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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * McWatters Denise Clark			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HollyFrontier Corp [HFC]				ng	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
(Last) (First) (Middle)			•	3. Date of Earliest Transaction					(Check all applicable)			
2828 N. HARWOOD, STE 1300			(Month/Day/Year) 12/15/2017					Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) SVP, GC & Secy				
			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				
DALLAS, TX 75201								Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-I	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or				5. Amount of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Owned Indirect (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)					
Common Stock	12/15/2017			Code V A	Amount 7,302 (1)	(D)	Price \$ 0	71,183	D			
Common Stock	12/15/2017			F	3,064 (2)	D	\$ 47.86	68,119	D			
Common Stock	12/15/2017			F	4,861 (3)	D	\$ 47.86	63,258	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)

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				Code V	(A) (D)			,	Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
McWatters Denise Clark			SVP,				
2828 N. HARWOOD, STE 1300			GC &				
DALLAS, TX 75201			Secy				

Signatures

Vaishali S. Bhatia, 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).
- (1) These shares were deemed issued to the reporting person to settle performance share units that were not derivative securities under the Company's Long-Term Incentive Compensation Plan.
- (2) These shares were deemed surrendered to satisfy the reporting person's tax liability incident to the issuance of the shares reported on the preceding line.
- (3) These shares were deemed surrendered to satisfy the reporting person's tax liability incident to the vesting of restricted share grants previously reported.

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