ASHFORD HOSPITALITY TRUST INC Form 8-K February 01, 2016

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): January 29, 2016

ASHFORD HOSPITALITY TRUST, INC. (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

(Address of principal executive offices)

Maryland	001-31775	86-1062192
(State or other jurisdiction of	(Commission	(IRS employer
incorporation or organization)	File Number)	identification number)
14185 Dallas Parkway, Suite 1100		
Dallas, Texas		75254

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

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ITEM 7.01 REGULATION FD DISCLOSURE.

On January 29, 2016, Ashford Hospitality Trust, Inc. ("Ashford Trust" or the "Company") announced certain tax reporting information related to its 2015 common and preferred dividends. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

ITEM 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.

(d) Exhibits Exhibit Number Description

99.1 Press Release of the Company, dated January 29, 2016.

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 1, 2016

ASHFORD HOSPITALITY TRUST, INC.

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