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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Morgan Dianna

Symbol

(Check all applicable)

HERSHA HOSPITALITY TRUST [HT]

(First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

HERSHA HOSPITALITY

(Street)

TRUST, 510 WALNUT STREET,

9TH FLOOR

(City)

(Last)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Month/Day/Year)

06/05/2012

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

PHILADELPHIA, PA 19106

(State) (Zip)

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

1.Title of Security (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Beneficially (D) or Owned Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4)

Form: Direct Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

A

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Reported

27,380

Class A Common

06/05/2012 Shares of

Price Code V Amount (D)

6,000

(A)

Α

\$0

D

Beneficial 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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	le and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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				Code v	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Morgan Dianna							
HERSHA HOSPITALITY TRUST	X						
510 WALNUT STREET, 9TH FLOOR							
PHILADELPHIA, PA 19106							

Signatures

/s/ Ashish R. Parikh as attorney-in-fact for Dianna Morgan

06/05/2012

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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