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FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading FRIEDMAN RICHARD A Issuer Symbol Hyatt Hotels Corp [H] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Last) (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify C/O GOLDMAN, SACHS & 03/15-04:00/2016 below) CO., 200 WEST STREET (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting NEW YORK, NY 10282 (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securi	ties		5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of	
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	onAcquired	d (A) o	r	Securities	Ownership	Indirect	
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	Disposed of (D)			Beneficially	Form: Direct	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Owned	(D) or	Ownership	
							Following	Indirect (I)	(Instr. 4)	
				(A) or		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)			
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Ilisti. 5 and 4)			
Class A									See	
Common Stock	03/15-04:00/2016		A	393	A	\$0	97,059	I	footnotes (1) (2) (3)	

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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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0					03/31-04:00/2016	03/31-04:00/2016	Class A Common Stock
Class B Common Stock	\$ 0					(5)	<u>(5)</u>	Class A Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

FRIEDMAN RICHARD A C/O GOLDMAN, SACHS & CO. 200 WEST STREET NEW YORK, NY 10282

Signatures

/s/ Yvette Kosic, Attorney-in-fact 03/17-04:00/2016

**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).
- The Reporting Person is a managing director of Goldman, Sachs & Co. ("Goldman Sachs"). Goldman Sachs is a wholly-owned
 (1) subsidiary of The Goldman Sachs Group, Inc. ("GS Group"). The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities reported herein except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein, if any.
- On March 15, 2016, 393 shares of Class A Common Stock were granted to the Reporting Person in his capacity as a director of Hyatt
 Hotels Corporation (the "Company") pursuant to the Third Amended and Restated Hyatt Hotels Corporation Long-Term Incentive Plan
 under the Hyatt Hotels Corporation Non-Employee Director Compensation Program (the "Plan"). The Reporting Person has an
 understanding with GS Group pursuant to which such shares are held for the benefit of GS Group.
- (3) GS Group beneficially owns directly 7,096 shares of Class A Common Stock and may be deemed to beneficially own 22,908 shares of Class A Common Stock that were granted to the Reporting Person in his capacity as a director of the Company pursuant to the Plan. The Reporting Person has an understanding with GS Group pursuant to which such shares are held for the benefit of GS Group. Goldman Sachs beneficially owns directly and GS Group may be deemed to beneficially own indirectly 67,055 shares of Class A Common Stock and Goldman Sachs also had open short positions of 29,326 shares of Class A Common Stock, reflecting changes due to exempt

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transactions.

- GS Group may be deemed to beneficially own an aggregate of 3,068 restricted stock units that were granted to the Reporting Person in his capacity as a director of the Company. The Reporting Person has an understanding with GS Group pursuant to which such restricted stock units are held for the benefit of GS Group. Each restricted stock unit represents the contingent right to receive one share of Class A Common Stock and is fully vested.
 - Each share of Class B Common Stock is convertible at any time, at the option of the holder, into one share of Class A Common Stock. In addition, each share of Class B Common Stock will convert automatically into one share of Class A Common Stock upon any transfer, except for certain permitted transfers as described in the Company's Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation. Goldman Sachs
- (5) and GS Group may be deemed to beneficially own indirectly 12,654,050 shares of Class A Common Stock by reason of the direct beneficial ownership of 12,654,050 shares of the Company's Class B Common Stock, in the aggregate, by certain investment partnerships of which affiliates of Goldman Sachs and GS Group are the general partner, managing limited partner or the managing partner. Goldman Sachs is the investment manager for certain of the investment partnerships.

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