

ASHFORD HOSPITALITY TRUST INC

Form 8-K

April 30, 2008

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**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 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): April 30, 2008  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)**

Maryland 001-31775 86-1062192

(State or other jurisdiction of  
incorporation or organization) (Commission  
File Number) (IRS employer  
identification number)

14185 Dallas Parkway, Suite 1100  
Dallas, Texas 75254

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (972) 490-9600

Check the appropriated box if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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**ITEM 2.02. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND FINANCIAL CONDITION**

On April 30, 2008, Ashford Hospitality Trust, Inc. (the Company ) issued a press release announcing its financial results for its first quarter ended March 31, 2008. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

The information in this Form 8-K and Exhibits attached hereto shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

**ITEM 9.01. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS**

Exhibits

99.1 First Quarter 2008 Earnings Press Release of the Company, dated April 30, 2008

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**SIGNATURE**

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 12 of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Dated: April 30, 2008

ASHFORD HOSPITALITY TRUST, INC.

By: /s/ DAVID J. KIMICHIK

David J. Kimichik

Chief Financial Officer