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): August 24, 2010

CHATHAM LODGING TRUST

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Maryland (State or Other Jurisdiction **001-34693** (Commission File Number) **27-1200777** (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

of Incorporation or Organization)
50 Cocoanut Row, Suite 216

Palm Beach, Florida

(Address of principal executive offices)

33480 (Zip Code)

(561) 802-4477

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable

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

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

Item 2.01 Completion of Acquisition or Disposition of Assets.

On August 24, 2010, a wholly owned subsidiary of Chatham Lodging Trust (the "Company") completed the acquisitions of the 105-room Courtyard by Marriott[®] in Altoona, Pennsylvania (the "Altoona Courtyard") and the 86-room SpringHill Suites by Marriott[®] in Washington, Pennsylvania (the "Washington SpringHill Suites" and, together with the Altoona Courtyard, the "Hotels") for a total cash purchase price of \$23.3 million, plus customary prorated amounts and closing costs, including the assumption of \$12.4 million of debt on the Hotels. The Altoona Courtyard was purchased from Moody National CY Altoona PA, LLC and the Washington SpringHill Suites was purchased from Moody National SHS Washington PA, LLC. The Hotels will be managed by Concord Hospitality Enterprises ("Concord") pursuant to management agreements between the Company's taxable real estate investment trust subsidiary ("TRS") and Concord. The Company funded the purchase price for the Hotels from the proceeds of its initial public offering of common shares, which was completed on April 21, 2010.

The management agreements with Concord provide for base management fees equal to 4% of the managed hotel's gross room revenue. The initial ten-year term of each management agreement is set to expire on February 28, 2017 and will renew automatically for successive one-year terms unless terminated by the TRS or Concord by written notice to the other party no later than 90 days prior to the term's expiration. The management agreements may be terminated for cause, including the failure of the managed hotel operating performance to meet specified levels.

A copy of the press release announcing the completion of the acquisition of the Hotels is filed as Exhibit 99.1 to this report.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(a) Financial Statements of Businesses Acquired.

The financial statements required by Item 9.01(a) are currently being prepared. The Company will file the required financial statements under the cover of Form 8-K/A as soon as practicable but not later than November 9, 2010, which is 71 calendar days after the latest date on which this initial Current Report on Form 8-K is required to be filed.

(b) Pro Forma Financial Information.

The pro forma financial information required by Item 9.01(b) is currently being prepared. The Company will file the required pro forma financial information under the cover of Form 8-K/A as soon as practicable but not later than November 9, 2010, which is 71 calendar days after the latest date on which this initial Current Report on Form 8-K is required to be filed.

(d) Exhibits.

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| 99.1 | Press release dated August 24, 2010 |

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.

CHATHAM LODGING TRUST

Date: August 30, 2010

By: <u>/s/</u> Julio E. Morales Julio E. Morales Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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Exhibit
NumberDescription99.1Press release dated August 24, 2010



For Immediate Release

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Chatham Lodging Trust Completes Acquisition of Two Hotels

PALM BEACH, Fla., August 24, 2010—Chatham Lodging Trust (NYSE: CLDT), a hotel real estate investment trust (REIT) focused on upscale extendedstay hotels and premium-branded select-service hotels, today announced that it has completed the acquisition of two hotels as part of a previously announced four-hotel package. The hotels are the 86-room SpringHill Suites by Marriott[®] in Washington, Pa. and the 105-room Courtyard by Marriott[®] in Altoona, Pa. The hotels will continue to be managed by Concord Hospitality Enterprises.

The company now has closed on three of the hotels in a previously announced four-hotel portfolio. The fourth hotel, a Residence Inn by Marriott[®] in White Plains, N.Y., remains subject to completion of due diligence and other closing conditions as previously reported.

About Chatham Lodging Trust

Chatham Lodging Trust is a self-advised real estate investment trust that was organized to invest in upscale extended-stay hotels and premium-branded select-service hotels. The company currently owns 10 hotels with an aggregate of 1,248 rooms/suites and has three additional hotels under contract to purchase. Additional information about Chatham may be found at <u>www.chathamlodgingtrust.com</u>.

This press release may contain "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995 about Chatham Lodging Trust, including those statements regarding acquisitions, capital expenditures, future operating results and the timing and composition of revenues, among others, and statements containing words such as "expects," "believes" or "will," which indicate that those statements are forward-looking. Except for historical information, the matters discussed in this press release are forward-looking statements that are subject to certain risks and uncertainties that could cause the actual results or performance to differ materially from those discussed in such statements. Additional risks are discussed in the company's filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission.