Colony Capital, Inc. Form 4 April 04, 2016

FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Traenkle Kevin P.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Colony Capital, Inc. [CLNY]

(First) (Middle) (Last)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

04/04/2016

C/O COLONY CAPITAL, INC., 515 SOUTH FLOWER STREET, 44TH **FLOOR**

(Street)

(State)

(Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Number:

Expires:

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Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below)

Exec. Dir.-CIO Global Real Est

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

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

LOS ANGELES, CA 90071

(City)

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Following (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Price Code V Amount (D) Class A Common 04/04/2016 J 101,208 (1) 328,110 D Α Stock

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)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8 I S (
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
OP Units	(2)	04/04/2016		J		101,208	(2)	(2)	Class A Common Stock	101,208	
OP Units	(3)	04/04/2016		J		82,808	(3)	(3)	Class A Common Stock	82,808	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Traenkle Kevin P. C/O COLONY CAPITAL, INC. 515 SOUTH FLOWER STREET, 44TH FLOOR LOS ANGELES, CA 90071

Exec. Dir.-CIO Global Real Est

Signatures

/s/ David A. Palame, as
Attorney-in-fact
04/04/2016

**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).
- The acquisition represents the acquisition of shares of Class A Common Stock by the reporting person as a distribution from limited liability companies ("LLCs") controlled by Thomas J. Barrack, Jr., which shares were received by such LLCs upon redemption of OP Units, which were allocated to the reporting person pursuant to the operating agreements of the LLCs. The OP Units were redeemed for an equal number of shares of the issuer's Class A Common Stock.
- These units are held by LLCs controlled by Thomas J. Barrack, Jr. A portion of the units allocated to the reporting person, as a member of the LLCs, was redeemed by the LLCs for shares of Class A Common Stock, at the discretion of the issuer, and the reporting person received shares of Class A Common Stock as a distribution from the LLCs upon such redemption. The OP Units do not have expiration dates
- These units are held by LLCs controlled by Thomas J. Barrack, Jr. A portion of the units allocated to the reporting person, as a member of the LLCs, was redeemed by the LLCs for cash, at the discretion of the issuer, and the reporting person received cash as a distribution from the LLCs upon such redemption. The OP Units do not have expiration dates.

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