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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549
FORM 10-Q
QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934
For the quarterly period ended June 30, 2015
OR
TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934
For the transition period from to
Commission file number 001-32319

Sunstone Hotel Investors, Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Maryland 20-1296886 (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation or Organization) Identification Number)

120 Vantis, Suite 350

Aliso Viejo, California 92656 (Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (949) 330-4000

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant: (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes No

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Web site, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (§232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files). Yes No

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, or a smaller reporting company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer" and "smaller reporting company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

Large accelerated filer Accelerated filer

Non-accelerated filer Smaller reporting company

(Do not check if a smaller reporting company)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). Yes No

Indicate the number of shares outstanding of each of the issuer's classes of common stock, as of the latest practicable date.

208,696,968 shares of Common Stock, \$0.01 par value, as of August 3, 2015

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QUARTERLY REPORT ON

FORM 10-Q

For the Quarterly Period Ended June 30, 2015

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#### PART I—FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Item 1.Financial Statements

## SUNSTONE HOTEL INVESTORS, INC.

#### CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

(In thousands, except share data)

ASSETS	June 30 2015 (unaud		December 31, 2014
Current assets: Cash and cash equivalents Restricted cash Accounts receivable, net Inventories Prepaid expenses Total current assets Investment in hotel properties, net Deferred financing fees, net Goodwill Other assets, net		98,760 88,456 52,174 1,350 11,616 252,356 3,532,156 10,552 9,405 16,329	\$ 222,096 82,074 34,227 1,439 14,909 354,745 3,538,129 8,201 9,405 14,485
Total assets LIABILITIES AND EQUITY Current liabilities:		,	\$ 3,924,965
Accounts payable and accrued expenses Accrued payroll and employee benefits Dividends payable Other current liabilities Current portion of notes payable Total current liabilities Notes payable, less current portion Capital lease obligations, less current portion Other liabilities Total liabilities Commitments and contingencies (Note 11) Equity: Stockholders' equity:	•	35,806 25,886 12,735 44,174 135,825 254,426 1,182,832 15,576 35,265 1,488,099	\$ 32,577 31,919 76,694 36,466 121,328 298,984 1,307,964 15,576 33,607 1,656,131

Preferred stock, \$0.01 par value, 100,000,000 shares authorized. 8.0% Series D Cumulative Redeemable Preferred Stock, 4,600,000 shares issued and outstanding at June 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014, stated at liquidation preference of \$25.00 per share 115,000 115,000 Common stock, \$0.01 par value, 500,000,000 shares authorized, 207,604,391 shares issued and outstanding at June 30, 2015 and 204,766,718 shares issued and outstanding at December 31, 2014 2,048 2,076 Additional paid in capital 2,456,604 2,418,567 Retained earnings 355,702 305,503 Cumulative dividends (650,014)(624,545)Total stockholders' equity 2,279,368 2,216,573 Non-controlling interests in consolidated joint ventures 53,331 52,261 Total equity 2,332,699 2,268,834 Total liabilities and equity \$ 3,820,798 \$ 3,924,965

See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.

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SUNSTONE HOTEL INVESTORS, INC.

#### UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS AND COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

(In thousands, except per share data)

			Three Months Ended		
DEVENIUES	Jul	ne 30, 2015	June 30, 2014	June 30, 2015	June 30, 2014
REVENUES	4	220 (50	211010	100 0 60	202.04=
Room	\$	239,678	214,940	432,969	383,067
Food and beverage		79,265	68,733	151,449	128,644
Other operating		20,324	17,179	39,234	32,624
Total revenues		339,267	300,852	623,652	544,335
OPERATING EXPENSES					
Room		57,568	53,418	111,410	102,337
Food and beverage		52,812	45,109	103,031	88,017
Other operating		5,337	5,006	10,468	10,001
Advertising and promotion		15,567	13,655	30,927	26,626
Repairs and maintenance		11,381	10,706	22,939	21,587
Utilities		8,377	7,788	17,362	16,077
Franchise costs		10,818	10,261	19,418	18,338
Property tax, ground lease and					
insurance		23,151	21,413	46,764	40,465
Property general and					
administrative		37,107	31,963	71,556	60,885
Corporate overhead		6,923	7,674	21,176	14,233
Depreciation and amortization		40,873	37,973	81,580	75,588
Total operating expenses		269,914	244,966	536,631	474,154
Operating income		69,353	55,886	87,021	70,181
Interest and other income					