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February 25, 2011

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549 FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of Report (date of earliest event reported): February 25, 2011 ASHFORD HOSPITALITY TRUST, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

001-31775 86-1062192 Maryland

(State or other jurisdiction of (Commission (IRS employer incorporation or organization) File Number) identification number)

14185 Dallas Parkway, Suite 1100

Dallas, Texas 75254

(Address of principal executive

(Zip code)

offices)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code (972) 490-9600

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ITEM 7.01 REGULATION FD DISCLOSURE

On February 24, 2011, Ashford Hospitality Trust, Inc. (the Company) issued a press release announcing that it has completed the sale of the JW Marriott San Francisco for \$96.0 million in cash.

The press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1

ITEM 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

Exhibit Number

99.1 Press Release of the Company, dated February 24, 2011, furnished under Item 7.01, announcing the sale of the JW Marriott San Francisco for \$96.0 million in cash.

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SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 12 of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Dated: February 25, 2011

ASHFORD HOSPITALITY TRUST, INC.

By: /s/ DAVID A. BROOKS
David A. Brooks
Chief Operating Officer and General
Counsel