GRABER LARRY

Form 4/A September 20, 2017

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

GRABER LARRY

INDEPENDENCE HOLDING CO

(Check all applicable)

Chief Life Annuity Actuary SVP

[IHC]

(Last)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Instr. 8)

_X__ Director X_ Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

(Month/Day/Year) 08/07/2017

below) below)

96 CUMMINGS POINT ROAD

(Middle)

(Zip)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

(Street)

(First)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

08/08/2017

Person

STAMFORD, CT 06902

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

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

(City)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

(State)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (I)

(Instr. 4)

(A)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Following Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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 Derivative Conversion Security or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

4. 5. TransactionNumber Code of

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

(Instr. 4)

8. Price Deriva Securit

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| (Instr. 3) | Price of Derivative Security | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | S / / / / / / / / / / / / / / / / / / / | Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | | | | | (Instr. : |
|--|------------------------------------|------------|------------------|------------|---|--|-----|---------------------|--------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------------|-----------|
| | | | | Code V | <i>I</i> (| (A) (| (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | |
| Stock Option (right to buy) (1) | \$ 9.99 | 08/07/2017 | | D | | | 0 | (2) | 03/18/2018 | Common Stock | 27,500 | \$ (|
| Stock Option (right to buy) (1) | \$ 9.09 | 08/07/2017 | | D | | | 0 | <u>(2)</u> | 01/04/2019 | Common Stock | 27,500 | \$ (|

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|--------------------------------|------|--|--|--|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Othe | | | | |
| GRABER LARRY | | | | | | | | |
| 96 CUMMINGS POINT ROAD | X | | Chief Life Annuity Actuary SVP | | | | | |
| STAMFORD, CT 06902 | | | | | | | | |

Signatures

/s/ Larry R.

Graber

**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).
- The transaction reported in the reporting person's Form 4 filed on August 8, 2017 was reported in error and should be disregarded in its entirety. As of the date of this report, the number of the reporting person's outstanding stock options under the 2006 Plan is as set forth in this report.
- (2) The option has fully vested.
- (3) Granted on March 19, 2008 under the Independence Holding Company 2006 Stock Incentive Plan ("2006 Plan").
- (4) Granted on January 5, 2010 under the 2006 Plan.

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