**REX JOHN F** Form 4 February 14, 2018

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* **REX JOHN F** 

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

UNITEDHEALTH GROUP INC [UNH]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

**EVP Chief Financial Officer** 

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

X\_ Officer (give title below)

10% Owner Other (specify

C/O UNITEDHEALTH GROUP, 9900 BREN ROAD EAST

(Street)

(State)

(Zin)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Director

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

02/12/2018

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

MINNETONKA, MN 53	5343
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(City)

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative	Secur	ities Acqui	ired, Disposed of	or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit or Dispos (Instr. 3,	ed of	` ′	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	02/12/2018		F	1,867	D D	\$ 225.69	58,916.435	D	
Common Stock	02/13/2018		A	12,243 (1)	A	\$ 0	71,159.435	D	
Common Stock	02/13/2018		F	6,024 (2)	D	\$ 226.64	65,135.435	D	
Common Stock	02/13/2018		A	5,516 (3)	A	\$ 0	70,651.435 (4)	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 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securit
	·			Code V	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)  (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sh
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 226.64	02/13/2018		A	29,468	(5)	02/13/2028	Common Stock	29,4

# **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

**REX JOHN F** C/O UNITEDHEALTH GROUP 9900 BREN ROAD EAST MINNETONKA, MN 55343

**EVP Chief Financial Officer** 

## **Signatures**

Faraz A. Choudhry, Attorney-in-Fact for John F. Rex

02/14/2018

\*\*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).
- (1) Represents the settlement of Performance Share Awards for the performance period 2015-2017.
- Represents the withholding of shares to satisfy tax obligations upon the settlement of Performance Share Awards for the performance period 2015-2017.
- (3) The restricted stock units vest at a rate of 25% annually on February 13 from the years 2019 through 2022.
- (4) Amount does not include Performance Share Awards granted to the executive officer on February 13, 2018, as performance awards not tied to stock price are not derivative securities for purposes of Section 16 under guidance from the staff of the SEC. The number of Performance Shares that the executive officer will receive will be determined at the end of the 3-year performance period and will be dependent upon the achievement of cumulative 3-year EPS and average return-on-equity performance metrics approved by the

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Compensation and Human Resources Committee. The target number of Performance Share Awards is 11,031.

(5) The stock options vest at a rate of 25% annually on February 13 from the years 2019 through 2022.

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