

Hilton Worldwide Holdings Inc.
Form 4
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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 *
Carter Ian Russell

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Hilton Worldwide Holdings Inc.
[HLT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
7930 JONES BRANCH DRIVE
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
02/18/2016

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
See Remarks

MCLEAN, VA 22102

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

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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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|--|
| | | | Code | V | Amount or (D) Price | | |
| Common Stock | 02/18/2016 | | A | | 19,475 (1) | A | \$ 0 1,660,136 D |
| Common Stock | 02/19/2016 | | F | | 2,768 (2) | D | \$ 19.88 1,657,368 D |

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) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable Expiration Date | Title Amount or Number of Shares |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 19.61 | 02/18/2016 | | A | 69,821 | <u>(3)</u> 02/18/2026 | Common Stock 69,821 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|-------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Carter Ian Russell 7930 JONES BRANCH DRIVE MCLEAN, VA 22102 | | | See Remarks | |

Signatures

/s/ Kristin A. Campbell as
Attorney-in-fact
Date: 02/22/2016

**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) Represents restricted stock units of the Issuer issued pursuant to the Issuer's 2013 Omnibus Incentive Plan, which vest in two equal annual installments beginning on February 15, 2017.
- (2) Shares withheld by the Company for the payment of tax liability incident to vesting of restricted stock units.
- (3) The option vests in three equal annual installments beginning on February 15, 2017.

Remarks:

Executive Vice President and President, Development, Architecture and Construction

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