FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Metz Justin         |  |  |  |         |   | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Colony Capital, Inc. [ CLNY ] |         |               |   |  |        |  |          | Relationship<br>neck all appli<br>X Directo         | cable)<br>or   | ng Per                              | son(s) to Iss<br>10% Ov<br>Other (s                                      | vner   |  |
|---|--|--|--|---------|---|---|---------|---------------|---|--|--------|--|----------|---|--|-------------------------------------|--|--|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O COLONY CAPITAL, INC.              |  |  |  |         |   | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/15/2020               |         |               |   |  |        |  |          | below)  | (give title  |                                     | below)   | вреспу<br>   |  |
| 515 S. FLOWER ST., 44TH FLOOR  (Street)  LOS ANGELES CA 90071 |  |  |  |         | 4. If                                   | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)                  |         |               |   |  |        |  |          |   | . Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |                                     |  |  |  |
| (City) (State) (Zip)  |  |  |  |         |   |   |         |               |   |  |        |  |          |   |  |                                     |  |  |  |
|   |  | Tab  | le I - Non                                       | -Deriva | ative                                   | Sec   | urities | s Ac          | quired, D   | ispo   | osed o | of, or Be  | neficial | ly Owned  | k  |                                     |  |  |  |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Da    |  |  |  |         | Execution Date                          |   |         | Code (Instr.  |   | 4. Securities Acquired (A)<br>Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3,<br>5) |        |  | Benefici | es<br>ally<br>Following                             | Form<br>(D) o  | n: Direct<br>r Indirect<br>istr. 4) | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4)        |  |  |
|   |  |  |  |         |   |   |         |               | Code  | <u> </u>   | Amount | (A) o<br>(D)   | Price    | Transac<br>(Instr. 3                                | tion(s)  |                                     |  | (III3ti. 4)  |  |
|   | Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) |  |  |         |   |   |         |               |   |  |        |  |          |   |  |                                     |  |  |  |
| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)           | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security  | 3. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deeme<br>Execution I<br>if any<br>(Month/Day | Date,   | 4.<br>Transaction<br>Code (Instr.<br>8) |   | of E    |               | 6. Date Exercisabl<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |  | le and | 7. Title and<br>Amount of<br>Securities<br>Underlying<br>Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |          | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Number<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficial<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transactio<br>(Instr. 4)                            | ly Direct or Inc (I) (In            | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |
|   | Code V   |  | v  | (A)     | (D)                                     | Date Ex<br>Exercisable Da   |         | oiration<br>e | Amount or Number of Shares                                |  |        |  |          |   |  |                                     |  |  |  |
| Deferred<br>Stock <sup>(1)</sup>                              | (2)  | 01/15/2020                                 |  |         | A                                       |   | 4,838   |               | (2)   |  | (2)    | Class A<br>Common<br>Stock   | 4,838    | \$4.91  | 108,65   | 2                                   | D  |  |  |
| Deferred<br>Stock <sup>(3)</sup>                              | (2)  | 01/15/2020                                 |  |         | J                                       |   | 2,327   |               | (2)   |  | (2)    | Class A<br>Common<br>Stock   | 2,327    | \$4.91  | 110,97   | 9                                   | D  |  |  |

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Represents the receipt of deferred stock units ("Deferred Stock") granted by the Issuer in respect of the reporting person's election to defer cash compensation payable in accordance with the Issuer's non-executive director compensation policy.
- 2. Deferred Stock has no expiration date and is payable in Class A Common Stock after the reporting person's separation from service with the Issuer.
- 3. Represents Deferred Stock granted pursuant to dividend equivalent rights on previously awarded Deferred Stock, 745 of which is scheduled to vest on May 9, 2020.

## Remarks:

/s/ Jenny B. Neslin, as Attorney-in-fact 01/17/2020

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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