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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Hall Charles J			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HCA Healthcare, Inc. [HCA]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
ONE PARK PI	LAZA		(Month/Day/Year) 01/31/2018	Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below) Group President			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
NASHVILLE, TN 37203			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Ta	ble I - Non	-Derivative	Secur	rities Acquired	l, Disposed of, o	r Beneficially	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. Securities on Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4)	f (D)	uired (A) or Price	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	02/01/2018		M	102,629	A	\$ 22.6415	111,237	D	
Common Stock	02/01/2018		F	33,744	D	\$ 102.24	77,493	D	
Common Stock	02/01/2018		S	35,949	D	\$ 103.0948 (1)	41,544	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 or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title Underly (Instr. 3
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 101.16	01/31/2018		A	36,600	,	01/31/2019(2)	01/31/2028	Comr
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 22.6415	02/01/2018		M		102,629	<u>(3)</u>	10/06/2019	Comr

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Oth			

Hall Charles J

ONE PARK PLAZA **Group President**

NASHVILLE, TN 37203

Signatures

/s/ Natalie Harrison Cline. 02/02/2018 Attorney-in-Fact

> **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 price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$103.00 to \$103.33, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to HCA Healthcare, Inc., any security holder of HCA Healthcare, Inc., 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 this footnote.
- (2) The stock appreciation rights vest in four equal annual installments beginning on January 31, 2019.
- (3) Two thirds of the option was vested upon grant on October 6, 2009, and one third of the option vested on November 17, 2009.

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