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## FORM 4

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

Name and Address of Reporting Person * Mirdamadi Susan	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
	Ruths Hospitality Group, Inc. [RUTH]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1030 W CANTON AVE STE 100	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/03/2018	Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below)  SVP Chief Services Officer			
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
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(City)	(State) (	Table Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	rities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. Transactio	4. Securi		•	5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 3)	•	any	Code	(Instr. 3,	4 and	5)	Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned Following	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership
							Reported	(IIISII. 4)	(Instr. 4)
					(A)		Transaction(s)		
			Code V	Amount		Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	03/03/2018		F	674 (1)	D	\$ 25.15	116,471	D	
Common Stock	03/03/2018		F	2,505 (1)	D	\$ 25.15	113,966	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)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,		ate	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	4, and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Amou or Title Numb of Share.	er	

## **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> 10% Owner Officer Other Director

Mirdamadi Susan

1030 W CANTON AVE STE 100 **SVP Chief Services Officer** 

WINTER PARK, FL

### **Signatures**

/s/ Alice G. Givens, under Power of 03/05/2018 Attorney

> \*\*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) The reported disposition represents the withholding of shares to cover tax obligations arising from the vesting of restricted stock.

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