Bolus Mark J. Form 4/A April 18, 2018

FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Bolus Mark J.

(Last)

Symbol

(Check all applicable)

COMMUNITY BANK SYSTEM,

INC. [CBU]

(Month/Day/Year)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title

C/O COMMUNITY BANK

01/15/2018

SYSTEM, INC., 5790

WIDEWATERS PARKWAY

4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Instr. 8)

Code V

M

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year) 01/16/2018

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

DEWITT, NY 13214

(City) (State)

(Zip)

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

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

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

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

4. Securities Acquired (A) Transaction Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

Ownership Indirect Form: Beneficial Direct (D) Ownership or Indirect (Instr. 4)

7. Nature of

(A)

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) (I) (Instr. 4)

(1)

Price Amount (D)

> 70,451.7447 D

Common Stock

01/15/2018

1,224.1386

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)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative	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 Amo Underlying Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)	
	Security			Code V	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Ar Nu Sh
Phantom Stock (Deferred Compensation)	<u>(2)</u>	01/15/2018		M	1,224.1386	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	1,

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Bolus Mark J. C/O COMMUNITY BANK SYSTEM, INC. 5790 WIDEWATERS PARKWAY DEWITT, NY 13214



Signatures

/s/ Danielle M. Cima, pursuant to a Confirming Statement executed by Mark J. Bolus

04/18/2018

**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).
- This amendment has been filed to increase the number of phantom stock units that were reported as settled on January 15, 2018 for an equal number of shares of Community Bank System, Inc. common stock. The original filing reported that 1,184.27 units were settled, however, the correct number is 1,224.1386 units.
- Each unit of phantom stock is the economic equivalent of one share of Community Bank System, Inc. common stock. The units of phantom stock relating to the Deferred Compensation Plan will be settled in Community Bank System, Inc. common stock at future dates selected by the reporting person.

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