \$48.9 million, plus transaction costs, including

the Holiday Inn Express Hotel & Suites King of Prussia in King of Prussia, Pennsylvania on May 23, 2005 for approximately \$16.1 million;

the Holiday Inn Express of Frazer Malvern in Frazer, Pennsylvania on May 24, 2005 for approximately \$8.2 million;

the Holiday Inn Express Langhorne Oxford Valley in Langhorne, Pennsylvania on May 26, 2005 for approximately \$7.8 million;

the Courtyard by Marriott and the McIntosh Inn of Wilmington each in Wilmington, Delaware on June 17, 2005 for approximately \$16.8 million; and

- the Brookline Courtyard by Marriott in Brookline, Massachusetts on June 16, 2005 for approximately \$54.5 million;

the disposition of:

- the Holiday Inn Express Hotel in Long Island City, New York on May 13, 2005 for approximately \$9.0 million:
- the Doubletree Club Hotel in Jamaica, New York on May 13, 2005 for approximately \$11.5 million;

the issuance of an aggregate of \$51.5 million of notes payable related to trust preferred securities in May 2005; Also included in this pro forma consolidated statement are the planned

sale of the Series A Preferred Shares; and

the acquisition of Hersha s interest in the Mystic Partners joint venture with Waterford.

This pro forma consolidated statement should be read in conjunction with Hersha s financial statements and related notes in our most recent Annual Report on Form 10-K and Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q and our Current Reports on Form 8-K filed in connection with certain of our recent acquisitions and joint ventures, including amendments to

Current Reports on Form 8-K/A. In management s opinion, adjustments necessary to reflect the effects of the acquisitions, dispositions and financing transactions noted above have been made based on management s best estimates.

The following unaudited Pro Forma Consolidated Balance Sheet is not necessarily indicative of what the actual financial position of Hersha would have been assuming such acquisitions, dispositions and financing transactions had been completed as of March 31, 2005, nor is it indicative of future financial positions of Hersha.

Pro Forma Consolidated Balance Sheet As of March 31, 2005

					As of Ma	ırch	31, 2005				
	(A)		(B)				(C)		(C) cquisition		
		Acquisitions, Dispositions, and Financing		Combined (dollars in			Series A Preferred Share	of Interest in Mystic			Pro Forma, As
	Actual					Offering n thousands)		Partners		adjusted	
Assets:											
Cash and Cash Equivalents Investment in Hotel	\$ 6,097	\$	14,464	\$	20,561	\$	57,935	\$	(52,048)	\$	26,448
Properties, net	171,990		131,852		303,842						303,842
Assets Held for Sale	18,806		(18,806)								
Due from Related Parties	27,849		(10,500)		17,349				53 0.40		17,349
Investment in Joint Ventures	8,725		10.000		8,725				52,048		60,773
Other Assets	22,800		12,329		35,129						35,129
Total Assets	\$ 256,267	\$	129,339	\$	385,606	\$	57,935	\$		\$	443,541
Liabilities and											
Shareholders Equity:											
Mortgages Payable	\$ 97,395	\$	89,643	\$	187,038	\$		\$		\$	187,038
Debt Related to Assets Held											
for Sale	12,952		(12,952)								
Trust Preferred Instruments			51,548		51,548						51,548
Line of Credit	400		(400)								
Other Liabilities	12,007		177		12,184						12,184
Total Liabilities	122,754		128,016		250,770						250,770
Minority Interest:	18,174		163		18,337						18,337
Shareholders Equity:	115,339		1,160		116,499		57,935				174,434
Total Liabilities and Shareholders Equity	\$ 256,267	\$	129,339	\$	385,606	\$	57,935	\$		\$	443,541

Notes and Management s Assumptions to the Pro Forma Consolidated Balance Sheet As of March 31, 2005

(Unaudited, Dollar Amounts in Thousands Except per Share Data)

- (A) Represents the unaudited Consolidated Balance Sheet of Hersha as of March 31, 2005 as filed on Form 10-Q.
- (B) Represents the following acquisitions, dispositions and finance transactions as if they had occurred on March 31, 2005:

the acquisition of:

- the Hampton Inn, Herald Square in New York, New York
- the McIntosh Portfolio,
- the Brookline Courtyard by Marriott in Brookline, Massachusetts

the disposition of:

- the Holiday Inn Express Hotel in Long Island City, New York
- the Doubletree Club Hotel in Jamaica, New York

the issuance of notes payable related to Trust preferred securities;

The following table indicates the amounts relevant to acquisition, disposition and financing transactions:

Ac	quisitions	Dispositions		Financing		Acquisitions, Dispositions, and Financing	
Φ.	(4.260)	Φ.	5.550	Φ.	10.160	Φ.	14.464
\$. , ,	\$	5,570	\$	13,163	\$	14,464 131,852
	131,032		(18,806)				(18,806)
	(10,500)		, , ,				(10,500)
	7.500		1.676		2.005		12 220
	7,368		1,676		3,085		12,329
\$	124,651	\$	(11,560)	\$	16,248	\$	129,339
\$	89,643	\$		\$		\$	89,643
	*				51,548		51,548
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Debt Related to Assets Held for Sale Line of Credit Other Liabilities	34,900 108	(35,300)	(12,952) (400) 177			
Total Liabilities	124,651	(12,883)		16,248		128,016
Minority Interest: Shareholders Equity:		163 1,160				163 1,160
Total Liabilities and Shareholders Equity	\$ 124,651	\$ (11,560)	\$	16,248	\$	129,339

⁽C) Represents the planned offering of 2.4 million shares of Series A Cumulative Redeemable Preferred Shares of beneficial interest in Hersha. Proceeds from this offering are assumed to be \$60,000, less transaction costs of \$2,065. Planned proceeds from this offering are intended to be used for the acquisition of Hersha s equity interest in Mystic Partners. Hersha s investment in Mystic Partners will be recorded under the equity method of accounting.

Pro Forma Consolidated Statement of Operations For the three months ended March 31, 2005

(Unaudited, Dollar Amounts in Thousands Except per Share Data)

The accompanying unaudited Pro Forma Consolidated Statement of Operations for the three months ended March 31, 2005 presents acquisitions, dispositions and financing transactions that occurred after March 31, 2005, as if such acquisitions, dispositions and financing transactions and the incurrence of any acquisition-related indebtedness occurred on January 1, 2005 and includes the following on a pro forma basis:

the acquisition of:

- the McIntosh Portfolio
- the Brookline Courtyard by Marriott in Brookline, Massachusetts

the issuance of an aggregate of \$51.5 million of notes payable related to trust preferred securities in May 2005; Also included in this pro forma consolidated statement are the planned

sale of the Series A Preferred Shares: and

the acquisition of Hersha's interest in the Mystic Partners joint venture with Waterford. The Hampton Inn, Herald Square in New York, New York was acquired as an asset acquisition and, as such, had no historical results at the time of acquisition. The disposition of the Holiday Inn Express Hotel in Long Island City, New York and the Doubletree Club Hotel in Jamaica, New York were accounted for as discontinued operations. Accordingly, no activity is included in Hersha's consolidated income (loss) from continuing operations. These transactions have no impact on the unaudited Pro Forma Consolidated Statement of Operations and have been excluded.

This pro forma consolidated statement should be read in conjunction with Hersha s financial statements and related notes in our most recent Annual Report on Form 10-K and Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q and our Current Reports on Form 8-K filed in connection with certain of our recent acquisitions and joint ventures, including amendments to Current Reports on Form 8-K/A. In management s opinion, adjustments necessary to reflect the effects of the acquisitions, dispositions and financing transactions noted above have been made based on management s best estimates.

The following unaudited Pro Forma Consolidated Statement of Operations is not necessarily indicative of what actual results of Hersha would have been assuming such acquisitions, dispositions and financing transactions had been completed on January 1, 2005, nor is it indicative of the results of operations for future periods.

Pro Forma Consolidated Statement of Operations For the three months ended March 31, 2005

(Unaudited, Dollar Amounts in Thousands Except per Share Data)

	(A)	For the Th (B) Acquisitions,	ree Months	Ended Mar (C)	ch 31, 2005 (D)	(E)
		Dispositions, and Trust Preferred		Series A Preferred Share	Acquisition of Interest in	Pro Forma,
	Actual	Instruments	Combined (dollars in t	Offering	Mystic	As adjusted
Revenue:			(donars in	onousunus)		
Percentage Lease Revenues HHMLP	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Hotel Operating Revenues	12,800	3,821	16,621			16,621
Total Revenue	12,800	3,821	16,621			16,621
Operating Expenses: Hotel Operating Expenses	9,278	2,344	11,622			11,622
Land Lease	183	10	193			193
Real Estate and Personal						
Property Taxes and Property Insurance	883	259	1,142			1,142
General and Administrative	990	175	1,165			1,165
Unrecognized Gain on	(4)		(4)			(4)
Derivative Depreciation and	(4)		(4)			(4)
Amortization	1,963	734	2,697			2,697
Total Operating Expenses	13,293	3,522	16,815			16,815
Operating Income (Loss)	(493)	299	(194)			(194)
Interest Income	37		37			37
Interest Income Secured Loans Related Party	1,000		1,000			1,000
Interest Income Secured	1,000		1,000			1,000
Loans						
Other Revenue Interest Expense	27 (1,875)	(1,914)	27 (3,789)			(3.789)
interest Expense	(1,0/3)	(1,914)	(3,789)			(3,789)
Loss from continuing operations before income (loss) from joint venture	(1,304)	(1,615)	(2,919)			(2,919)

investments, distributions to preferred unit holders and minority interests Income (loss) from Unconsolidated Joint Venture							
Investments	49			49		(2,849)	(2,800)
Loss from continuing operations before distributions to preferred unit holders and minority interests	(1,255)	(1,615)	(2,8	870)		(2,849)	(5,719)
Distributions to Preferred Unitholders Loss Allocated to Minority Interest in Continuing							
Operations	261	198	2	459		350	809
Income from Continuing Operations	\$ (994)	\$ (1,417)	\$ (2,4	411)	\$ \$	(2,499)	\$ (4,910)
Loss Per Share from Continuing Operations (E) Basic	\$ (0.05)						\$ (0.30)
Diluted	\$ (0.05)						\$ (0.30)
Weighted Average Common Shares Outstanding Basic Diluted	291,234 133,671						0,291,234 3,133,671

Notes and Management s Assumptions to the Pro Forma Consolidated Statement of Operations For the Three Months Ended March 31, 2005

(Unaudited, Dollar Amounts in Thousands Except per Share Data)

- (A) Represents Hersha's Consolidated Statement of Operations for the three months ended March 31, 2005 as filed on Form 10-Q, excluding discontinued operations.
- (B) Represents the following acquisitions and finance transactions as if they had occurred on January 1, 2005:

the acquisition of:

- the McIntosh Portfolio,
- the Brookline Courtyard by Marriott in Brookline, Massachusetts

the issuance of notes payable related to Trust preferred securities;

The following table indicates the amounts relevant to acquisition, disposition and financing transactions:

	Acq	uisitions	Fin	ancing	Acquisitions and Financing		
Total Revenue	\$	3,821	\$		\$	3,821	
Operating Expenses:		3,522				3,522	
Operating Income		299				299	
Interest Expense		(1,476)		(438)		(1,914)	
Loss Allocated to Minority Interest in Continuing Operations		144		54		198	
Loss from Continuing Operations	\$	(1,033)	\$	(384)	\$	(1,417)	

Adjustments were made to the historical results of the acquisitions to reflect an increase in depreciation and amortization expense over amounts recorded in historical financial statements of \$24, which is recorded in operating expense. Adjustments were also made to reflect interest expense in excess of amounts recorded in historical financial statements of \$650 to reflect the additional debt incurred by Hersha related to the acquisitions, which is recorded in interest expense.

Two \$25,774 notes payable related to trust preferred securities bearing interest at rates of 7.14% and 7.34% were issued and were used to fund acquisitions and reduce Hersha s line of credit balance. An adjustment to record interest expense for the two notes, net of interest recorded on the line of credit balance was recorded in interest expense in the amount of \$425. As a result of the issuance of notes payable related to trust preferred securities, fees of \$1,537 were incurred and are being amortized over the 30 year life of the notes payable resulting in a \$13 adjustment recorded in interest expense.

An adjustment of \$198 was recorded to reflect the loss from the acquisition and financing transactions allocable to Hersha s 12.3% Minority Interests.

- (C) The planned offering of 2.4 million shares of Hersha s Series A Preferred shares had no impact on the proforma statement of operations. See (E) for a description of the impact of dividends on the Series A Preferred Shares on earnings per share.
- (D) Represents the results of the planned acquisition of Hersha's interest in Mystic Partners, LLC. Reflected is Hersha's interest in the historical losses adjusted to reflect an increase in depreciation expense of \$333 based on Hersha's planned proportional share of the allocation of fair value and an increase in historical Interest expense of \$671 due to Hersha's portion of Mystic's planned increased debt. An adjustment of \$350 was made to record portion of Mystic's loss allocable to Hersha's Minority Interest.
- (E) The loss from continuing operations available to common shareholders used in the earnings per share calculation is reduced by the dividends on the planned offering of Series A Preferred Shares. Assuming a 8.0% dividend rate, quarterly dividends will have the following impact on loss from continuing operations available to common shareholders used to calculate earnings per share:

	Actual	Forma, Adjusted
Loss from continuing operations Less: planned preferred dividends accrued	\$ (994)	\$ (4,910) (1,200)
Loss from continuing operations available to common shareholders	\$ (994)	\$ (6,110)

For three months ended March 31, 2005, on a pro forma basis giving effect to the transactions described herein, our fixed charges and preferred stock dividends would have exceeded our earnings by approximately \$4,119, due primarily to (1) the fact that certain of the newly acquired hotels and hotels to be owned by the Mystic Partners joint venture are newly developed or newly re-branded, were closed during development or re-branding and accordingly have little or no operating results for the covered period, and (2) the seasonal variation in the performance of our hotels. Typically, our hotels have stronger performance in the second and third quarters of the year and weaker performance in the first and fourth quarters of the year. We believe this seasonality is typical in the hospitality industry generally.

Pro Forma Consolidated Statement of Operations For the year ended December 31, 2004

(Unaudited, Dollar Amounts in Thousands Except per Share Data)

The accompanying unaudited Pro Forma Consolidated Statement of Operations for the year ended December 31, 2004 presents acquisitions, dispositions and financing transactions that occurred after March 31, 2005, as if such acquisitions and financing transactions and the incurrence of any acquisition-related indebtedness occurred on January 1, 2004 and includes the following on a pro forma basis:

the acquisition of:

- the McIntosh Portfolio
- the Brookline Courtyard by Marriott in Brookline, Massachusetts

the issuance of an aggregate of \$51.5 million of notes payable related to trust preferred securities in May 2005; Also included in this pro forma consolidated statement are the planned

sale of the Series A Preferred Shares: and

the acquisition of Hersha's interest in the Mystic Partners joint venture with Waterford. The Hampton Inn, Herald Square in New York, New York was acquired as an asset acquisition and, as such, had no historical results at the time of acquisition. The disposition of the Holiday Inn Express Hotel in Long Island City, New York and the Doubletree Club Hotel in Jamaica, New York were accounted for as discontinued operations. Accordingly, no activity is included in Hersha's consolidated income (loss) from continuing operations. These transactions have no impact on the unaudited Pro Forma Consolidated Statement of Operations and have been excluded.

This pro forma consolidated statement should be read in conjunction with Hersha s financial statements and related notes in our most recent Annual Report on Form 10-K and our Current Reports on Form 8-K filed in connection with certain of our recent acquisitions and joint ventures, including amendments to Current Reports on Form 8-K/A. In management s opinion, adjustments necessary to reflect the effects of the acquisitions, dispositions and financing transactions noted above have been made based on management s best estimates.

The following unaudited Pro Forma Consolidated Statement of Operations is not necessarily indicative of what actual results of Hersha would have been assuming such acquisitions and financing transactions had been completed on January 1, 2004, nor is it indicative of the results of operations for future periods.

Pro Forma Consolidated Statement of Operations For the year ended December 31, 2004

(Unaudited, Dollar Amounts in Thousands Except per Share Data)

	For the Year Ended December 31, 2004											
		(A)		(B)				(C)	(D) Series		(E)	
				quisitions, positions, and			Acquisition of Interest in		A Preferred Share	Pr	o Forma,	
		Actual	Fi	nancing		mbined ollars in t	hou	Mystic	Offering	as	Adjusted	
Revenue:					(,		.542145)				
Percentage Lease Revenues												
HHMLP	\$	1,192	\$		\$	1,192	\$		\$	\$	1,192	
Hotel Operating Revenues		49,370		16,274		65,644					65,644	
Total Revenue		50,562		16,274		66,836					66,836	
Operating Expenses:		21 557		10 140		41.607					41.607	
Hotel Operating Expenses		31,557		10,140		41,697					41,697	
Land Lease		779		39		818					818	
Real Estate and Personal												
Property Taxes and Property		2.264		022		4 107					4.107	
Insurance		3,264		933		4,197					4,197	
General and Administrative		3,200		895		4,095					4,095	
Unrecognized Gain on		(2				(2)					60	
Derivative		62				62					62	
Depreciation and		7 10 1		2 020		10.122					10.100	
Amortization		7,194		2,939		10,133					10,133	
Total Operating Expenses		46,056		14,946		61,002					61,002	
Operating Income		4,506		1,328		5,834					5,834	
Interest Income		241				241					241	
Interest Income Secured												
Loans Related Party		1,498				1,498					1,498	
Interest Income Secured												
Loans		693				693					693	
Other Revenue		176				176					176	
Interest Expense		(6,130)		(6,838)		(12,968)					(12,968)	
Income (Loss) from continuing operations before income (loss) from joint venture investments,		984		(5,510)		(4,526)					(4,526)	

distributions to preferred unit holders and minority interests Income (loss) from Unconsolidated Joint Venture Investments	481		481	(4,555)		(4,074)
Income (Loss) from continuing operations before distributions to preferred unit holders and						
minority interests Distributions to Preferred	1,465	(5,510)	(4,045)	(4,555)		(8,600)
Unitholders Loss Allocated to Minority Interest in Continuing	(499)		(499)			(499)
Operations Operations	(126)	855	729	707		1,436
Income (Loss) from Continuing Operations	\$ 840	\$ (4,655)	\$ (3,815)	\$ (3,848)	\$	\$ (7,663)
Earnings (Loss) Per Share from Continuing Operations (E)						
Basic	\$ 0.05					\$ (0.76)
Diluted	\$ 0.05					\$ (0.76)
Weighted Average Common Shares Outstanding Basic Diluted	391,805 401,636					5,391,805 9,401,636

Notes and Management s Assumptions to the Pro Forma Consolidated Statement of Operations For the Year Ended December 31, 2004

(Unaudited, Dollar Amounts in Thousands Except per Share Data)

- (A) Represents Hersha s audited Consolidated Statement of Operations for the year ended December 31, 2004 as filed on Form 10-K, excluding discontinued operations.
- (B) Represents the following acquisitions and finance transactions as if they had occurred on January 1, 2005:

the acquisition of:

- the McIntosh Portfolio,
- the Brookline Courtyard by Marriott in Brookline, Massachusetts

the issuance of notes payable related to Trust preferred securities;

The following table indicates the amounts relevant to acquisition, disposition and financing transactions:

	Acq	uisitions	Financing	quisitions and nancing
Total Revenue	\$	16,274	\$	\$ 16,274
Operating Expenses:		14,946		14,946
Operating Income		1,328		1,328
Interest Expense Loss Allocated to Minority Interest in Continuing		(5,085)	(1,753)	(6,838)
Operations		583	272	855
Loss from Continuing Operations	\$	(3,174)	\$ (1,481)	\$ (4,655)

Adjustments were made to the historical results of the acquisitions to reflect an decrease in depreciation and amortization expense over amounts recorded in historical financial statements of \$22, which is recorded in operating expense. Adjustments were also made to reflect interest expense in excess of amounts recorded in historical financial statements of \$5,085 to reflect the additional debt incurred by Hersha related to the acquisitions, which is recorded in interest expense.

Two \$25,774 notes payable related to trust preferred securities bearing interest at rates of 7.14% and 7.34% were issued and were used to fund acquisitions and reduce Hersha s line of credit balance. An adjustment to record interest expense for the two notes, net of interest recorded on the line of credit balance was recorded in interest expense in the amount of \$1,702. As a result of the issuance of notes payable related to trust preferred securities, fees of \$1,537 were incurred and are being amortized over the 30 year life of the notes payable

resulting in a \$51 adjustment recorded in interest expense.

An adjustment of \$855 was recorded to reflect the loss from the acquisition and financing transactions allocable to Hersha s 15.5% Minority Interests.

- (C) The planned offering of 2.4 million shares of Hersha s Series A Preferred shares has no impact on the proforma statement of operations. See (E) for a description of the impact of dividends on the Series A Preferred Shares on earnings per share.
- (D) Represents the results of the planned acquisition of Hersha's interest in Mystic Partners, LLC. Reflected is Hersha's interest in the historical losses adjusted to reflect an increase in depreciation expense of \$1,297 based on Hersha's planned proportional share of the allocation of fair value and an increase in historical Interest expense of \$2,201 due to Hersha's portion of Mystic's planned increased debt. An adjustment of \$707 was made to record portion of Mystic's loss allocable to Hersha's Minority Interest.
- (E) The loss from continuing operations available to common shareholders used in the earnings per share calculation is reduced by the dividends on the planned offering of Series A Preferred Shares. Assuming a 8.0% dividend rate, annual dividends will have the following impact on loss from continuing operations available to common shareholders used to calculate earnings per share:

	A	ctual	Pro Forma, as Adjusted			
Income (Loss) from continuing operations Less: planned preferred dividends accrued	\$	840	\$	(7,663) (4,800)		
Income (Loss) from continuing operations available to common shareholders	\$	840	\$	(12,463)		

For the year ended December 31, 2004, on a pro forma basis giving effect to the transactions described herein, our fixed charges and preferred stock dividends would have exceeded our earnings by approximately \$9,543, due primarily to (1) the fact that certain of the newly acquired hotels and hotels to be owned by the Mystic Partners joint venture are newly developed or newly re-branded, were closed during development or re-branding and accordingly have little or no operating results for the covered period, and (2) the seasonal variation in the performance of our hotels. Typically, our hotels have stronger performance in the second and third quarters of the year and weaker performance in the first and fourth quarters of the year. We believe this seasonality is typical in the hospitality industry generally.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

Date: August 2, 2005

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By: /s/ Ashish R. Parikh

Ashish R. Parikh Chief Financial Officer