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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person \* Statement CROSS COUNTRY HEALTHCARE INC [CCRN] A Murphy Robert Peter (Month/Day/Year) 03/13/2018 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) C/O CROSS COUNTRY (Check all applicable) HEALTHCARE, INC., Â 5201 CONGRESS AVE. 10% Owner Director (Street) \_X\_\_ Officer Other 6. Individual or Joint/Group (give title below) (specify below) Filing(Check Applicable Line) Pres. - Workforce Solutions \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person BOCA RATON, Â FLÂ 33487 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities 3. 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5)

Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

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Common Stock  $19,715 \frac{(1)}{}$  D

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

3. Title and Amount of 6. Nature of Indirect 1. Title of Derivative Security 2. Date Exercisable and 4. 5. Securities Underlying Conversion Ownership Beneficial (Instr. 4) **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year) Derivative Security or Exercise Form of Ownership (Instr. 4) Price of Derivative (Instr. 5) Derivative Security:

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Stock Appreciation Rights	06/01/2016	06/01/2019	Common Stock	750	\$ 4.35	D	Â
Stock Appreciation Rights	(2)	06/01/2020	Common Stock	2,000	\$ 5.21	D	Â

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships				
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Murphy Robert Peter C/O CROSS COUNTRY HEALTHCARE, INC. 5201 CONGRESS AVE. BOCA RATON, FL 33487	Â	Â	Pres Workforce Solutions	Â		

### **Signatures**

/s/ Robert Peter
Murphy

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

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Date

#### **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).
  - Includes 10,213 shares of restricted stock that have not vested, including (1) 3,870 shares that will vest on March 31, 2018, (2) 1,861
- (1) Performance Share Awards that will vest on December 31, 2018, (3) 2,866 shares that will vest on March 31, 2019, and (4) 1,596 shares that will vest on March 31, 2020.
- (2) The stock appreciation rights reported in this row vested in two equal installments on June 1, 2016 and June 1, 2017.

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