

CONNOR RODERICK F JR  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
CONNOR RODERICK F JR

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
Ryman Hospitality Properties, Inc.  
[RHP]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
  
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
ONE GAYLORD DRIVE  
  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
02/27/2013

\_\_\_\_ Director  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
SVP & CAO

NASHVILLE, TN 37214  
  
(City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D) Price		
Common Stock	02/27/2013		M		6,200 A \$ 32.98	6,200	D
Common Stock	02/27/2013		S		6,200 D \$ 43.996 (1)	0	D
Common Stock	02/27/2013		M		6,200 A \$ 25.44	6,200	D
Common Stock	02/25/2013		S		6,200 D \$ 43.998 (1)	0	D
						1,453	I 401(k)

Common  
Stock

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. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 32.98	02/27/2013		M	6,200	<sup>(2)</sup> 02/09/2015	Common Stock	6,200
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 25.44	02/27/2013		M	6,200	<sup>(3)</sup> 02/04/2018	Common Stock	6,200

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
CONNOR RODERICK F JR ONE GAYLORD DRIVE NASHVILLE, TN 37214			SVP & CAO	

## Signatures

Carter R. Todd, Attorney-in-Fact for Roderick Connor Jr. 02/28/2013

\*\*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).

- (1) Stock was sold in a range from \$43.96 to \$44.12.
- (2) Stock option vests ratably over four years beginning on February 9, 2006.
- (3) Stock option vests ratably over four years beginning on February 4, 2009.

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