Ashford Inc Form 4 December 15, 2014

#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Welter Jeremy

(First) (Middle) (Last)

**14185 DALLAS** PARKWAY, SUITE 1100

(Street)

DALLAS, TX 75254

(City) (State)

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3)

(Zip)

(Month/Day/Year)

3. Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or

Symbol

Ashford Inc [AINC]

(Month/Day/Year)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

12/11/2014

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Code (Instr. 8)

Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

4. Securities

Owned Following (A)

Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

Issuer

below)

Person

5. Amount of

Securities

Beneficially

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Director

Applicable Line)

X\_ Officer (give title

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

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

1. Title of Derivative Security

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

any

4. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

EVP, Asset Management

6. Ownership

Form: Direct

(D) or Indirect Beneficial

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(T)

(Instr. 4)

below)

10% Owner

Other (specify

7. Nature of

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

SEC 1474

(9-02)

Indirect

Estimated average

burden hours per

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8	(I (I	acquired r Dispose D) Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	ed of				
				Code '	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Numbe of Shar
Stock Options (right to purchase)	\$ 85.97	12/11/2014		A	3	30,000		12/11/2017	12/11/2022	Commmon Stock	30,00
Common Units (2)	\$ 0							(2)	(2)	Common Stock (2)	68.13

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
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Officer Other Director 10% Owner

Welter Jeremy 14185 DALLAS PARKWAY **SUITE 1100** DALLAS, TX 75254

EVP, Asset Management

# **Signatures**

/s/ JEREMY 12/15/2014 **WELTER** 

\*\*Signature of Date Reporting Person

# **Explanation of Responses:**

- 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).
- (1) The options were acquired from the Issuer in a grant under the Issuer's 2014 Incentive Plan.

Common units ("Common Units") in Ashford Hospitality Advisors LLC, the Issuer's operating subsidiary, owned by the Reporting Person. Common Units, on or after November 12, 2015, are redeemable for cash or, at the option of the Issuer, convertible into shares of

the Issuer's common stock on a 1-for-1 basis. The Common Units have no expiration date.

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