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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Kuene Michael L.</u>  (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O EXTENDED STAY AMERICA, INC. 11525 N. COMMUNITY HOUSE ROAD, SUITE 100  (Street) CHARLOTTE NC 28277  (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>Extended Stay America, Inc. [ STAY ]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)  See Remarks
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/16/2021	
	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially 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 (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	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			
Paired Shares <sup>(1)</sup>	06/16/2021		A <sup>(2)</sup>		15,979	A	\$0	34,409	D	
Paired Shares <sup>(1)</sup>	06/16/2021		D <sup>(3)</sup>		34,409	D	\$18.75 <sup>(3)</sup>	0	D	

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

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date					

Explanation of Responses:

- Each Paired Share is comprised of one share of common stock, par value \$0.01 per share, of Extended Stay America, Inc. and one share of Class B common stock, par value \$0.01 per share, of ESH Hospitality, Inc., which shares are paired and traded as a single unit. This Form 4 is being filed in connection with the merger ("Merger") of a wholly-owned subsidiary of Eagle Parent Holdings L.P. ("Eagle") with and into the Issuer, pursuant to the terms of the certain Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated as of March 14, 2021 (the "Merger Agreement"), between the Issuer and Eagle. The Merger closed on June 16, 2021.
- Reflects performance-based restricted stock units previously awarded to the reporting person that vested and settled into Paired Shares pursuant to the terms of the Merger Agreement.
- Each Paired Share held directly or indirectly by the reporting person at the effective time of the Merger was disposed of for \$18.75 in cash, pursuant to the terms of the Merger Agreement. This price does not include the special dividend of \$1.75 per Paired Share that the reporting person has the right to receive in connection with the consummation of the Merger.

Remarks:

Mr. Kuene is the Senior Vice President, Chief Customer Experience Officer of Extended Stay America, Inc.

Christopher Dekle, Attorney-in-Fact for Michael L. Kuene 06/21/2021

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

\* 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).

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