BURKE RICHARD T

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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

Common

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

BURKE RICHARD T

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

UNITEDHEALTH GROUP INC

[UNH]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 04/02/2018

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

C/O UNITEDHEALTH

GROUP, 9900 BREN ROAD EAST

(State)

(First)

(Street)

(Middle)

(Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

X_ Director

Officer (give title

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

MINNETONKA, MN 55343

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially (D) or Owned Following (Instr. 4)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect Beneficial Ownership Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

10% Owner

Other (specify

Reported Transaction(s)

(A)

or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Price Code V Amount (D)

202 (1) A 04/02/2018 \$0 A 1,776,533 D

Common 86,000 I 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)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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					4, and 5)						
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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BURKE RICHARD T C/O UNITEDHEALTH GROUP 9900 BREN ROAD EAST MINNETONKA, MN 55343

X

Signatures

Faraz A. Choudhry, Attorney-in-Fact for Richard T. 04/04/2018 Burke

> **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).
- Represents deferred stock units that are granted as regular quarterly compensation for service as a director of UnitedHealth Group. **(1)** Deferred stock units are immediately vested, but must be retained by the director until the director's completion of service on the Board.
- These shares are held in an irrevocable trust for the benefit of the reporting person's children. The reporting person disclaims beneficial (2) ownership of the shares held by his children's irrevocable trust, and this report should not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of the shares held by the irrevocable trust for the purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

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