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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 10-Q

x QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

FOR THE QUARTERLY PERIOD ENDED June 30, 2013

o TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

COMMISSION FILE NO. 001-13393

CHOICE HOTELS INTERNATIONAL, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

1 CHOICE HOTELS CIRCLE, SUITE 400

ROCKVILLE, MD 20850

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

(301) 592-5000

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

(Former name, former address and former fiscal year, if changed since last report)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months, and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes x No o

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Web site, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (§232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months. Yes x

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, or a smaller reporting company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer," and "smaller reporting company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

Large accelerated filerx

Non-accelerated filer o

Accelerated filer Smaller reporting company o

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange

Act). Yes o No x

52-1209792

(I.R.S. Employer

Identification No.)

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CLASS Common Stock, Par Value \$0.01 per share SHARES OUSTANDING AT JUNE 30, 2013 58,535,024

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PART I. FINANCIAL INFORMATION

ITEM 1. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

CHOICE HOTELS INTERNATIONAL, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME (UNAUDITED, IN THOUSANDS, EXCEPT PER SHARE AMOUNTS)

	Three Month June 30,	ns E	nded		Six Months Ended June 30,			
	2013		2012		2013		2012	
REVENUES:	2013		2012		2013		2012	
Royalty fees	\$68,379		\$66,064		\$118,115		\$113,917	
Initial franchise and relicensing fees	4,416		3,178		8,193		5,706	
Procurement services	7,546		6,836		11,496		10,151	
Marketing and reservation	99,645		94,633		176,085		165,562	
Hotel operations	1,334		1,224		2,290		2,202	
Other	2,258		1,686		4,271		5,252	
Total revenues	183,578		173,621		320,450		302,790	
OPERATING EXPENSES:								
Selling, general and administrative	30,180		24,554		57,096		48,903	
Depreciation and amortization	2,520		1,977		4,695		3,994	
Marketing and reservation	99,645		94,633		176,085		165,562	
Hotel operations	911		867		1,786		1,676	
Total operating expenses	133,256		122,031		239,662		220,135	
Operating income	50,322		51,590		80,788		82,655	
OTHER INCOME AND EXPENSES, NET:								
Interest expense	10,807		3,540		21,577		6,657	
Interest income	(659)	(394)	(1,303)	(731)
Other (gains) and losses	147		377		(563)	(1,626)
Equity in net (income) loss of affiliates	(60)	128		81		183	
Total other income and expenses, net	10,235		3,651		19,792		4,483	
Income before income taxes	40,087		47,939		60,996		78,172	
Income taxes	11,853		16,077		17,239		26,313	
Net income	\$28,234		\$31,862		\$43,757		\$51,859	
Basic earnings per share	\$0.48		\$0.55		\$0.75		\$0.89	
Diluted earnings per share	\$0.48		\$0.55		\$0.74		\$0.89	

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

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CHOICE HOTELS INTERNATIONAL, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (UNAUDITED, IN THOUSANDS)

	Three Months	Ended	Six Months Ended			
	June 30,		June 30,			
	2013	2012	2013	2012		
Net income	\$28,234	\$31,862				