ModernGraham Valuation

Company Name:

LaSalle Hotel Properties

Company Ticker LHO
Date of Analysis 3/16/2017



Stage 1: Is this company suitable for the Defensive Investor or the Enterprising Investor?

Defensive Investor; must pass all 6 of the following tests.

1. Adequate Size of the Enterprise	Market Cap > \$2Bil	\$3,329,000,041 Pass
2. Earnings Stability	Positive EPS for 10 years prior	Fail
Dividend Record	Dividend Payments for 10 years prior	Fail
Earnings Growth	Increase of 33% in EPS in past 10 years using 3 year averages at beginning and end	-988.89% Fail
Moderate PEmg Ratio	PEma < 20	21.82 Fail
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Moderate Price to Assets	PB Ratio < 2.5 OR PB*PEmg < 50	1.30 Pass

Enterprising Investor; must pass all 3 of the following tests, or be suitable for the Defensive Investor.

1. Earnings Stability	Positive EPS for 5 years prior	Pass
2. Dividend Record	Currently Pays Dividend	Pass
3. Earnings Growth	EPSmg greater than 5 years ago	Pass

Suitability

Defensive	No
Enterprising	Yes

Stage 2: Determination of Intrinsic Value

EPSmg	1.35
MG Growth Estimate	15.00%
MG Value	\$51.95
MG Value based on 3% Growth	\$19.57
MG Value based on 0% Growth	\$11.47
Market Implied Growth Rate	6.66%

MG Opinion

% of Intrinsic Value	56.67%
Current Price	\$29.44

Opinion Undervalued MG Grade C+

Stage 3: Information for Further Research

Graham Number	\$5.83
PEmg	21.82
PB Ratio	1.30
Dividend Yield	10.24%
Number of Consecutive Years of Dividend	
Growth	1

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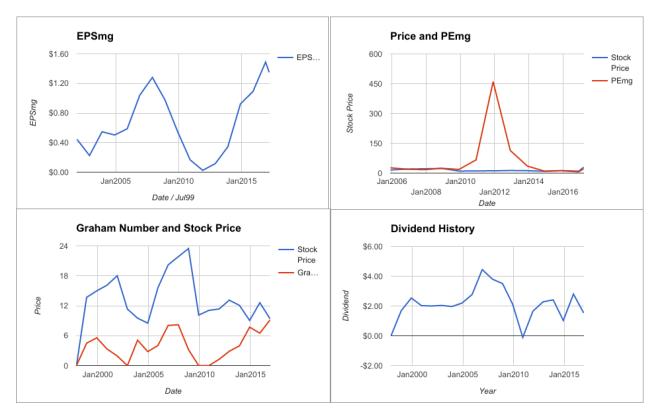
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EPS History		EPSmg History	·
Next Fiscal Year			
Estimate	\$0.84	Next Fiscal Year Estimate	\$1.35
Dec2016	\$2.07	Dec2016	\$1.49
Dec2015	\$1.09	Dec2015	\$1.09
Dec2014	\$1.88	Dec2014	\$0.92
Dec2013	\$0.73	Dec2013	\$0.34
Dec2012	\$0.52	Dec2012	\$0.12
Dec2011	\$0.16	Dec2011	\$0.02
Dec2010	-\$0.36	Dec2010	\$0.17
Dec2009	-\$0.34	Dec2009	\$0.55
Dec2008	\$0.25	Dec2008	\$0.98
Dec2007	\$1.53	Dec2007	\$1.28
Dec2006	\$1.85	Dec2006	\$1.04
Dec2005	\$0.67	Dec2005	\$0.59
Dec2004	\$0.39	Dec2004	\$0.50
Dec2003	\$1.37	Dec2003	\$0.55
Dec2002	-\$0.21	Dec2002	\$0.22
Dec2001	\$0.21	Dec2001	\$0.44
Dec2000	\$0.32	Balance Sheet Information	12/1/2016
		Long-Term Debt & Capital Lease	
Dec1999	\$0.91	Obligation	\$1,118,707,000
Dec1998	\$0.80	Total Assets	\$3,944,079,000
Dec1997	\$0.00	Intangible Assets	\$0
		Total Liabilities	\$1,386,014,000
		Shares Outstanding (Diluted Average)	113,165,000





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