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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

(City)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **Beatty David**

(First)

(Street)

(State)

(Middle)

(Zip)

Sotherly Hotels Inc. [SOHO]

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

02/05/2018

Symbol

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

(Check all applicable)

7304 SHIRLAND AVENUE

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X_ Director

Officer (give title

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

D

Person

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

NORFOLK, VA 23505

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

10% Owner

Other (specify

Code V Amount

or (D) Price \$0

(A)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Common 02/05/2018 Stock

3,000 A (1)

29,793

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)

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1. Title of Derivative	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transactio	5. orNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration D		7. Title and Amount of		9. Nu Deriv
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(2.20.11.2.3)	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/ re s		Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and	Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title Amo or Num of Share	ber	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Beatty David 7304 SHIRLAND AVENUE NORFOLK, VA 23505	X						

Signatures

/s/ David Beatty 02/07/2018

**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).
- The securities were granted to the reporting person by the Issuer's Board of Directors pursuant to the Issuer's 2013 Long-Term Incentive Plan. The securities will vest on December 31, 2018.

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