

ELSZTAIN EDUARDO S

Form 4

December 18, 2009

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
ELSZTAIN EDUARDO S

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
HERSHA HOSPITALITY TRUST
[HT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
12/16/2009

☒ Director ☒ 10% Owner
☐ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

HERSHA HOSPITALITY
TRUST, 510 WALNUT STREET,
9TH FLOOR

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
☐ Form filed by One Reporting Person
☒ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

PHILADELPHIA, PA 19106

(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. 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)
CLASS A COMMON SHARES OF BENEFICIAL INT	12/16/2009		P	42,222 A \$ 2.841	6,397,251	I ⁽¹⁾	See Footnote ⁽¹⁾
CLASS A COMMON SHARES OF BENEFICIAL INT	12/17/2009		P	25,000 A \$ 2.7578	6,422,251	I ⁽¹⁾	See Footnote ⁽¹⁾

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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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repor Trans (Instr
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ELSZTAIN EDUARDO S HERSHA HOSPITALITY TRUST 510 WALNUT STREET, 9TH FLOOR PHILADELPHIA, PA 19106	X	X		
Agrology Stock Corp MORENO 877, 21ST FLOOR BUENOS AIRES, C1		X		
TYRUS STOCK CORP COLONIA 810, OF. 403 MONTEVIDEO, X3 CP 11000		X		
Inversora Bolivar Stock Corp BOLIVAR 108, 1ST FLOOR BUENOS AIRES, C1		X		
JIWIN STOCK CORP COLONIA 810, OFFICE 403 MONTEVIDEO URUGUAY		X		

Signatures

/s/ Eduardo S. Elsztain	12/18/2009
Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Alejandro G. Elsztain, Chairman of the Board for Agrology S.A.	12/18/2009
Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Eduardo S. Elsztain, Chairman of the Board for Tyrus S.A.	12/18/2009
Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Fernando A. Elsztain, Chairman of the Board for Inversora Bolívar S.A.	12/18/2009
Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Eduardo S. Elsztain, Chairman of the Board for Jiwin S.A.	12/18/2009
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) Please see Exhibit.

Remarks:

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