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**SECURITIES** 

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person \* Statement CHOICE HOTELS INTERNATIONAL INC /DE [CHH] Bonds John (Month/Day/Year) 09/19/2017 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 1 CHOICE HOTELS CIRCLE (Check all applicable) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) 10% Owner Director \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting \_X\_\_ Officer Other Person ROCKVILLE, Â MDÂ 20850 (give title below) (specify below) Form filed by More than One Senior Vice President Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 2. Amount of Securities 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) D Â Common Stock 16,361 Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a

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

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	

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				Shares		(I) (Instr. 5)	
Employee Stock Option (Right to buy)	(1)	03/26/2021	Common Stock	6,378	\$ 45.59	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to buy)	(2)	02/27/2022	Common Stock	6,962	\$ 63.47	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to buy)	(3)	02/26/2023	Common Stock	13,441	\$ 51.49	D	Â

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
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Bonds John 1 CHOICE HOTELS CIRCLE ROCKVILLE Â MDÂ 20850	Â	Â	Senior Vice President	Â		

### **Signatures**

Bret L. Limage, Attorney
In Fact

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) Options vest in four equal annual installments beginning on March 26, 2015, the first anniversary of the grant date.
- (2) Options vest in four equal annual installments beginning on February 27, 2016, the first anniversary of the grant date.
- (3) Options vest in four equal annual installments beginning on February 26, 2017, the first anniversary of the grant date.

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