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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>Pitt Justin D</u>			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>COMMUNITY HEALTH SYSTEMS INC [CYH]</u>			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director _____ 10% Owner _____ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) <u>EVP and General Counsel</u> Other (specify below) _____		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>03/15/2024</u>			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
4000 MERIDIAN BOULEVARD			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)					
(Street)	(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication <input type="checkbox"/> Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10.				

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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	03/15/2024		D		5,001	D	\$0	12,584	I	By spouse ⁽¹⁾
Common Stock								208,116	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 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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date					
Performance Based Restricted	\$0							(2)	(2)	Common Stock		30,000	D	
Performance Based Restricted	\$0							(3)	(3)	Common Stock		30,000	D	
Performance Based Restricted	\$0							(4)	(4)	Common Stock		30,000	D	
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$4.99							03/01/2020	02/28/2029	Common Stock		5,000	D	
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$4.93							03/01/2021	02/28/2030	Common Stock		20,000	D	
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$8.81							03/01/2022	02/28/2031	Common Stock		20,000	D	
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$10.18							03/01/2023 ⁽⁵⁾	02/29/2032	Common Stock		30,000	D	
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$6.15							03/01/2024 ⁽⁵⁾	02/28/2033	Common Stock		30,000	D	
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$2.87							03/01/2025 ⁽⁵⁾	02/28/2034	Common Stock		30,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- The Reporting Person's spouse is no longer employed by an affiliate of the Issuer. The remaining unvested portion of her prior awards of restricted stock was forfeited in conjunction with her ceasing to be employed by an affiliate of the Issuer. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities of the Issuer owned by his spouse, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the Reporting Person is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- The vesting of these performance-based restricted shares is subject to the attainment of certain performance objectives between 1/1/2022 and 12/31/2024 (the "2022-2024 Performance Period"). The target

number (100%) of the total performance-based restricted shares is reported in the table set forth above. Between 0% and 200% of the portion of the target number of performance-based restricted shares allocated to each applicable performance objective will ultimately vest on the third anniversary of the date of grant, subject to the attainment of the applicable performance objective, with the vesting percentage to be determined based upon the level of achievement with respect to the applicable performance objective during the 2022-2024 Performance Period.

3. The vesting of these performance-based restricted shares is subject to the attainment of certain performance objectives between 1/1/2023 and 12/31/2025 (the "2023-2025 Performance Period"). The target number (100%) of the total performance-based restricted shares is reported in the table set forth above. Between 0% and 200% of the portion of the target number of performance-based restricted shares allocated to each applicable performance objective will ultimately vest on the third anniversary of the date of grant, subject to the attainment of the applicable performance objective, with the vesting percentage to be determined based upon the level of achievement with respect to the applicable performance objective during the 2023-2025 Performance Period.

4. The vesting of these performance-based restricted shares is subject to the attainment of certain performance objectives between 1/1/2024 and 12/31/2026 (the "2024-2026 Performance Period"). The target number (100%) of the total performance-based restricted shares is reported in the table set forth above. Between 0% and 200% of the portion of the target number of performance-based restricted shares allocated to each applicable performance objective will ultimately vest on the third anniversary of the date of grant, subject to the attainment of the applicable performance objective, with the vesting percentage to be determined based upon the level of achievement with respect to the applicable performance objective during the 2024-2026 Performance Period.

5. Vesting occurs in 1/3 increments on the first, second and third anniversary of the date of grant.

Christopher G. Cobb, Attorney 03/15/2024
in Fact for Justin D. Pitt

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

* 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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