FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     DINKINS MICHAEL						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol COMMUNITY HEALTH SYSTEMS INC CYH ]								ck all applica Director	•		on(s) to Issu 10% Ow Other (s	ner
(Last) 4000 ME	,	irst) OULEVARD	(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/01/2020								below)			below)	,
(Street)	LIN T	N 37067				4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting				
(City)	(S	State)	(Zip)											Person				
		Ta	able I - Nor	n-Der	rivati	ive S	ecuriti	es Acq	uired,	Dis	posed of,	or Bene	ficially	Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						Execution Date, if any			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)  4. Securities Acquired (A) o Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a				Beneficially Owned Following		Form: Direct I (D) or Indirect I (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of ndirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)
Common Stock C				03/0	01/20	)20			М		12,373	A	\$0.00(1)	34,401			D	
Common	ommon Stock 03,			03/0	01/20	/2020		М		11,356	A	\$0.00(1)	00 <sup>(1)</sup> 45,757			D		
	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 D if any (Month/Day/	te, T	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		Derivative		6. Date Exercis Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Ye		e of Securit		es J Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported	ve es ally ng d	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				C	Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa	able	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s (Instr. 4)			
Restricted Stock Units	\$0.00	03/01/2020			М			12,373	03/01/2	2019	02/28/2028	Common Stock	12,373	\$0.00	12,37	2	D	
Restricted Stock Units	\$0.00	03/01/2020			M			11,356	03/01/2	2020	02/28/2029	Common Stock	11,356	\$0.00	22,71	2	D	
Restricted Stock Units	\$0.00	03/01/2020			A		34,483		03/01/20	)21 <sup>(2)</sup>	02/28/2030	Common Stock	34,483	\$4.93 <sup>(1)</sup>	34,48	3	D	

#### Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The security converts to common stock on a one-to-one basis.
- 2. The Restricted Stock Units vest in 1/3 increments on the first, second and third anniversary date of the date of grant. Upon vesting, the Reporting Person will be issued that number of shares of the Common Stock of the Company.

### Remarks:

<u>Christopher G. Cobb, Attorney</u> <u>in Fact for Michael Dinkins</u>

03/02/2020

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- $^{\star}$  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).

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