

Summit Hotel OP, LP

Form 8-K

April 10, 2012

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 6, 2012

SUMMIT HOTEL PROPERTIES, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Maryland

001-35074

27-2962512

(State or Other Jurisdiction

(Commission File Number) (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

of Incorporation or Organization)

SUMMIT HOTEL OP, LP

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Delaware

000-54273

20-0617340

(State or Other Jurisdiction

(Commission File Number) (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

of Incorporation or Organization)

2701 South Minnesota Avenue, Suite 6

Sioux Falls, South Dakota 57105

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

(605) 361-9566

(Registrants' telephone number, including area code)

Not applicable

(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:

Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)

Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

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.

Effective April 6, 2012, Mr. Ryan A. Bertucci resigned his position as the Vice of President of Acquisitions of Summit Hotel Properties, Inc.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) *Exhibits*

99.1 Press release issued on April 10, 2012.

SIGNATURE

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.

SUMMIT HOTEL PROPERTIES, INC.

(Registrant)

By: /s/ Christopher R. Eng

Christopher R. Eng

Date: April 10, 2012

Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

SUMMIT HOTEL OP, LP

(Registrant)

By: SUMMIT HOTEL GP, LLC,

its General Partner

By: SUMMIT HOTEL PROPERTIES, INC.,

its Sole Member

By: /s/ Christopher R. Eng

Christopher R. Eng

Date: April 10, 2012

Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

EXHIBIT INDEX

<u>Exhibit</u>	Description
99.1	Press release issued on April 10, 2012.