

HERSHA HOSPITALITY TRUST  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
PATEL KIRAN P

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
HERSHA HOSPITALITY TRUST [HT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
01/03/2008

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

HERSHA HOSPITALITY TRUST, 510 WALNUT STREET, 9TH FLOOR

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

PHILADELPHIA, PA 19106

(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	01/03/2008		P		4,500 A \$ 9.115	10,500	D
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	01/03/2008		P		1,935 A \$ 9.12	12,435	D
Common Shares of	01/03/2008		P		100 A \$ 9.14	12,535	D

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Beneficial Interest							
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	01/03/2008	P	211	A	\$ 9.19	12,746	D
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	01/03/2008	P	100	A	\$ 9.2	12,846	D
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	01/03/2008	P	200	A	\$ 9.21	13,046	D
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	01/03/2008	P	100	A	\$ 9.22	13,146	D
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	01/03/2008	P	100	A	\$ 9.23	13,246	D
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	01/03/2008	P	200	A	\$ 9.24	13,446	D
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	01/03/2008	P	1,000	A	\$ 9.25	14,446	D
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	01/03/2008	P	1,254	A	\$ 9.26	15,700	D
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	01/03/2008	P	100	A	\$ 9.27	15,800	D
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	01/03/2008	P	100	A	\$ 9.28	15,900	D
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	01/03/2008	P	100	A	\$ 9.31	16,000	D

Interest

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)

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 6)
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## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
PATEL KIRAN P HERSHA HOSPITALITY TRUST 510 WALNUT STREET, 9TH FLOOR PHILADELPHIA, PA 19106	X			

## Signatures

Ashish R. Parikh as attorney-in-fact for Kiran P. Patel  
Date: 01/04/2008

\*\*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).

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