O'Donnell James C. Form 4 September 29, 2017

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

Washington, D.C. 20549

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * O'Donnell James C.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

VAIL RESORTS INC [MTN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(First) (Last)

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(Street)

(Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

09/27/2017

(Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner

EVP, Hospitality, Retail & RE

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

BROOMFIELD, CO 80021

(City) (State) (Zip) 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Execution Date, if Code (Month/Day/Year)

TransactionAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (T) (Instr. 4)

Transaction(s)

Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A) Code V Amount (D) Price

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Reported

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

(Instr. 3)

Conversion or Exercise

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

any

4. 5. Number Transaction of Derivative Expiration Date Code Securities

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

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

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8		Acquire (A) or Dispose (D) (Instr. 3 and 5)	d of				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Share Unit	\$ 0	09/27/2017		A		1,138		<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	1,138
Share Appreciation Right	\$ 228.04	09/27/2017		A		3,058		(2)	09/27/2027	Common Stock	3,058

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

O'Donnell James C.

390 INTERLOCKEN CRESCENT BROOMFIELD, CO 80021 EVP, Hospitality, Retail & RE

Signatures

Emily S. Barbara, Attorney-in-Fact for James O'Donnell

09/29/2017

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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).
- On September 27, 2017, Reporting Person was granted 1,138 Restricted Share Units, which vest in three equal annual installments beginning on September 27, 2018.
- On September 27, 2017, Reporting Person was granted 3,058 Share Appreciation Rights, which vest in three equal annual installments beginning on September 27, 2018.

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