#### LINCOLN NATIONAL CORP

Form 4

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## FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* CORNELIO CHARLES C

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

LINCOLN NATIONAL CORP

[LNC]

Issuer

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title

below) President - Ret. Plan Svs.

150 N. RADNOR-CHESTER ROAD 08/19/2014

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

Person

RADNOR, PA 19087

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivative	Secui	rities Acquir	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y 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)	omr Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	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	08/19/2014		M	Amount 38,171	A	\$ 45.7271	153,784.48 (1)	D	
Common Stock	08/19/2014		S	38,171	D	\$ 52.8017 (2)	115,613.48	D	
Common Stock							715.91 (3)	I	By 401(k)

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orderivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 45.7271	08/19/2014		M	38,171	02/14/2006	02/14/2015	Common Stock	38,171

Relationships

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Othe
NELIO CHARLES C			President -	

CORNELIO CHARLES C Presider
150 N. RADNOR-CHESTER ROAD Ret. Plan
RADNOR, PA 19087 Svs.

## **Signatures**

/s/ Charles A. Brawley, III,
Attorney-in-Fact
08/19/2014

\*\*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) Includes 177.59 shares acquired through dividend reinvestment since the reporting person's last report.
  - The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$52.775 to \$52.85, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Lincoln National Corporation, any security holder of Lincoln National
- (2) Corporation, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in footnote 2 to this Form.
- (3) Represents routine transactions in the Company's 401(k) Plan from 3/3/2014 to 8/1/2014.

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