FORM 4

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## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  McAvey Maureen L       |  |  |   |        | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  DiamondRock Hospitality Co [ DRH ] |   |         |   |                                |  |               |                            |                      |  |                                    | ip of Reporting Person(s) to I<br>plicable) |   |   |   |  |
|--|--|--|---|--------|--|---|---------|---|--------------------------------|--|---------------|----------------------------|----------------------|--|------------------------------------|---|---|---|---|--|
|  |  | CK HOSPITALI                               |   |        |  | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/12/2017 |         |   |                                |  |               |                            |                      |  | Λ                                  | Office                                      | Officer (give title below)  |   | 10% Owner<br>Other (specify<br>below)                                   |  |
| 3 BETHESDA METRO CENTER, SUITE 1500  (Street)  BETHESDA MD 20814 |  |  |   | 4. If  | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)                               |   |         |   |                                |  |               |                            |                      | S. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |                                    |   |   |   |   |  |
| (City)   | (St  | ate) (2                                    | Zip)  |        |  |   |         |   |                                |  |               |                            |                      |  |                                    |   |   |   |   |  |
|  |  | Tabl                                       | e I - Non                                     | -Deriv | ative  | Se  | curitie | s Acq                                     | juired,                        | Dis  | posed o       | f, or                      | Bene                 | eficia   | ally C                             | Owne  | ed  |   |   |  |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Do       |  |  |   |        | Execution Date   |   | n Date, | 3.<br>Transa<br>Code (<br>8)              |                                | curities Acquired (A<br>osed Of (D) (Instr. 3, |               |                            | 4 and Se<br>Be<br>Ov |  | Securities F<br>Beneficially (     |   | wnership<br>n: Direct<br>or Indirect<br>nstr. 4)  | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |   |  |
|  |  |  |   |        |  |   | Code    | v   | Amount                         |  | (A) or<br>(D) | Price                      | , l                  | Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4)   |                                    |   |   | (111501.4)  |   |  |
| Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share 10/12                   |  |  |   | 2/2017 |  |   |         |   |                                | 421 <sup>(1)</sup> A                           |               | \$                         | 0                    | 81,451   |                                    |   | D   |   |   |  |
|  | Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) |  |   |        |  |   |         |   |                                |  |               |                            |                      |  |                                    |   |   |   |   |  |
| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)              | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security  | 3. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deeme<br>Execution<br>if any<br>(Month/Da | Date,  | 4.<br>Transa<br>Code (<br>8)   |   |         | ative<br>rities<br>ired<br>osed<br>. 3, 4 | 6. Date Expiration (Month/Date | n Date   | •             | Amo<br>Secu<br>Und<br>Deri | Amo                  | str. 3   | 8. Pri<br>Deriv<br>Secui<br>(Instr | ative<br>rity                               | 9. Number of<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction<br>(Instr. 4) | G<br>F<br>G<br>(I   | .0.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Additional deferred stock units awarded in connection with the reinvestment of a dividend as required by the terms of the deferred stock units.

## Remarks:

/s/ William J. Tennis, attorney-10/13/2017 in-fact

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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