Intrawest Resorts Holdings, Inc. Form SC TO-I January 12, 2016

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE TO TENDER OFFER STATEMENT UNDER SECTION 14(d)(1) or 13(e)(1) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

INTRAWEST RESORTS HOLDINGS, INC.

(Name of Subject Company (Issuer) and Filing Person (Offeror))

Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share

(Title of Class of Securities)

46090K109

(CUSIP Number of Class of Securities)

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CALCULATION OF FILING FEE

Transaction Valuation⁽¹⁾

Amount of Filing Fee⁽²⁾

\$50,000,000

\$5,035

- Calculated solely for purposes of determining the amount of the filing fee. This amount is based upon the offer to (1) purchase for not more than \$50,000,000 in aggregate of up to 5,555,555 shares of common stock of Intrawest Resorts Holdings, Inc. at the minimum tender offer price of \$9.00 per share in cash.
- (2) The amount of the filing fee, calculated in accordance with Rule 0-11 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, equals \$100.70 per million dollars of the value of the transaction.
- o Check the box if any part of the fee is offset as provided by Rule 0-11(a)(2) and identify the filing with which the offsetting fee was previously paid. Identify the previous filing by registration statement number, or the Form or

Schedule and the date of its filing.

Amount Previously Paid: N/A Form or Registration No.: N/A

Filing Party: N/A
Date Filed: N/A

Check the box if filing relates solely to preliminary communications made before the commencement of a tender offer.

Check the appropriate boxes below to designate any transactions to which the statement relates:

- o third-party tender offer subject to Rule 14d-1. issuer tender offer subject to Rule 13e-4.
- o going-private transaction subject to Rule 13e-3.
- o amendment to Schedule 13D under Rule 13d-2.

Check the following box if the filing is a final amendment reporting the results of the tender offer: o

This Issuer Tender Offer Statement on Schedule TO (this Schedule TO) relates to the offer by Intrawest Resorts Holdings, Inc., a Delaware corporation (Intrawest or the Company), to purchase for not more than \$50,000,000 in cash shares of its common stock, par value 0.01 per share (the Shares), pursuant to (i) auction tenders at prices specified by the tendering shareholders of not greater than 0.00 per Share nor less than 0.00 per Share or (ii) purchase price tenders pursuant to which shareholders indicate they are willing to sell their Shares to the Company at the purchase price determined in the offer, in either case, net to the seller in cash, less any applicable withholding taxes and without interest, upon the terms and subject to the conditions described in the Offer to Purchase, dated January 12, 2016 (the Offer to Purchase), a copy of which is filed herewith as Exhibit (a)(1)(A), and in the related Letter of Transmittal (the Letter of Transmittal, which together with the Offer to Purchase, as they may be amended or supplemented from time to time, constitute the Offer), a copy of which is filed herewith as Exhibit (a)(1)(B). This Schedule TO is intended to satisfy the reporting requirements of Rule 13e-4(c)(2) promulgated under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the Exchange Act).

The information contained in the Offer to Purchase and the Letter of Transmittal is hereby incorporated by reference in response to all the items of this Schedule TO.

Item 1. Summary Term Sheet.

The information under the heading Summary Term Sheet, included in the Offer to Purchase, is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 2. Subject Company Information.

- (a) The name of the issuer is Intrawest Resorts Holdings, Inc. The address and telephone number of the issuer s principal executive offices are: 1621 18th Street, Suite 300, Denver, Colorado 80202, (303) 749-8200.
- (b) The subject securities are Intrawest s common stock, par value \$0.01 per Share. As of January 8, 2016, there were 45,219,380 Shares issued and outstanding.
- (c) Information about the trading market and price of the Shares is incorporated herein by reference from the Offer to Purchase under the heading Section 8 Price Range of Shares.

Item 3. Identity and Background of Filing Person.

(a) The filing person to which this Schedule TO relates is Intrawest Resorts Holdings, Inc., the issuer of the Shares. The address and telephone number of Intrawest are set forth under Item 2(a) above. The names of the directors and executive officers of Intrawest are as set forth in the Offer to Purchase under the heading Section 11 — Interests of Directors and Executive Officers; Transactions and Arrangements Concerning the Shares, and such information is incorporated herein by reference. The business address and business telephone number of each director and executive officer of Intrawest are c/o Intrawest Resorts Holdings, Inc., 1621 18th Street, Suite 300, Denver, Colorado 80202, (303) 749-8200.

Item 4. Terms of the Transaction.

(a) The material terms of the transaction are incorporated herein by reference from the Offer to Purchase under the headings Summary Term Sheet, Section 1 — Number of Shares; Purchase Price; Proration, Section 2 — Purpose of the Offer; Certain Effects of the Offer, Section 3 — Procedures for Tendering Shares, Section 4 — Withdrawal Rights, Section 5 — Purchase of Shares and Payment of Purchase Price, Section 6 — Conditional Tender of Shares, Section 7 — Condit of the Offer, Section 9 — Source and Amount of Funds, Section 10 — Certain Information Concerning the Company, Section 11 — Interests of Directors and Executive Officers; Transactions and Arrangements Concerning the Shares, Section 14 — U.S. Federal Income Tax Considerations and Section 15 — Extension of the Offer; Termination;

Amendment. There will be no material differences in the rights of security holders as a result of this transaction.

(b) The details regarding any purchases from an officer, director or affiliate of Intrawest are incorporated herein by reference from the Offer to Purchase under the heading Section 11 — Interests of Directors and Executive Officers; Transactions and Arrangements Concerning the Shares.

Item 5. Past Contracts, Transactions, Negotiations and Agreements.

(e) Information regarding agreements involving Intrawest s securities is incorporated herein by reference from the Offer to Purchase under the heading Section 11 — Interests of Directors and Executive Officers; Transactions and Arrangements Concerning the Shares.

Item 6. Purposes of the Transaction and Plans or Proposals.

- (a) Information regarding the purpose of the transaction is incorporated herein by reference from the Offer to Purchase under the headings Summary Term Sheet and Section 2 Purpose of the Offer; Certain Effects of the Offer.
- (b) Information regarding the treatment of Shares acquired pursuant to the Offer is incorporated herein by reference from the Offer to Purchase under the heading Section 2 Purpose of the Offer; Certain Effects of the Offer.
- (c) Information about any plans or proposals is incorporated herein by reference from the Offer to Purchase under the headings Section 2 Purpose of the Offer; Certain Effects of the Offer, Section 8 Price Range of Shares and Section 11 Interests of Directors and Executive Officers; Transactions and Arrangements Concerning the Shares.

Item 7. Source and Amount of Funds or Other Consideration.

- (a) Information regarding the source of funds is incorporated herein by reference from the Offer to Purchase under the heading Section 9 Source and Amount of Funds.
- (b) Financing will not be required in connection with the Offer.
- (d) None of the consideration for the Offer will be borrowed. Intrawest will use cash and cash equivalents to fund the Offer.

Item 8. Interest in Securities of the Subject Company.

- (a) The information under the heading Section 11 Interests of Directors and Executive Officers; Transactions and Arrangements Concerning the Shares in the Offer to Purchase is incorporated herein by reference.
- (b) The information under the heading Section 11 Interests of Directors and Executive Officers; Transactions and Arrangements Concerning the Shares in the Offer to Purchase is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9. Persons/Assets, Retained, Employed, Compensated or Used.

(a) The information under the headings Summary Term Sheet and Section 16 — Fees and Expenses in the Offer to Purchase is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 10. Financial Statements.

(a)-(b) Not applicable. The consideration offered consists solely of cash. The Offer is not subject to any financing condition and Intrawest is a public reporting company under Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act that files reports electronically on EDGAR.

Item 11. Additional Information.

The Company will amend the Schedule TO to include documents that the Company may file with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the SEC) after the date of the Offer to Purchase pursuant to Sections 13(a), 13(c) or 14 of the Exchange Act and prior to the expiration of the Offer to the extent required by Rule 13e-4(d)(2) of the Exchange Act.

(a)(1) The information under the heading Section 11 — Interests of Directors and Executive Officers; Transactions and Arrangements Concerning the Shares in the Offer to Purchase is incorporated herein by reference. The Company will amend this Schedule TO to reflect material changes to information incorporated by reference in the Offer to Purchase to the extent required by Rule 13e-4(d)(2).

- (a)(2) The information under the heading Section 13 Certain Legal Matters; Regulatory Approvals in the Offer to Purchase is incorporated herein by reference.
- (a)(3) The information under the heading Section 13 Certain Legal Matters; Regulatory Approvals in the Offer to Purchase is incorporated herein by reference.

- (a)(4) The information under the heading Section 2 Purpose of the Offer; Certain Effects of the Offer in the Offer to Purchase is incorporated herein by reference.
- (a)(5) None. The information under the heading Section 13 Certain Legal Matters; Regulatory Approvals in the Offer to Purchase is incorporated herein by reference.
- (c) The information set forth in the Offer to Purchase and the related Letter of Transmittal, as each may be amended or supplemented from time to time, is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 12. Exhibits.

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(a)(1)(D)	Letter to Brokers, Dealers, Commercial Banks, Trust Companies and Other Nominees, dated January 12, 2016.	
(a)(1)(E)	Letter to Clients for Use by Brokers, Dealers, Commercial Banks, Trust Companies and Other Nominees, dated January 12, 2016.	
(a)(1)(F)	Summary Advertisement, dated January 12, 2016.	
(a)(2)	None.	
(a)(3)	Not applicable.	
(a)(4)	Not applicable.	
(a)(5)(A)	Press release dated January 12, 2016, announcing the commencement of the Offer.	
(a)(5)(B)	E-mail to Intrawest employees in connection with the Offer, sent January 12, 2016.	
(b)	None.	
(d)(1)	Stockholders' Agreement, dated January 30, 2014, by and between Intrawest and Intrawest Europe Holdings S.A.R.L. and Intrawest S.A.R.L. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 to our quarterly report on Form 10-Q, filed with the SEC on May 13, 2014).	
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Item 13. Information Required by Schedule 13E-3.

Not applicable.

None.

None.

Exhibit

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SIGNATURE

After due inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

INTRAWEST RESORTS HOLDINGS, INC.

By: /s/ Karen Sanford

Name: Karen Sanford

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