

Press Release

RLJ Lodging Trust Reports Third Quarter 2013 Results

Solid 5.4% Pro forma RevPAR growth; 6.4% excluding prior year one-time events
 Completed a comprehensive \$565 million refinancing

Bethesda, MD, November 6, 2013 – RLJ Lodging Trust (the "Company") (NYSE: RLJ) today reported results for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2013.

Third Quarter Highlights

- Pro forma RevPAR increased 5.4%, Pro forma ADR increased 3.6% and Pro forma Occupancy increased 1.8%
- Excluding prior year one-time events, Pro forma RevPAR increased 6.4%
- Pro forma Consolidated Hotel EBITDA increased 5.2% to \$86.5 million
- Adjusted FFO increased 28.7% to \$65.1 million
- Completed a comprehensive \$565.0 million refinancing with expected annualized savings of approximately \$10.0 million
- Declared a cash dividend of \$0.205 per share for the quarter

"Our well-diversified portfolio continued to show expansion as we achieved broad RevPAR gains across the portfolio despite more challenging comparables and political headwinds," commented Thomas J. Baltimore, Jr., President and Chief Executive Officer. "We also made additional enhancements to our fortress balance sheet through a comprehensive \$565 million refinancing that reduced our interest expense and further staggered our debt maturities."

Financial and Operating Results

Performance metrics such as Occupancy, Average Daily Rate ("ADR"), Revenue Per Available Room ("RevPAR"), Hotel EBITDA, and Hotel EBITDA Margin are pro forma. The prefix "pro forma" as defined by the Company, denotes operating results which include results for periods prior to its ownership. Pro forma RevPAR and Pro forma Hotel EBITDA Margin are reported on a comparable basis and therefore exclude non-comparable hotels that were not open for operation or closed for renovations for comparable periods. Explanations of EBITDA, Adjusted EBITDA, Hotel EBITDA, FFO, and Adjusted FFO, as well as reconciliations of those measures to net income or loss, if applicable, are included at the end of this release.

Pro forma RevPAR for the three months ended September 30, 2013, increased 5.4% over the comparable period in 2012, driven by an increase in Pro forma ADR of 3.6% and an increase in Pro forma Occupancy of 1.8%. Excluding prior year one-time events, such as the Republican



National Convention, Pro forma RevPAR increased 6.4%. Among the Company's top six markets, the best performers in the quarter were Houston and Austin which experienced RevPAR growth of 19.1% and 12.0%, respectively. For the nine months ended September 30, 2013, Pro forma RevPAR increased 8.2% over the comparable period in 2012, driven by an increase in Pro forma ADR of 5.6% and an increase in Pro forma Occupancy of 2.5%.

Pro forma Hotel EBITDA Margin for the three months ended September 30, 2013, decreased 17 basis points over the comparable period in 2012 to 34.5%. Excluding the impact of the new ground lease entered into upon acquiring the Courtyard Waikiki Beach, Pro forma Hotel EBITDA Margin increased 20 basis points. For the nine months ended September 30, 2013, Pro forma Hotel EBITDA Margin increased 82 basis points over the comparable period in 2012 to 34.7%.

Pro forma Consolidated Hotel EBITDA includes the results of non-comparable hotels. For the three months ended September 30, 2013, Pro forma Consolidated Hotel EBITDA increased \$4.3 million to \$86.5 million, representing a 5.2% increase over the comparable period in 2012. For the nine months ended September 30, 2013, Pro forma Consolidated Hotel EBITDA increased \$25.6 million to \$257.8 million, representing an 11.0% increase over the comparable period in 2012.

Adjusted EBITDA for the three months ended September 30, 2013, increased \$9.1 million to \$80.8 million, representing a 12.7% increase over the comparable period in 2012. For the nine months ended September 30, 2013, Adjusted EBITDA increased \$37.1 million to \$234.2 million, representing an increase of 18.8% over the comparable period in 2012.

Adjusted FFO for the three months ended September 30, 2013, increased \$14.5 million to \$65.1 million, representing a 28.7% increase over the comparable period in 2012. For the nine months ended September 30, 2013, Adjusted FFO increased \$49.0 million to \$183.9 million, representing a 36.4% increase over the comparable period in 2012. Adjusted FFO per diluted share and unit for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2013, was \$0.53 and \$1.55, respectively, based on the Company's diluted weighted-average common shares and units outstanding of 123.6 million and 118.7 million for each period, respectively.

Non-recurring items for the three months ended September 30, 2013, include \$1.0 million related to accelerated amortization of deferred financing fees, a gain of \$4.8 million related to the acquisition of the Residence Inn Atlanta Midtown/Historic through a foreclosure sale, a gain of \$3.3 million related to the extinguishment of indebtedness from the Courtyard Goshen, and \$0.1 million of accelerated deferred management fees related to assets disposed.



Non-recurring items are included in net income attributable to common shareholders but have been excluded from Adjusted EBITDA and Adjusted FFO, as applicable. A complete listing is provided in the Non-GAAP reconciliation tables for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2013 and 2012.

Net income attributable to common shareholders for the three months ended September 30, 2013, was \$36.5 million compared to \$15.2 million in the comparable period in 2012. For the nine months ended September 30, 2013, net income attributable to common shareholders was \$85.5 million compared to \$27.6 million in the comparable period in 2012.

Net cash flow from operating activities for the nine months ended September 30, 2013, totaled \$185.2 million compared to \$123.7 million for the comparable period in 2012.

Acquisitions/Dispositions

During the three months ended September 30, 2013, the Company acquired the 78-room Residence Inn Atlanta Midtown/Historic, Georgia. The Company purchased a mortgage loan collateralized by the hotel for approximately \$5.0 million in November 2009. After the borrower defaulted on the loan early in 2013, the Company acquired the asset through a foreclosure sale on August 6, 2013. The hotel was closed subsequent to the acquisition and will undergo a comprehensive renovation that is expected to be completed by the third quarter of 2014. The total investment, including capital expenditures, is expected to represent a forward capitalization rate of approximately 12% based on the hotel's projected 2015 net operating income.

During the quarter, the Company also disposed of one hotel. On August 28, 2013, the Courtyard Goshen, Indiana was transferred to an affiliate of its lender through a foreclosure auction. The Company removed the hotel's net assets and liabilities from its combined consolidated balance sheet and recorded a gain on extinguishment of indebtedness of approximately \$3.3 million to discontinued operations.

Subsequent Events

On October 8, 2013, the Company acquired the 106-room SpringHill Suites Portland Hillsboro, Oregon for a purchase price of \$24.0 million, or approximately \$226,000 per key. The purchase price represents a forward capitalization rate of approximately 10% based on the hotel's projected 2014 net operating income.

Balance Sheet and Capital Expenditures

The Company successfully refinanced approximately \$565.0 million of secured debt using proceeds from a new \$350.0 million five-year unsecured term loan, a \$100.0 million expansion of its seven-year unsecured term loan, and a \$115.0 million draw on its existing revolving credit



facility. The revolving credit facility was subsequently repaid with proceeds from a \$150.0 million secured debt financing. The Company also executed interest rate swaps on the new floating rate debt. As a result of this comprehensive refinancing, the Company expects to realize approximately \$10.0 million of interest expense savings in 2014.

As of September 30, 2013, the Company had \$343.5 million of unrestricted cash on its balance sheet, \$300.0 million available on its revolving credit facility, and \$1.4 billion of outstanding debt. The Company's ratio of net debt to Adjusted EBITDA for the trailing twelve month period was 3.4 times.

The Company's capital plan to renovate 25 hotels for approximately \$40.0 million to \$45.0 million is underway, with most of the renovations taking place currently in the fourth quarter.

Dividends

The Company's Board of Trustees declared a cash dividend of \$0.205 per common share of beneficial interest in the third quarter. The dividend was paid on October 15, 2013, to shareholders of record as of September 30, 2013.

2013 Outlook

The Company is tightening its previously issued guidance. The outlook excludes potential future acquisitions and dispositions, which could result in a material change to the Company's outlook. The 2013 outlook is also based on a number of other assumptions, many of which are outside the Company's control and all of which are subject to change. Pro forma operating statistics include results for periods prior to the Company's ownership and therefore assume the hotels were owned since January 1, 2012. Pro forma Consolidated Hotel EBITDA includes approximately \$6.3 million of prior ownership Hotel EBITDA from hotel acquisitions made in the first nine months of 2013 that is not included in the Company's corporate Adjusted EBITDA or Adjusted FFO. Pro forma guidance provided does not include the Company's recent SpringHill Suites Portland Hillsboro acquisition which was completed subsequent to quarter end. For the full year 2013, the Company anticipates:

Metric	Current Outlook	Prior Outlook
Pro forma RevPAR growth (1)	6.5% to 7.5%	6.5% to 8.0%
Pro forma Hotel EBITDA Margin (1)	34.0% to 35.0%	34.0% to 35.0%
Pro forma Consolidated Hotel EBITDA	\$328.0M to \$348.0M	\$328.0M to \$348.0M
Corporate Cash General and Administrative expenses	\$23.5M to \$24.5M	\$23.5M to \$24.5M

⁽¹⁾ Results exclude two hotel conversions and two non-comparable hotels, the Hotel Indigo New Orleans Garden District and the Residence Inn Atlanta Midtown/Historic. The Hotel Indigo New Orleans Garden District was closed for most of 2012 due to a brand conversion upgrade. The Residence Inn Atlanta Midtown/Historic is currently closed for renovations.



Earnings Call

The Company will conduct its quarterly analyst and investor conference call on November 7, 2013, at 10:00 a.m. (Eastern Time). The conference call can be accessed by dialing (877) 705-6003 or (201) 493-6725 for international participants and requesting RLJ Lodging Trust's third quarter earnings conference call. Additionally, a live webcast of the conference call will be available through the Company's website at http://rljlodgingtrust.com. A replay of the conference call will be archived and available online through the Investor Relations section of the Company's website.

About Us

RLJ Lodging Trust is a self-advised, publicly traded real estate investment trust focused on acquiring premium-branded, focused-service and compact full-service hotels. The Company owns 150 properties, comprised of 148 hotels with approximately 22,400 rooms and two planned hotel conversions, located in 23 states and the District of Columbia.

Forward Looking Statements

The following information contains certain statements, other than purely historical information, including estimates, projections, statements relating to the Company's business plans, objectives and expected operating results, and the assumptions upon which those statements are based, that are "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995, Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. These forward-looking statements generally are identified by the use of the words "believe," "project," "expect," "anticipate," "estimate," "plan," "may," "will," "will continue," "intend," "should," "may" or similar expressions. Although the Company believes that the expectations reflected in such forward-looking statements are based upon reasonable assumptions, beliefs and expectations, such forward-looking statements are not predictions of future events or guarantees of future performance and the Company's actual results could differ materially from those set forth in the forward-looking statements. Some factors that might cause such a difference include the following: the current global economic uncertainty, increased direct competition, changes in government regulations or accounting rules, changes in local, national and global real estate conditions, declines in the lodging industry, seasonality of the lodging industry, risks related to natural disasters, such as earthquakes and hurricanes, hostilities, including future terrorist attacks or fear of hostilities that affect travel, the Company's ability to obtain lines of credit or permanent financing on satisfactory terms, changes in interest rates, access to capital through offerings of the Company's common and preferred shares of beneficial interest, or debt, the Company's ability to identify suitable acquisitions, the Company's ability to close on identified acquisitions and integrate those businesses and inaccuracies of the Company's accounting estimates. Given these uncertainties, undue reliance should not be placed on such statements. Except as required by law, the Company undertakes no obligation to update or revise publicly any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise. The Company cautions investors not to place undue reliance on these forward-looking statements and urge investors to carefully review the disclosures the Company makes concerning risks and uncertainties in the sections entitled "Risk Factors," "Forward-Looking Statements," and "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations" in the Company's Annual Report, as well as risks, uncertainties and other factors discussed in other documents filed by the Company with the SEC.

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RLJ Lodging Trust Non-GAAP Definitions

Non-Generally Accepted Accounting Principles ("GAAP") Financial Measures

The Company considers the following non-GAAP financial measures useful to investors as key supplemental measures of its performance: (1) FFO, (2) Adjusted FFO, (3) EBITDA, (4) Adjusted EBITDA, and (5) Hotel EBITDA. These non-GAAP financial measures should be considered along with, but not as alternatives to, net income or loss as a measure of its operating performance. FFO, Adjusted FFO, EBITDA, Adjusted EBITDA, and Hotel EBITDA as calculated by the Company, may not be comparable to other companies that do not define such terms exactly as the Company.

Funds From Operations ("FFO")

The Company calculates FFO in accordance with standards established by the National Association of Real Estate Investment Trusts, or NAREIT, which defines FFO as net income or loss (calculated in accordance with GAAP), excluding gains or losses from sales of real estate, impairment, items classified by GAAP as extraordinary, the cumulative effect of changes in accounting principles, plus depreciation and amortization, and adjustments for unconsolidated partnerships and joint ventures. Historical cost accounting for real estate assets implicitly assumes that the value of real estate assets diminishes predictably over time. Since real estate values instead have historically risen or fallen with market conditions, most real estate industry investors consider FFO to be helpful in evaluating a real estate company's operations. The Company believes that the presentation of FFO provides useful information to investors regarding the Company's operating performance and can facilitate comparisons of operating performance between periods and between real estate investment trusts ("REITs"), even though FFO does not represent an amount that accrues directly to common shareholders.

The Company's calculation of FFO may not be comparable to measures calculated by other companies who do not use the NAREIT definition of FFO or do not calculate FFO per diluted share in accordance with NAREIT guidance. Additionally, FFO may not be helpful when comparing the Company to non-REITs. The Company presents FFO attributable to common shareholders, which includes units of limited partnership interest ("OP units") in RLJ Lodging Trust, L.P., the Company's operating partnership, because the OP units are redeemable for common shares of the Company. The Company believes it is meaningful for the investor to understand FFO attributable to all common shares and OP units.

Earnings Before Interest, Taxes, Depreciation and Amortization ("EBITDA")

EBITDA is defined as net income or loss excluding: (1) interest expense; (2) provision for income taxes, including income taxes applicable to sales of assets; and (3) depreciation and



amortization. The Company considers EBITDA useful to an investor in evaluating and facilitating comparisons of its operating performance between periods and between REITs by removing the impact of its capital structure (primarily interest expense) and asset base (primarily depreciation and amortization) from its operating results. In addition, EBITDA is used as one measure in determining the value of hotel acquisitions and dispositions. The Company presents EBITDA attributable to common shareholders, which includes OP units, because the OP units are redeemable for common shares of the Company. The Company believes it is meaningful for the investor to understand EBITDA attributable to all common shares and OP units.

Hotel EBITDA

With respect to Hotel EBITDA, the Company believes that excluding the effect of corporate-level expenses, certain non-cash items, and the portion of these items related to unconsolidated entities, provides a more complete understanding of the operating results over which individual hotels and operators have direct control. The Company believes property-level results provide investors with supplemental information about the ongoing operational performance of the Company's hotels and the effectiveness of third-party management companies operating the Company's business on a property-level basis.

Pro forma Hotel EBITDA includes hotel results from prior ownership periods and excludes non-comparable hotels which were not open for operation or were closed for renovations for comparable periods. Pro forma Consolidated Hotel EBITDA includes hotel results from prior ownership periods and includes the results of non-comparable hotels which were not open for operation or were closed for renovations during the comparable periods.

Adjustments to FFO and EBITDA

The Company adjusts FFO and EBITDA for certain additional items, such as hotel transaction and pursuit costs, the amortization of share based compensation, and certain other expenses that the Company considers outside the normal course of business. The Company believes that Adjusted FFO and Adjusted EBITDA provide useful supplemental information to investors regarding its ongoing operating performance that, when considered with net income, EBITDA and FFO, is beneficial to an investor's understanding of its operating performance. The Company adjusts EBITDA and FFO for the following items, as applicable:

- *Transaction and Pursuit Costs:* The Company excludes transaction and pursuit costs expensed during the period because it believes they do not reflect the underlying performance of the Company.
- *Certain Non-Cash Expenses:* The Company excludes the effect of certain non-cash items because it believes they do not reflect the underlying performance of the Company. In 2013 and 2012, the Company excluded the amortization of share based compensation. In

- 2013, the Company excluded non-cash gains on the extinguishment of indebtedness related to the disposition of two hotels, a gain on the acquisition of a hotel through foreclosure sale, the acceleration of deferred financing fees, and the acceleration of deferred management fees. In 2012, the Company excluded a non-cash loss on disposal of furniture, fixtures, and equipment associated with assets under renovation.
- Other Non-Operational Expenses: The Company excludes the effect of certain nonoperational expenses because it believes they do not reflect the underlying performance
 of the Company. In 2013 and 2012, the Company excluded legal expenses it considered
 outside the normal course of business. In 2012, the Company excluded default interest
 and penalties incurred in connection with the SpringHill Suites Southfield, Michigan
 mortgage loan.



RLJ Lodging Trust Combined Consolidated Balance Sheets

(Amounts in thousands, except share and per share data)

	Sej	ptember 30, 2013	Dec	cember 31, 2012
	(1	unaudited)		
Assets				
Investment in hotel and other properties, net	\$	3,212,289	\$	3,073,483
Investment in loans		7,592		12,426
Cash and cash equivalents		343,526		115,861
Restricted cash reserves		53,802		64,787
Hotel and other receivables, net of allowance of \$233 and \$194, respectively		32,629		22,738
Deferred financing costs, net		12,283		11,131
Deferred income tax asset		2,488		2,206
Purchase deposits		7,996		9,910
Prepaid expense and other assets		33,050		33,843
Total assets	\$	3,705,655	\$	3,346,385
Liabilities and Equity				
Borrowings under revolving credit facility	\$	-	\$	16,000
Mortgage loans		561,256		997,651
Termloans		850,000		400,000
Accounts payable and accrued expense		108,201		87,575
Deferred income tax liability		4,030		4,064
Advance deposits and deferred revenue		12,542		8,508
Accrued interest		2,514		2,284
Distributions payable		26,308		22,392
Total liabilities		1,564,851		1,538,474
Equity				
Shareholders' equity:				
Preferred shares of beneficial interest, \$0.01 par value, 50,000,000 shares authorized; zero shares issued and outstanding at September 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012, respectively.		-		_
Common shares of beneficial interest, \$0.01 par value, 450,000,000 shares authorized; 122,687,633 and 106,565,516 shares issued and outstanding at September 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012, respectively.		1 227		1.066
		1,227		1,066
Additional paid-in-capital		2,175,749		1,841,449
Accumulated other comprehensive income		(11,429)		(50, (01)
Distributions in excess of net earnings		(43,291)		(52,681)
Total shareholders' equity		2,122,256		1,789,834
Noncontrolling interest		7.007		
Noncontrolling interest in joint venture		7,087		6,766
Noncontrolling interest in Operating Partnership		11,461		11,311
Total noncontrolling interest		18,548		18,077
Total equity		2,140,804		1,807,911
Total liabilities and equity	\$	3,705,655	\$	3,346,385

RLJ Lodging Trust

Combined Consolidated Statements of Operations

(Amounts in thousands, except share and per share data) (unaudited)

	F	or the three			For the nine months ended				
		Septem	iber		_	Septen	ıber		
n		2013		2012		2013		2012	
Revenue									
Operating revenue	Φ.	221 505	Φ.	106.640	Φ.	625.055	Ф	5.40.520	
Roomrevenue	\$	221,597	\$	196,642	\$	635,975	\$	548,539	
Food and beverage revenue		22,907		21,345		71,206		63,231	
Other operating department revenue		7,891	_	6,263	_	21,450	_	17,360	
Total revenue	\$	252,395	\$	224,250	\$	728,631	\$	629,130	
Expense									
Operating expense									
Roomexpense		49,497		43,299		139,858		120,755	
Food and beverage expense		16,629		15,135		50,406		45,045	
Management fee expense		8,783		7,877		25,554		21,760	
Other operating expense		74,631		67,098		214,330		190,091	
Total property operating expense		149,540		133,409		430,148		377,651	
Depreciation and amortization		31,575		30,737		94,819		95,681	
Impairment loss		-		896		-		896	
Property tax, insurance and other		16,651		14,175		47,929		39,180	
General and administrative		8,969		8,101		26,861		22,809	
Transaction and pursuit costs		478		326		2,822		3,140	
Total operating expense	,	207,213		187,644		602,579		539,357	
Operating income		45,182		36,606		126,052		89,773	
Other income		164		68		334		258	
Interest income		241		416		777		1,253	
Interest expense		(16,511)		(20,723)		(50,171)		(61,029	
Loss on disposal		-		-		-		(634	
Gain on foreclosure		4,831		-		4,831		-	
Income from continuing operations before income tax expense		33,907		16,367		81,823		29,621	
Income tax expense		(181)		(339)		(752)		(1,214	
Income from continuing operations		33,726		16,028		81,071		28,407	
Income (loss) from discontinued operations		3,202		(727)		5,426		(1,008)	
Net income		36,928		15,301		86,497		27,399	
Net (income) loss attributable to non-controlling interests									
Noncontrolling interest in consolidated joint venture		(166)		44		(321)		452	
Noncontrolling interest in common units of Operating Partnership		(293)		(149)		(700)		(283	
Net income attributable to common shareholders	\$	36,469	\$	15,196	\$	85,476	\$	27,568	
Basic per common share data:									
Net income per share attributable to common shareholders before									
discontinued operations	\$	0.27	\$	0.15	\$	0.68	\$	0.27	
Discontinued operations		0.03		(0.01)		0.05		(0.01	
Net income per share attributable to common shareholders	\$	0.30	\$	0.14	\$	0.73	\$	0.26	
Weighted-average number of common shares		21,594,219	÷	105,453,978	_	116,697,417	一	105,392,071	
Diluted per common share data:		.,,	_	,,	_	-,,,	_	52,22,071	
Net income per share attributable to common shareholders before									
discontinued operations	\$	0.27	\$	0.15	\$	0.67	\$	0.27	
Discontinued operations		0.03		(0.01)		0.05		(0.01	
Net income per share attributable to common shareholders	\$	0.30	\$	0.14	\$	0.72	\$	0.26	
Weighted-average number of common shares		22,750,121		105,509,104	_	117,797,670		105,446,211	

RLJ Lodging Trust Reconciliation of Net Income to Non-GAAP Measures

(Amounts in thousands, except per share data)
(unaudited)

Funds From Operations (FFO)

	F	or the three	mon	ths ended	For the nine months ended					
		Septem	ber.	30,	September 30,					
		2013		2012		2013		2012		
Net income	\$	36,928	\$	15,301	\$	86,497	\$	27,399		
Depreciation and amortization		31,575		30,737		94,819		95,681		
Loss on disposal		-		-		-		634		
Gain on extinguishment of indebtedness (1)		(3,277)		-		(5,702)		-		
Impairment loss		-		896		-		896		
Noncontrolling interest in joint venture		(166)		44		(321)		452		
Adjustments related to discontinued operations (2)		11		74		120		281		
Adjustments related to joint venture (3)		(121)		(119)		(363)		(330)		
FFO attributable to common shareholders		64,950		46,933		175,050		125,013		
Gain on foreclosure		(4,831)		-		(4,831)		-		
Transaction and pursuit costs		478		326		2,822		3,140		
Amortization of share based compensation		3,344		2,550		9,691		5,763		
Loan related costs (4)(5)		1,046		669		1,046		669		
Other expenses (6)		133		125		157		302		
Adjusted FFO	\$	65,120	\$	50,603	\$	183,935	\$	134,887		
Adjusted FFO per common share and unit-basic	\$	0.53	\$	0.48	\$	1.56	\$	1.27		
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Adjusted FFO per common share and unit-diluted	\$	0.53	\$	0.48	\$	1.55	\$	1.27		
Basic weighted-average common shares and units (7)		122,488		106,348		117,591		106,286		
Diluted weighted-average common shares and units (7		123,644		106,403		118,692		106,340		

⁽¹⁾ Represents the gain on extinguishment of indebtedness from the SpringHill Suites Southfield, Michigan and Courtyard Goshen, Indiana. The gain is included in discontinued operations.

⁽²⁾ Includes depreciation and amortization expense from discontinued operations.

⁽³⁾ Includes depreciation and amortization expense allocated to the noncontrolling interest in the joint venture.

⁽⁴⁾ Represents accelerated amortization of deferred financing fees related to the paydown of mortgage indebtedness for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2013, respectively.

⁽⁵⁾ Represents default interest and penalties incurred in connection with the SpringHill Suites Southfield, Michigan mortgage loan for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2012, respectively.

⁽⁶⁾ Represents accelerated deferred management fees related to the Courtyard Goshen, Indiana and the SpringHill Suites Southfield, Michigan and legal expenses outside the normal course of operations.

⁽⁷⁾ Includes 0.9 million operating partnership units.

RLJ Lodging Trust Reconciliation of Net Income to Non-GAAP Measures

(Amounts in thousands) (unaudited)

Earnings Before Interest, Taxes, Depreciation and Amortization (EBITDA)

, , ,	F	or the thre	ee m	onths ended	Fo	or the nine	mor	ths ended
		Septe	embe	er 30,		Septen	ıber	30,
		2013		2012		2013		2012
Net income	\$	36,928	\$	15,301	\$	86,497	\$	27,399
Depreciation and amortization		31,575		30,737		94,819		95,681
Interest expense, net (1)		16,501		20,715		50,149		60,999
Income tax expense		181		339		752		1,214
Noncontrolling interest in joint venture		(166)		44		(321)		452
Adjustments related to discontinued operations (2)		42		949		492		1,405
Adjustments related to joint venture (3)		(121)		(295)		(363)		(854)
EBITDA		84,940		67,790		232,025		186,296
Gain on foreclosure		(4,831)		-		(4,831)		-
Transaction and pursuit costs		478		326		2,822		3,140
Gain on extinguishment of indebtedness (4)		(3,277)		-		(5,702)		-
Impairment loss		-		896		-		896
Loss on disposal		-		-		-		634
Amortization of share based compensation		3,344		2,550		9,691		5,763
Other expenses (5)		133		125		157		302
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	80,787	\$	71,687	\$	234,162	\$	197,031
General and administrative (6)		5,624		5,552		17,170		17,046
Other income/interest income		(395)		(476)		(1,089)		(1,481)
Corporate overhead allocated to properties		130		167		432		475
Operating results from discontinued operations		(99)		(222)		(348)		(396)
Apartment income		(188)		-		(420)		-
Operating results from noncontrolling interest in joint venture	,	287		251		684		402
Pro forma adjustments (7)		69		5,071		6,327		18,460
Non-cash amortization (8)		297		215		891		699
Pro forma Consolidated Hotel EBITDA		86,512		82,245		257,809		232,236
Non-comparable hotels (9)		(133)		(18)		(1,304)		(387)
Pro forma Hotel EBITDA	\$	86,379			\$	256,505	\$	231,849

- (1) Excludes amounts attributable to investment in loans of \$0.2 million and \$0.8 million for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2013, respectively and \$0.4 million and \$1.2 million for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2012, respectively.
- (2) Includes depreciation, amortization and interest expense from discontinued operations.
- (3) Includes depreciation, amortization and interest expense allocated to the noncontrolling interest in the joint venture.
- (4) Represents the gain on extinguishment of indebtedness from the SpringHill Suites Southfield, Michigan and Courtyard Goshen, Indiana. The gain is included in discontinued operations.
- (5) Represents accelerated deferred management fees related to the Courtyard Goshen, Indiana and the SpringHill Suites Southfield, Michigan and legal expenses outside the normal course of operations.
- (6) General and administrative expenses exclude amortization of share based compensation, which is reflected in Adjusted EBITDA.
- (7) Reflects prior ownership results of recent acquisitions.
- (8) Non-cash amortization includes the amortization of deferred management, franchise fees, and key money.
- (9) Results primarily reflect the Hotel Indigo New Orleans Garden District and the Residence Inn Atlanta Midtown/Historic. The Hotel Indigo New Orleans reopened in December 2012. The Residence Inn Atlanta Midtown/Historic is currently closed and will be undergoing a comprehensive renovation. Therefore the results for both hotels have been excluded from 2013 and 2012.

RLJ Lodging Trust Consolidated Debt Summary

(Amounts in thousands, except metrics) (unaudited)

Loan	Base Term (Years)	Maturity (incl. extensions)	Floating / Fixed	Interest Rate (1)	Balance as of September 30, 2013
Secured Debt					
Wells Fargo - 4 hotels	3	Oct 2016	Floating	3.78%	\$ 73,500
Wells Fargo - 1 hotel	3	Oct 2016	Floating (2)(3)	4.60%	68,500
Capmark Financial Group - 1 hotel	10	Apr 2015	Fixed	6.12%	4,102
Capmark Financial Group - 1 hotel	10	May 2015	Fixed	5.55%	11,013
Capmark Financial Group - 1 hotel	10	Jun 2015	Fixed	5.55%	4,777
Barclay's Bank - 14 hotels	10	Jun 2015	Fixed	5.55%	119,203
Barclay's Bank - 4 hotels	10	Jun 2015	Fixed	5.60%	28,044
Capmark Financial Group - 1 hotel	10	Jul 2015	Fixed	5.50%	6,506
Barclay's Bank - 1 hotel	10	Sep 2015	Fixed	5.44%	10,611
PNC Bank - 7 hotels	4	May 2017	Floating	2.53%	85,000
Wells Fargo - 4 hotels	3	Sep 2020	Floating (2)	4.19%	150,000
Weighted Average/Secured Total				4.39%	\$ 561,256
Unsecured Debt					
Credit Facility	4	Nov 2017	Floating	1.93%	-
Five-Year Term Loan	5	Nov 2017	Floating (2)(4)	1.88%	275,000
Five-Year Term Loan	5	Aug 2018	Floating (2)	3.25%	350,000
Seven-Year Term Loan	7	Nov 2019	Floating (2)	4.04%	225,000
Weighted Average/Unsecured Total			•	3.01%	\$ 850,000
Total Consolidated Debt				3.56%	\$ 1,411,256

Note

⁽¹⁾ Interest rates include the effect of interest rate swaps as of September 30, 2013.

⁽²⁾ The floating interest rate is hedged with an interest rate swap.

⁽³⁾ The interest rate swap expired October 2013.

⁽⁴⁾ Interest rate does not reflect the forward interest rate swap, which goes into effect in December 2014.

RLJ Lodging Trust Acquisitions

(unaudited)

2013 Acquisitions	Location	Acquisition	Management Company	Rooms	Gross	%	
		Date			Purchase	Interest	
					Price		
Courtyard Houston Downtown	Houston, TX	Mar 19, 2013	White Lodging Services	191	\$ 34.4	100%	
Residence Inn Houston Downtown	Houston, TX	Mar 19, 2013	White Lodging Services	171	29.5	100%	
Humble Tower Apartments (1)	Houston, TX	Mar 19, 2013	The Sterling Group	82	15.6	100%	
Courtyard Waikiki Beach	Honolulu, HI	Jun 17, 2013	Highgate Hotels	399	75.3	100%	
Vantaggio Suites Cosmo (2)	San Francisco, CA	Jun 21, 2013	N/A	150	29.5	100%	
Residence Inn Atlanta Midtown/Historic (3)	Atlanta, GA	Aug 6, 2013	N/A	78	5.0	100%	
Hilton Cabana Miami Beach (4)	Miami Beach, FL	N/A	N/A	N/A	71.6	100%	
Total Acquisitions				1,071	\$ 260.9		
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2012 Acquisitions	Location	Acquisition Date	Management Company	Rooms	Gro Purc		% Interest
					Pri	ice	
Residence Inn Bethesda Downtown	Bethesda, MD	May 29, 2012	Marriott International	187	\$	64.5	100%
Courtyard New York Manhattan/Upper East Side	New York, NY	May 30, 2012	Highgate Hotels	226		82.0	100%
Hilton Garden Inn San Francisco/Oakland Bay Bridge	Emeryville, CA	Jun 11, 2012	Davidson Hotels & Resorts	278		36.2	100%
Embassy Suites Boston/Waltham	Waltham, MA	Nov 13, 2012	HEI Hotels and Resorts	275		64.5	100%
Total Acquisitions			•	966	\$ 2	47.2	
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- (1) This asset will undergo a conversion to a 166-room SpringHill Suites that is expected to be complete by mid-2015.
- (2) This property is currently closed to undergo a conversion to a 150-room Courtyard by Marriott that is expected to be completed by late 2014.
- (3) Purchase price reflects original investment in the mortgage note. The hotel was closed subsequent to the acquisition and will undergo a comprehensive renovation.
- (4) On November 30, 2012, the Company signed a purchase and sale agreement to acquire upon completion the 231-room Hilton Cabana Miami Beach for a fixed purchase price of \$71.6 million, or approximately \$310,000 per key. The transaction is expected to close in the fourth quarter of 2013 or early 2014.

RLJ Lodging Trust Pro forma Operating Statistics — Top 40 Assets

(Amounts in thousands, except rooms) (unaudited)

For the trailing twelve months ended September 30, 2013

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			Consolidated Hotel
Property	City/State	Rooms	EBITDA
DoubleTree Metropolitan	New York, NY	764	\$ 21,528
Marriott Louis ville Downtown	Louisville, KY	616	14,461
Hilton New York Fashion District	New York, NY	280	12,020
Hilton Garden Inn New York	New York, NY	298	11,689
Courtyard Austin Downtown	Austin, TX	270	9,261
Courtyard Waikiki Beach (1)	Honolulu - Oahu, HI	399	8,268
Courtyard Chicago Downtown Mag Mile	Chicago, IL	306	7,682
Courtyard Upper East Side	New York, NY	226	5,857
Fairfield Inn Washington DC	Washington, DC	198	5,551
Renaissance Pittsburgh	Pittsburgh, PA	300	5,516
Embassy Suites Tampa Downtown	Tampa, FL	360	5,423
Embassy Suites Waltham	Waltham, MA	275	5,344
Marriott Denver South at Park Meadow	Littleton, CO	279	5,102
Residence Inn Bethesda	Bethesda, MD	187	4,951
Homewood Suites Washington DC	Washington, DC	175	4,666
Residence Inn Austin Downtown	Austin, TX	179	4,586
Marriott Denver International Airport	Aurora, CO	238	4,473
Hilton Garden Inn Emeryville	Emeryville, CA	278	4,473
•	Hollywood, CA	160	4,421 4,187
Hilton Garden Inn Los Angeles Hollywood	•	190	*
Courtyard Houston Galleria	Houston, TX		4,180
Residence Inn National Harbor	Oxon Hill, MD	162	3,949
Courtyard Houston Downtown	Houston, TX	191	3,747
Hilton Garden Inn New Orleans Convention Center	New Orleans, LA	286	3,641
Embassy Suites Downey	Downey, CA	219	3,621
Renaissance Plantation	Plantation, FL	250	3,576
Renaissance Boulder Suites at Flatiron	Broomfield, CO	232	3,540
Courtyard Charleston Historic District	Charleston, SC	176	3,461
Hampton Inn Garden City	Garden City, NY	143	3,381
Residence Inn Houston Downtown	Houston, TX	171	3,196
Marriott Airport Austin South	Austin, TX	211	3,194
Residence Inn Galleria	Houston, TX	146	3,172
Residence Inn Oakbrook	Oak Brook, IL	156	3,115
Hilton Garden Inn Bloomington	Bloomington, IN	168	2,883
Residence Inn Downtown Louisville	Louisville, KY	140	2,796
Hilton Garden Inn Pittsburgh	Pittsburgh, PA	202	2,769
Fairfield Inn & Suites Key West	Key West, FL	106	2,721
Hyatt House Dallas Lincoln Park	Dallas, TX	155	2,445
Marriott Midway	Chicago, IL	200	2,408
Hampton Inn Houston Galleria	Houston, TX	176	2,222
Embassy Suites West Palm Beach	West Palm Beach, FL	194	2,132
Top 40 Assets		9,662	211,133
Other (2)		12,619	127,947
Total Portfolio		22,281	\$ 339,080

Note

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⁽¹⁾ The trailing twelve months for the Courtyard Waikiki Beach do not include ground lease payments for periods prior to the Company's ownership.

The Company entered into a ground lease upon acquisition, with an annual ground rent amount of \$3.5 million through 2016 and subject to CPI increases thereafter.

⁽²⁾ All results exclude hotels in discontinued operations and two planned hotel conversions.

RLJ Lodging Trust Pro forma Operating Statistics

(unaudited)

For the three months ended September 30, 2013

													% of Hotel
Top Markets		C	occupanc;	y			ADR			R	EBITDA		
	# of Hotels	2013	2012	Var	2	013	2012	Var	2013		2012	Var	Q3
NYC	5	97.5%	96.0%	1.6%	\$:	243.70	\$ 231.75	5.2%	\$ 237.	66	\$ 222.39	6.9%	16%
Chicago	21	79.9%	79.5%	0.4%		131.86	129.26	2.0%	105.	30	102.82	2.4%	13%
Austin	17	71.8%	68.0%	5.5%		124.85	117.61	6.2%	89.	60	80.00	12.0%	8%
Denver	15	83.6%	78.9%	6.0%		126.39	123.04	2.7%	105.	63	97.04	8.9%	12%
Houston	8	72.9%	71.0%	2.6%		143.32	123.49	16.1%	104.	42	87.66	19.1%	5%
Washington DC	7	76.8%	84.4%	(9.0%)		161.22	161.43	(0.1%)	123.	78	136.23	(9.1%)	6%
Other	72	76.1%	74.8%	1.7%		121.86	118.73	2.6%	92.	76	88.84	4.4%	40%
Total	145	78.3%	77.0%	1.8%	\$ 1	38.66	\$ 133.86	3.6%	\$ 108.	63	\$ 103.06	5.4%	100%

Service Level		c	Occupancy	y		ADR				RevPAR		% of Hotel EBITDA
·	# of Hotels	2013	2012	Var	2013	2012	Var	2	2013	2012	Var	Q3
Focused-Service	124	77.7%	76.7%	1.2%	\$ 130.54	\$ 125.79	3.8%	\$	101.41	\$ 96.52	5.1%	70%
Compact Full-Service	20	81.5%	79.0%	3.2%	161.63	157.44	2.7%		131.80	124.34	6.0%	27%
Full Service	1	69.1%	67.1%	2.9%	154.35	145.54	6.1%		106.65	97.69	9.2%	3%
Total	145	78.3%	77.0%	1.8%	\$ 138.66	\$ 133.86	3.6%	\$:	108.63	\$ 103.06	5.4%	100%

													% of Hotel
Chain Scale		C	Occupancy	y		ΑI)R			Rev	PAR		EBITDA
	# of Hotels	2013	2012	Var	2013	2	2012	Var	2013		2012	Var	Q3
Upper Upscale Chains	17	78.6%	75.9%	3.5%	\$ 148.02	\$	144.81	2.2%	\$ 116.28	\$	109.88	5.8%	22%
Upscale Chains	100	79.4%	78.6%	1.1%	140.76		134.22	4.9%	111.78		105.44	6.0%	68%
Upper Midscale Chains	27	72.4%	70.8%	2.3%	116.43		117.85	(1.2%)	84.35		83.49	1.0%	10%
Midscale Chains	1	92.0%	87.0%	5.7%	68.20		70.82	(3.7%)	62.73		61.62	1.8%	0%
Total	145	78.3%	77.0%	1.8%	\$ 138.66	\$ 1	133.86	3.6%	\$ 108.63	\$	103.06	5.4%	100%

												% of Hotel
Flag	ag Occupancy						ADR			EBITDA		
	# of Hotels	2013	2012	Var		2013	2012	Var	2013	2012	Var	Q3
Courtyard	35	77.4%	75.5%	2.5%		\$ 137.94	\$ 132.16	4.4%	\$ 106.77	\$ 99.77	7.0%	23%
Residence Inn	35	80.6%	81.2%	(0.7%)		127.69	120.01	6.4%	102.93	97.46	5.6%	19%
Fairfield Inn	14	71.9%	72.7%	(1.2%)		114.60	119.94	(4.5%)	82.34	87.21	(5.6%)	5%
SpringHill Suites	10	75.6%	72.4%	4.4%		105.73	100.78	4.9%	79.94	72.97	9.5%	4%
Hilton Garden Inn	10	78.5%	77.9%	0.8%		159.36	153.47	3.8%	125.15	119.53	4.7%	10%
Hampton Inn	9	73.9%	70.7%	4.4%		122.25	120.60	1.4%	90.32	85.31	5.9%	4%
Marriott	6	74.6%	73.1%	2.0%		140.86	131.55	7.1%	105.11	96.22	9.2%	9%
Hyatt House	6	80.7%	80.9%	(0.3%)		104.16	99.22	5.0%	84.04	80.25	4.7%	3%
Embassy Suites	6	79.0%	74.5%	6.1%		127.77	132.61	(3.6%)	100.91	98.73	2.2%	5%
Renaissance	3	79.1%	75.5%	4.7%		147.01	147.76	(0.5%)	116.24	111.55	4.2%	4%
DoubleTree	2	92.6%	92.4%	0.2%		233.12	219.56	6.2%	215.79	202.77	6.4%	7%
Homewood Suites	2	76.4%	78.1%	(2.3%)		156.42	154.57	1.2%	119.44	120.74	(1.1%)	2%
Hilton	2	92.0%	91.8%	0.2%		226.00	213.05	6.1%	207.85	195.57	6.3%	4%
Other	5	75.0%	69.9%	7.3%	_	98.89	96.69	2.3%	74.19	67.60	9.7%	1%
Total	145	78.3%	77.0%	1.8%		\$ 138.66	\$ 133.86	3.6%	\$ 108.63	\$ 103.06	5.4%	100%

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RLJ Lodging Trust Pro forma Operating Statistics

(unaudited)

For the nine months ended September 30, 2013

Top Markets		C)ccupanc	y		A	DR				Re	vPAR		% of Hotel EBITDA
-	# of Hotels	2013	2012	Var	2013		2012	Var		2013		2012	Var	Q3YTD
NYC	5	96.8%	85.0%	13.9%	\$ 230.96	\$	225.88	2.3%	\$	3 223.56	\$	192.02	16.4%	14%
Chicago	21	73.5%	73.4%	0.1%	127.91		120.69	6.0%		94.04		88.61	6.1%	10%
Austin	17	75.5%	73.0%	3.5%	137.41		127.06	8.2%		103.74		92.72	11.9%	11%
Denver	15	73.7%	72.7%	1.4%	122.69		118.53	3.5%		90.46		86.19	5.0%	9%
Houston	8	75.8%	72.9%	3.9%	147.65		131.13	12.6%		111.95		95.65	17.0%	7%
Washington DC	7	73.5%	76.6%	(4.1%)	171.72		166.17	3.3%		126.15		127.31	(0.9%)	7%
Other	72	74.7%	73.4%	1.6%	125.58		120.50	4.2%		93.75		88.50	5.9%	42%
Total	145	76.2%	74.3%	2.5%	\$ 140.64	\$	133.22	5.6%	- 5	\$ 107.22	\$	99.04	8.2%	100%

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Service Level		(Occupancy	y		ADR				Rev	PAR		EBITDA	A .
	# of Hotels	2013	2012	Var	2013	2012	,	Var	2013		2012	Var	Q3	YTD
Focused-Service	124	75.4%	74.6%	1.1%	\$ 132.68	\$ 125.1	1	6.0%	\$ 100.03	\$	93.31	7.2%		71%
Compact Full-Service	20	79.6%	74.3%	7.1%	161.17	155.5	51	3.6%	128.30		115.58	11.0%		25%
Full Service	1	70.3%	68.5%	2.7%	 173.07	164.0	00	5.5%	121.69		112.30	8.4%		4%
Total	145	76.2%	74.3%	2.5%	\$ 140.64	\$ 133.2	2 5	5.6%	\$ 107.22	\$	99.04	8.2%	10	00%

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Chain Scale		(Occupanc	y		ADR			Rev	PAR		EBITDA
	# of Hotels	2013	2012	Var	2013	2012	Var	2013		2012	Var	Q3YTD
Upper Upscale Chains	17	76.8%	74.8%	2.6%	\$ 152.50	\$ 147.73	3.2%	\$ 117.16	\$	110.57	6.0%	23%
Upscale Chains	100	77.2%	75.0%	2.8%	141.39	132.68	6.6%	109.09		99.55	9.6%	66%
Upper Midscale Chains	27	70.6%	69.9%	1.0%	121.39	116.34	4.3%	85.75		81.36	5.4%	11%
Midscale Chains	1	85.5%	86.5%	(1.1%)	 66.13	65.86	0.4%	 56.57		56.97	(0.7%)	0%
Total	145	76.2%	74.3%	2.5%	\$ 140.64	\$ 133.22	5.6%	\$ 107.22	\$	99.04	8.2%	100%

Flag		C	Occupanc	y		ADR			RevPAR		% of Hotel EBITDA
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Residence Inn	35	77.4%	77.9%	(0.7%)	129.89	121.71	6.7%	100.48	94.81	6.0%	18%
Fairfield Inn	14	70.2%	72.3%	(2.8%)	122.16	116.86	4.5%	85.77	84.44	1.6%	5%
SpringHill Suites	10	72.1%	70.8%	1.9%	106.54	101.96	4.5%	76.86	72.20	6.5%	4%
Hilton Garden Inn	10	77.8%	76.0%	2.4%	158.68	149.63	6.1%	123.52	113.69	8.6%	10%
Hampton Inn	9	72.5%	69.4%	4.4%	125.12	119.66	4.6%	90.68	83.06	9.2%	4%
Marriott	6	72.5%	70.6%	2.7%	147.27	138.40	6.4%	106.81	97.72	9.3%	10%
Hyatt House	6	80.7%	79.1%	2.0%	105.99	100.37	5.6%	85.51	79.40	7.7%	3%
Embassy Suites	6	79.4%	77.3%	2.7%	138.52	137.57	0.7%	109.93	106.31	3.4%	6%
Renaissance	3	76.0%	73.6%	3.1%	147.49	148.56	(0.7%)	112.04	109.40	2.4%	4%
DoubleTree	2	91.1%	72.1%	26.3%	220.03	219.36	0.3%	200.47	158.20	26.7%	6%
Homewood Suites	2	76.5%	79.1%	(3.3%)	166.33	160.20	3.8%	127.31	126.73	0.5%	2%
Hilton	2	87.6%	86.3%	1.5%	215.96	204.79	5.5%	189.08	176.66	7.0%	4%
Other	5	71.2%	68.8%	3.6%	 100.16	96.94	3.3%	71.33	66.65	7.0%	1%
Total	145	76.2%	74.3%	2.5%	\$ 140.64	\$ 133.22	5.6%	\$ 107.22	\$ 99.04	8.2%	100%

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