UNITEDHEALTH GROUP INC

Form 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

SHORT MARIANNE D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

UNITEDHEALTH GROUP INC

[UNH]

Director

10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title

C/O UNITEDHEALTH

(Street)

(State)

(First)

GROUP, 9900 BREN ROAD EAST

(Middle)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Month/Day/Year)

02/10/2015

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

EVP & Chief Legal Officer

(Instr. 4)

D

Applicable Line)

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Person

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

Issuer

below)

MINNETONKA, MN 55343

(City) (Zip) 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

Code (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

Code V Amount (D)

(1)

A

7.113

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned **Following** Reported

6. 7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Form: Direct Beneficial (D) or Ownership Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

Price

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

\$ 62,986,872 (2) 108.97

Stock

Common

(Instr. 3)

02/10/2015

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

(A)

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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)	2. Conversion 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	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amou Underlying Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)	
	Security				(D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)				Amo
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	or Num of Sh
Non-Qualified Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 108.97	02/10/2015		A	34,375	(3)	02/10/2025	Common Stock	34,3

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SHORT MARIANNE D C/O UNITEDHEALTH GROUP 9900 BREN ROAD EAST MINNETONKA, MN 55343

EVP & Chief Legal Officer

Signatures

Amy L. Schneider, Attorney-in-Fact for Marianne D. Short

02/12/2015

**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 restricted stock units will vest at a rate of 25% annually on February 10 from the years 2016 through 2019.
 - Amount does not include Performance Share Awards granted to the executive officer on February 10, 2015, 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
- (2) 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 Compensation and Human Resources Committee. The target number of Performance Shares is 14,225.
- (3) The stock options vest at a rate of 25% annually on February 10 from the years 2016 through 2019.

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