#### **BROOKS DAVID A**

Form 4 March 16, 2018

### FORM 4

#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* **BROOKS DAVID A** 

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Issuer

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

COO, GC and Secretary

below)

Ashford Inc. [AINC]

below)

(Last)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director X\_ Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

14185 DALLAS PARKWAY,

**SUITE 1100** 

4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Instr. 8)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Month/Day/Year)

03/14/2018

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Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

DALLAS, TX 75254

(City) (State) (Zip) 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

3. 4. Securities (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A)

Reported Transaction(s)

or (Instr. 3 and 4) (D) Price

Common

Code V Amount

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

32,441 D

Stock

Security

(Instr. 3)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

(Month/Day/Year)

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of corDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed or (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
Stock Options (right to purchase)	\$ 94.96	03/14/2018		A(1)	30,882	03/14/2021	03/14/2028	Common Stock	30,882
Stock Options (right to purchase)	\$ 57.71					10/03/2020	10/03/2027	Common Stock	20,000
Stock Options (right to purchase)	\$ 57.34					04/18/2020	04/18/2027	Common Stock	20,000
Stock Options (right to purchase)	\$ 45.59					03/31/2019	03/31/2026	Common Stock	40,000
Stock Options (right to purchase)	\$ 85.97					12/11/2017	12/11/2022	Common Stock	40,000
Common Units (2)	\$ 0 (2)					(2)	(2)	Common Stock (2)	286.95

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BROOKS DAVID A 14185 DALLAS PARKWAY, SUITE 1100 DALLAS, TX 75254

COO, GC and Secretary

# **Signatures**

/s/ David A. Brooks 03/16/2018

Date

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\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

## **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 options were acquired from the Issuer in a grant under the Issuer's 2014 Incentive Plan.
  - Common units ("Common Units") in Ashford Hospitality Advisors LLC, the Issuer's operating subsidiary, owned by the Reporting
- (2) Person. Common Units are redeemable for cash or, at the option of the Issuer, convertible into shares of the Issuer's common stock on a 1-for-1 basis. The Common Units have no expiration date.

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