

CROSS COUNTRY HEALTHCARE INC  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 Ball Susan E

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O CROSS COUNTRY HEALTHCARE, INC., 6551 PARK OF COMMERCE BLVD., NW

(Street)

BOCA RATON, FL 33487

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 CROSS COUNTRY HEALTHCARE INC [CCRN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 08/08/2016

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
 General Counsel & Secretary

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Stock	08/08/2016		M		11,250 A \$ 5.21	137,359	D
Common Stock	08/08/2016		D		4,813 D \$ 12.18	132,546	D
Common Stock	08/08/2016		M		12,500 A \$ 4.35	145,046	D
Common Stock	08/08/2016		D		4,465 D \$ 12.18	140,581	D
	08/08/2016		M		3,750 A \$ 7.44	144,331	D

Common  
Stock

Common Stock 08/08/2016 D 2,291 D \$ 12.18 142,040 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 Derivative 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)	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$ 5.21	08/08/2016		M	11,250	<sup>(1)</sup> 06/01/2020	Common Stock	11,250
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$ 4.35	08/08/2016		M	12,500	<sup>(2)</sup> 06/01/2019	Common Stock	12,500
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$ 7.44	08/08/2016		M	3,750	<sup>(3)</sup> 06/01/2018	Common Stock	3,750

## Reporting Owners

### Reporting Owner Name / Address

### Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Ball Susan E  
C/O CROSS COUNTRY HEALTHCARE, INC.  
6551 PARK OF COMMERCE BLVD., NW  
BOCA RATON, FL 33487

General Counsel & Secretary

## Signatures

/s/ Susan E. Ball

08/09/2016

\*\*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) The stock appreciation rights vest in four equal installments on June 1, 2014, June 1, 2015, June 1, 2016 and June 1, 2017.

(2) The stock appreciation rights vest in four equal installments on June 1, 2013, June 1, 2014, June 1, 2015 and June 1, 2016.

(3) The stock appreciation rights vest in four equal installments on June 1, 2012, June 1, 2013, June 1, 2014 and June 1, 2015.

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