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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SALTZMAN RICHARD B

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Issuer

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

below)

Colony Capital, Inc. [CLNY]

(Check all applicable)

CEO, President and Director

(First) (Last)

(Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

C/O COLONY CAPITAL, INC., 515 01/02/2017

_X__ Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title below)

S. FLOWER STREET, 44TH

(Street)

(State)

FLOOR

(City)

4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

LOS ANGELES, CA 90071

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

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4. Securities Acquired (A) 5. Amount of 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 6. 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transactionr Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) Direct (D) (Instr. 8) Owned Ownership or Indirect Following (Instr. 4) Reported (I) (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Price Code V Amount (D)

Class A Common

 $A^{(1)}$ 01/02/2017

(Zip)

143,590 \$0 A 1,978,047

Stock

Stock

Class A Common

01/02/2017

 $F^{(2)}$ 39,395 D

1.938.652

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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. 5. TransactionNumber		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities		8. Price of Derivativ	
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of So A (A D of (I		(Month/Day re		(Instr. 3 and		Security (Instr. 5)
				Code V	V (A	A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
OP Units	<u>(5)</u>						<u>(5)</u>	(5)	Class A Common Stock	375,611	
OP Units	<u>(5)</u>						(5)	(5)	Class A Common Stock	46,576	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
SALTZMAN RICHARD B C/O COLONY CAPITAL, INC. 515 S. FLOWER STREET, 44TH FLOOR LOS ANGELES, CA 90071	X		CEO, President and Director				

Signatures

/s/ David A. Palame, as
Attorney-in-fact

**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 acquisition represents the receipt of Class A common stock granted by the Issuer for services provided by Mr. Saltzman to the Issuer.
- (2) The shares were withheld by the Issuer in satisfaction of withholding taxes incurred in connection with the vesting of certain shares of Class A common stock acquired through prior grants.
- The amount represents the portion of the units allocated to the reporting person with respect to which the reporting person has the right to (3) require from time to time the redemption thereof and distribution to the reporting person of the common shares or cash received upon such redemption.

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- (4) These units are held by limited liability companies controlled by Thomas J. Barrack, Jr.
- (5) The OP Units are redeemable for shares of Class A Common Stock or cash at the discretion of the Issuer. The OP Units do not have expiration dates.

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