Summit Hotel Properties, Inc. Form 8-K February 23, 2017

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 23, 2017

SUMMIT HOTEL PROPERTIES, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Maryland

001-35074

27-2962512

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation or Organization)

(Commission File Number) (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

12600 Hill Country Boulevard, Suite R-100 Austin, Texas 78738

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

(512) 538-2300

(Registrants' telephone number, including area code)

Not applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

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- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On February 23, 2017, Summit Hotel Properties, Inc. (the "Company") issued a press release announcing the consolidated operating results of the Company and its subsidiaries for the fourth quarter and year ended December 31, 2016.

A copy of the press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this report.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d)Exhibits

99.1 Press release issued on February 23, 2017.

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SIGNATURE

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

SUMMIT HOTEL PROPERTIES, INC. (Registrant)

By:/s/ Christopher R. Eng Christopher R. Eng Executive Vice President, General Counsel,

Date: February 23, 2017 Chief Risk Officer and Secretary

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press release issued February 23, 2017.