

ONE Group Hospitality, Inc.
Form 8-K
April 11, 2017

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 10, 2017

THE ONE GROUP HOSPITALITY, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware	001-37379	14-1961545
(State or other jurisdiction	(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer
of incorporation)		Identification No.)

411 W. 14th Street, 2nd Floor

New York, New York 10014

(Address of principal executive offices and zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (646) 624-2400

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (*see* General Instruction A.2. below):

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Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

Appointment of Emanuel Hilario to the Board of Directors

(d) On April 10, 2017, the Board of Directors (the “Board”) of The ONE Group Hospitality, Inc. (the “Company”) appointed Emanuel P.N. Hilario as a director, effective immediately.

As a non-employee director, Mr. Hilario is entitled to receive cash compensation and grants of stock options or other equity awards in accordance with the arrangements in effect for non-employee directors of the Company and its committees. In connection with his appointment to the Board, Mr. Hilario will receive a one-time grant of forty-five thousand dollars (\$45,000) payable in shares of common stock of the Company.

There are no arrangements or understandings between Mr. Hilario and any other person pursuant to which he was selected as a member of the Board. The Company is not aware of any transaction in which Mr. Hilario has an interest requiring disclosure under Item 404(a) of Regulation S-K.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit

Description

No.

99.1 Press Release dated April 10, 2017.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities 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 10, 2017 THE ONE GROUP
HOSPITALITY, INC.

By: /s/ Samuel Goldfinger
Name: Samuel Goldfinger
Title: Chief Financial Officer