SEIFERT RACHEL A

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SEIFERT RACHEL A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

COMMUNITY HEALTH SYSTEMS INC [CYH]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(C:+-)

(First) (Middle)

(7:m)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director X_ Officer (give title below)

10% Owner Other (specify

4000 MERIDIAN BOULEVARD

(Street)

(State)

05/06/2013

(Month/Day/Year)

below) Executive VP and Secretary

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

FRANKLIN, TN 37067

(City)	(State)	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit ord Dispos (Instr. 3, 4)	ed of (` '	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)	
Common Stock	05/06/2013		M	15,000	A	\$ 38.3	164,236	D		
Common Stock	05/06/2013		S	15,000	D	\$ 46.1431 (1)	149,236	D		

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

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$\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (\emph{e.g.}, puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \\ \end{tabular}$

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of ctionDerivative Securities 8) 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)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 38.3	05/06/2013		M		15,000	03/01/2007	02/28/2014	Common Stock	15,000
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 37.21						02/28/2008	02/27/2015	Common Stock	7,500
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 40.41						07/25/2008	07/24/2015	Common Stock	20,000
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 32.28						02/27/2009	02/26/2018	Common Stock	10,000
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 18.18						02/25/2010	02/24/2019	Common Stock	7,500
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 33.9						02/24/2011	02/23/2020	Common Stock	7,500
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 37.96						02/23/2012	02/22/2021	Common Stock	7,500
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 21.07						02/16/2013	02/15/2022	Common Stock	7,500

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SEIFERT RACHEL A 4000 MERIDIAN BOULEVARD FRANKLIN, TN 37067

Executive VP and Secretary

Signatures

Christopher G. Cobb, Attorney in Fact for Rachel A. Seifert

05/07/2013

**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 shares were sold in a series of transactions at a weighted average price of \$46.1431 per share.

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