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

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(Print or Type Responses)

	ddress of Reporting F J ADAM SCOTT	Symbol	er Name and Ticker or Trading Commonwealth [EQC]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
a				(Check all applicable)			
	Y WEALTH, TWO VERSIDE PLAZA	(Month/I 11/02/2	of Earliest Transaction Day/Year) 2016	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) EVP, CFO & Treasurer			
	(Street)	4. If Ame	endment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
Filed CHICAGO, IL 60606			onth/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State) (Zip) Tab	le I - Non-Derivative Securities A	cquired, 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)	Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	 D) Securities Ownership Indirect Beneficially Form: Direct Beneficial Owned (D) or Ownership Following Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Reported (Instr. 4) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) 			
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	11/02/2016		F $\frac{4,241}{(1)}$ D $\frac{$}{29}$.	$\begin{array}{c} \text{See} \\ \text{footnote} \\ \underline{(2)} \end{array}$			

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 (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)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	;	Date	7. Titl Amou Under Secur (Instr.	unt of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secu Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
MARKMAN ADAM SCOTT						
C/O EQUITY COMMONWEALTH			EVP, CFO			
TWO NORTH RIVERSIDE PLAZA, SUITE 2100			& Treasurer			
CHICAGO, IL 60606						

Signatures

/s/ Orrin S. Shifrin, attorney-in-fact

11/03/2016

Date

<u>**</u>Signature of Reporting Person

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- * 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) Reflects common shares surrendered to the Issuer to satisfy tax withholding obligations in connection with the vesting of restricted common shares.
- (2) These shares are held by The Adam and Sarah Markman Trust, of which the reporting person is the co-trustee and a beneficiary.

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