Extended Stay America, Inc. Form 8-K February 26, 2015

## **UNITED STATES**

# SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

## **WASHINGTON, DC 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 26, 2015

## EXTENDED STAY AMERICA, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of

**001-36190** (Commission

46-3140312 (I.R.S. Employer

incorporation or organization)

File Number)

**Identification Number**)

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## 11525 N. Community House Road, Suite 100

Charlotte, North Carolina 28277
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)
Registrant s telephone number, including area code (980) 345-1600

## ESH HOSPITALITY, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 001-36191 27-3559821 (State or other jurisdiction of (Commission (I.R.S. Employer

incorporation or organization) File Number) Identification Number)

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

## Item 2.02 Results of Operations.

On February 26, 2015, Extended Stay America, Inc. and ESH Hospitality, Inc. issued an earnings release announcing their results of operations for the three months and year ended December 31, 2014. A copy of the earnings release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference in this Item 2.02.

The information contained under Item 2.02 of this Current Report on Form 8-K (including Exhibit 99.1) is being furnished and shall not be deemed to be filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the Exchange Act ), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

#### Item 8.01 Other Events.

On February 26, 2015, Extended Stay America, Inc. and ESH Hospitality, Inc. issued a press release announcing that the Board of Directors of ESH Hospitality, Inc. has declared a cash distribution of \$0.15 per share for the fourth quarter of 2014, payable to ESH Hospitality, Inc. s Class A and Class B common shareholders. The distribution will be payable on March 26, 2015 to shareholders of record as of March 12, 2015. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.2 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference in this Item 8.01.

#### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

#### (d) Exhibits

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99.2	Press release of Extended Stay America, Inc. and ESH Hospitality, Inc., dated February 26, 2015, announcing distribution for fourth quarter of 2014.

## **SIGNATURE**

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

EXTENDED STAY AMERICA, INC.

By: /s/ John R. Dent

Name: John R. Dent Title: General Counsel

ESH HOSPITALITY, INC.

Date: February 26, 2015 By: /s/ John R. Dent

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