ASHFORD HOSPITALITY TRUST INC Form 8-K August 05, 2004

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): August 5, 2004

ASHFORD HOSPITALITY TRUST, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

MARYLAND (State of Incorporation)

001-31775 (Commission File Number)

86-1062192 (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

14185 Dallas Parkway, Suite 1100 Dallas, Texas

75254

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (972) 490-9600

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On August 5, 2004, Ashford Hospitality Trust, Inc. (the Company) held an earnings conference call for its second quarter ended June 30, 2004. A copy of the conference call transcript is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.37 and is incorporated herein by reference.

Exhibits

99.37 Earnings conference call transcript of the Company dated August 5, 2004.

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SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 12 of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Dated: August 5, 2004

ASHFORD HOSPITALITY TRUST, INC.

By: /s/ DAVID A. BROOKS David A. Brooks Chief Legal Officer