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): **September 29, 2022**

DiamondRock Hospitality Company (Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

| | Maryland | 001-32514 | 20-1180098 |
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| | (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) | (Commission File Numb | er) (IRS Employer Identification No.) |
| | (Addı | 2 Bethesda Metro Center, Su Bethesda, MD 20814 ress of Principal Executive Office | |
| | (Regi | (240) 744-1150 strant's telephone number, inclu- | ding area code) |
| | e appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is provisions (<i>see</i> General Instruction A.2. below) | | sfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the |
| | Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425) | | |
| | Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12) | | |
| | Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b)) | | |
| | Pre-commencement communications pursua | ant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the E | xchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c)) |
| Securities | registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Section | urities Act: | |
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| | Title of each class | Trading symbol(s) | Name of each exchange on which registered |
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Item 8.01 Other Events.

On September 29, 2022, the Board of Directors of DiamondRock Hospitality Company (the "Company") approved a share repurchase program that authorizes the Company to repurchase up to Two Hundred Million Dollars (\$200,000,000) of the Company's common stock through February 28, 2025. The timing and actual number of shares repurchased will depend on a variety of factors, including price and general business and market conditions. Under the share repurchase program, repurchases can be made from time to time using a variety of methods, including open market purchases or privately negotiated transactions, all in compliance with the rules of the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and other applicable legal requirements. The share repurchase program does not obligate the Company to acquire any particular amount of shares, and the share repurchase program may be suspended or discontinued at any time at the Company's discretion.

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.

DIAMONDROCK HOSPITALITY COMPANY

Date: September 30, 2022 By /s/ Briony R. Quinn

Briony R. Quinn

Senior Vice President and Treasurer