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FORM 4

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

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| ction 1(b). |
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| Grubbs William J | | n* | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>CROSS COUNTRY HEALTHCARE INC</u> [<u>CCRN</u>] | | ationship of Reporting Per (all applicable) Director | erson(s) to Issuer 10% Owner | | |
|------------------------------------|-----------|----------|---|------------------------|---|---------------------------------|--|--|
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | | x | Officer (give title below) | Other (specify below) | | |
| C/O CROSS COUNTRY HEALTHCARE, INC. | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/22/2017 | President and CEO | | | | |
| 5201 CONGRES | SS AVENUE | | | | | | | |
| (Street) BOCA RATON | FL | 33487 | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | 6. Indiv Line) X | vidual or Joint/Group Filin Form filed by One Rep | orting Person | | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | | | Form filed by More tha Person | in One Reporting | | |

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

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transa Code (8) | | | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--|---|------------------------------|---|-----------|--|------------------------------|--|---|---|
| | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | (1150. 4) |
| Common Stock | 08/22/2017 | | S | | 17,009(1) | D | \$12.26 ⁽²⁾ | 395,188 | D | |
| Common Stock | 08/23/2017 | | S | | 13,617(1) | D | \$12.1 ⁽³⁾ | 381,571 | D | |
| Common Stock | 08/24/2017 | | S | | 18,487(1) | D | \$12.1 ⁽⁴⁾ | 363,084 | D | |

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 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. Transa Code (8) | | 5. Nu of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instr and 5 | Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) ired r osed) . 3, 4 | | ate | 7. Title Amour Securi Underl Deriva Securi and 4) | nt of ties ying tive ty (Instr. 3 | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
|---|---|--|---|------------------------------|------|--|---|-----|---------------------|---|---|---|--|--|--|--|
| | | | | C | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. The transactions reported were made for estate planning purposes.

2. The transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$12.24 to \$12.34. The price above reflects the weighted average sales price. Detailed information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price will be provided upon request by the Commission staff, the Issuer or a security holder of the Issuer.

3. The transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$12.10 to \$12.13. The price above reflects the weighted average sales price.

4. The transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$12.06 to \$12.20. The price above reflects the weighted average sales price.

Remarks:

/s/ William J. Grubbs

08/24/2017 Date

** Signature of Reporting Person

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

* 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).

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