FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
Bayh Evan					RLJ Lodging Trust [RLJ]								Ι,	X	Direc	ctor	10% (Owner		
,					-									_		Office	er (give title	Other	(specify	
(Last) (First) (Middle)						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/30/2011									belov	v)	below)		
C/O RLJ LODGING TRUST				12/	12/30/2011															
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					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street)														-	X	Form	n filed by One	Reporting Pers	son	
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		Tabl	e I - No	n-Deriv	ative	Sec	curitie	s Acc	μired,	, Dis	posed o	f, or	Ben	eficia	ally	Owne	ed			
1. Title of S	ecurity (Inst	r. 3)		2. Transa	action				3.								ount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature	
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										v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			ľ <i>′</i>	
Common Shares 12/30/)/2011				A		1.262(1	(1) A \$		\$16	6.83		3,316	D		
Common States					7=011	1,202							410	15.55						
Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																				
1. Title of Derivative	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deem Execution		4. Transa	ction	n of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date			7. Title and Amount of			8. Price of Derivative		9. Number o derivative	10. Ownership	11. Nature of Indirect	
Security (Instr. 3)			if any (Month/Day/		Code (8)	Instr.			(Month/E	Day/Ye	ear)	Securities Underlying			Security (Instr. 5)		Securities Beneficially	Form: Direct (D)	Beneficial Ownership	
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Explanation of Responses:

1. These common shares were issued to the reporting person pursuant to the RLJ Lodging Trust 2011 Equity Incentive Plan in lieu of retainer and nominating and corporate governance committee chair fees of \$21,250.

Remarks:

/s/ Anita Cooke Wells 01/03/2012

** 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).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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