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# FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** Sims Andrew			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) (First) (Middle)		(Middle)	Sotherly Hotels Inc. [SOHO]  3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
410 WEST FRANCIS STREET			(Month/Day/Year) 12/30/2015	_X_ Director 10% Owner Street Officer (give title below) Other (specification) Chief Executive Officer			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
WILLIAMSBURG, VA, VA 23185				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit oner Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of	Price	5. Amount of Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Owned Direct (D) Following or Indirect Reported (I) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
Common Stock	12/30/2015		P	15,000 (1)	A	\$ 6.2476 (2)	354,555	D			
Common Stock							471,250	I	By AMS Family Partnership, R.L.L.P.		
Common Stock							156,250	I	By spouse		

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. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	onNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amoun	it of	Derivative	Deriv
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									of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Sims Andrew

410 WEST FRANCIS STREET X Chief Executive Officer

WILLIAMSBURG, VA, VA 23185

## **Signatures**

/s/ Andrew M. 01/04/2016

\*\*Signature of Date
Reporting Person

#### **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) The reporting person acquired shares of Sotherly Hotels Inc.'s common stock pursuant to a self-directed brokerage account option in Sotherly's 401(k) plan.
- This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$6.17 to \$6.25, inclusive; the price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transactions were effected upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer.

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