Sunstone Hotel Investors, Inc.

Form 4

October 30, 2007

### FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * ALTER ROBERT A			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
			Sunstone Hotel Investors, Inc. [SHO]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction			
			(Month/Day/Year)	X Director 10% Owner		
903 CALLE AMANECER, SUITE 100		a, SUITE	10/26/2007	Officer (give titleX_ Other (specify below)		
				Executive Chairman		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)		
SAN CLEMENTE, CA 92011				_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

#### SAN CLEMENTE, CA 92011

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	e I - Non-De	erivative S	ecuriti	ies Acq	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired n(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	10/26/2007		M	42,105	A	<u>(1)</u>	266,023	D	
Common Stock	10/26/2007		F	15,053	D	<u>(2)</u>	250,970	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	f 2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	e and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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									Amount		
						Date	Expiration		or Number		
						Exercisable	exercisable Date		of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		
				Code v	(A) (D)				Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships
-		

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ALTER ROBERT A 903 CALLE AMANECER SUITE 100 SAN CLEMENTE, CA 92011

X

**Executive Chairman** 

### **Signatures**

/s/ Robert A. 10/30/2007 Alter

Date \*\*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).
- On October 26, 2004, Mr. Alter was granted an aggregate amount of 210,526 restricted stock units, subject to the satisfaction of vesting requirements over a five-year period, with the first annual vesting on October 26, 2005. Upon vesting, Sunstone Hotel Investors, Inc. will deliver one share of Common Stock for each vested restricted stock unit. Mr. Alter has only the rights of an unsecured creditor in the restricted stock units and no rights as a stockholder in Sunstone Hotel Investors, Inc. until the restricted stock unit vests.
- On October 26, 2007, 42,105 restricted stock units vested and 15,053 shares of Common Stock were withheld to satisfy tax withholding **(2)** obligations. The closing stock price on October 26, 2007 of Sunstone Hotel Investors, Inc. on the New York Stock Exchange was \$27.05.

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