

IRSA INVESTMENTS & REPRESENTATIONS INC
 Form 4
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

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

(Last) (First) (Middle)

HERSHA HOSPITALITY TRUST, 510 WALNUT STREET, 9TH FLOOR

(Street)

PHILADELPHIA, PA 19106

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 01/15/2010

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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) | | | |
|---|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|------------|------------------|-----------------------------|
| | | | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | | | |
| CLASS A COMMON SHARES OF BENEFICIAL INT | 01/15/2010 | | P | | 4,666,667 | A | \$ 3 | 11,190,173 | I ⁽¹⁾ | See Footnote ⁽¹⁾ |
| CLASS A COMMON SHARES OF BENEFICIAL INT | 01/15/2010 | | P | | 333,333 | A | \$ 3 | 11,523,506 | 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. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Transaction (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|---|
| | | | | 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 | | |
| CONSULTORES ASSETS MANAGEMENT STOCK CORP BOL??VAR 108, 1ST FLOOR BUENOS AIRES, C1 | | X | | |
| CONSULTORES VENTURE CAPITAL LTD REGATTA OFFICE PARK, P.O. BOX 31106, SMB GRAND CAYMAN, E9 | | X | | |
| CRESUD INC MORENO 877, 23RD FLOOR CIUDAD AUT??NOMA DE BUENOS AIRES, C1 | | X | | |
| CONSULTORES VENTURE CAPITAL URUGUAY STOCK CORP RUTA 8, 17,500, EDIFICIO @3, LOCAL 003 MONTEVIDEO, X3 CP 91609 | | X | | |
| AGROINVESTMENT STOCK CORP ZABALA 1422, 2ND FLOOR | | X | | |

MONTEVIDEO, X3

REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT GROUP LP

CLARENDON HOUSE 2

CHURCH STREET

HAMILTON HM CX, D0

X

Idalgir Stock Corp

ZABALA 1422, 2ND FLOOR

MONTEVIDEO, X3

X

IRSA INVESTMENTS & REPRESENTATIONS INC

BOLIVAR 108, 1ST FLOOR

BUENOS AIRES, C1

X

Ifis LTD

MINTFLOWER PLACE, 4TH FLOOR

8 PAR-LA-VILLE ROAD

HAMILTON, D0 HM 08

X

Signatures

/s/ Eduardo S. Elsztain

01/19/2010

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

/s/ Eduardo S. Elsztain, Chairman of the Board for Consultores Assets Management S.A.

01/19/2010

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

/s/ Eduardo S. Elsztain, Chairman of the Board for Consultores Venture Capital Limited

01/19/2010

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

/s/ Eduardo S. Elsztain, Chairman of the Board for Cresud Sociedad An??nima Comercial, Inmobiliaria, Financiera y Agropecuaria

01/19/2010

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

/s/ Eduardo S. Elsztain, Chairman of the Board for Consultores Venture Capital Uruguay

01/19/2010

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

/s/ Eduardo S. Elsztain, Chairman of the Board for Agroinvestment S.A.

01/19/2010

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

/s/ Eduardo S. Elsztain, Chairman of the Board of Jiwin S.A., General Partner for Real Estate Investment Group LP

01/19/2010

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

/s/ Eduardo S. Elsztain, Chairman of the Board for Idalgir S.A.

01/19/2010

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

/s/ Eduardo S. Elsztain, Chairman of the Board for IRSA Inversiones y Representaciones Sociedad An??nima

01/19/2010

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

/s/ Eduardo S. Elsztain, Chairman of the Board for IFIS Limited

01/19/2010

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- * 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).
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Remarks:

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