FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* RYAN JOSEPH J						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol RLJ Lodging Trust [RLJ]									5. Relationship (Check all app X Direct		•		(s) to Is	
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O RLJ LODGING TRUST					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/31/2016											Office below	er (give title w)		Other (specify below)	
3 BETHESDA METRO CENTER, SUITE 1000					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street) BETHESDA MD 20814															X	Form	Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(St	ate) (Zip)																	
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						r) E	2A. Deemed Execution Date, f any Month/Day/Year)			Transaction Dispos Code (Instr. 5)		ities Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			and Secu		cially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price		Transa	ransaction(s) nstr. 3 and 4)			(1130.4)
Common Shares 03/31/2						2016					1,038(1	1)	A \$22		.88	.88 47,682		D		
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. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transa Code (8)		of E		6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea		е	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		ount			9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	: t (D) direct	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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Explanation of Responses:

1. These common shares were issued to the reporting person pursuant to the RLJ Lodging Trust 2015 Equity Incentive Plan in lieu of retainer fee.

Remarks:

/s/ Anita Cooke Wells, 04/04/2016 Attorney-in-Fact

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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