**RUIZ PAUL** Form 4 March 09, 2018

# FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

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1(b).

Vesting)

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Common Stock

(Performance-Based 03/07/2018

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

RUIZ PAUL  (Last) (First) (Middle)  13215 BEE CAVE PARKWAY, SUITE B-300			Symbol Summit Hotel Properties, Inc. [INN] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/07/2018				Issuer  (Check all applicable)  Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)  SVP & Chief Accounting Officer					
	(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-D	erivative S	Securities A	cquire	ed, Dis	posed of, or Ber	neficially Ow	ned	
	1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Data (Month/Day/Year)			3. 4. Securities Transaction(A) or Dispos Code (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and			of	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
	Common Stock (Time-Based	ζ	03/07/2018		Code V	Amount 8,928 (1)	(D)	Price \$ 0	76,542	D		

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

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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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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

# **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Other Director 10% Owner Officer

**RUIZ PAUL** 13215 BEE CAVE PARKWAY, SUITE B-300 AUSTIN, TX 78738

**SVP & Chief Accounting Officer** 

## **Signatures**

/s/ Christopher R. Eng, as Attorney-in-Fact

03/09/2018

\*\*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).
- Represents shares of restricted common stock granted to the reporting person under the Issuer's 2011 Equity Incentive Plan as amended and restated effective June 15, 2015. The restricted shares shall become vested and nonforfeitable, subject to the reporting person's continued service as an employee of the Issuer, on March 9, 2019 (25% of the shares granted), March 9, 2020 (25% of the shares granted) and March 9, 2021 (the remaining 50% of the shares granted).
  - Represents shares of restricted common stock granted to the reporting person under the Issuer's 2011 Equity Incentive Plan as amended and restated effective June 15, 2015. The restricted shares shall become vested and nonforfeitable on March 7, 2021, if the reporting
- person remains in the continued service as an employee of the Issuer and the Issuer's cumulative total shareholder return (TSR) for the period starting March 7, 2018 and ending March 7, 2021 exceeds at least 25.5% of its peer group, which shall include constituents of the SNL US REIT Hotel Index. The number of shares will convert at a range from 25% to 200% of the shares granted to the reporting person based upon the Issuer's cumulative TSR performance compared to its peer group for the reporting period.

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