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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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

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may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

obligations

(Print or Type Responses)

Goldberg Scott L.

(First)

(State)

C/O CNO FINANCIAL GROUP.

PENNSYLVANIA STREET

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

(Middle)

(Zip)

Symbol

CNO Financial Group, Inc. [CNO]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

02/19/2019

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Month/Day/Year)

Director X_ Officer (give title below)

10% Owner Other (specify

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(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

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6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

CARMEL, IN 46032

(City)

INC., 11825 NORTH

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	I - Non-Do	erivative S	ecurit	ies Acqu	ired, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) 2A. Deemed Execution Date any (Month/Day/		3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or			Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	02/19/2019		Code V A	Amount 13,309 (1)	(D)	Price \$ 17.48	(Instr. 3 and 4) 41,902	D	
Common Stock	02/19/2019		F	4,047 (2)	D	\$ 17.48	37,855	D	
Restricted Stock Units	02/19/2019		A	13,800	A	\$ 17.48	51,655	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)

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 orDerivative 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options	\$ 17.48	02/19/2019		A	33,800	<u>(5)</u>	02/19/2029	Common Stock	33,800

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Goldberg Scott L. C/O CNO FINANCIAL GROUP, INC. 11825 NORTH PENNSYLVANIA STREET CARMEL, IN 46032

President, Bankers Life

Signatures

Karl W. Kindig, 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 acquired upon vesting of performance share units for the 2016-2018 performance period, based on the Issuer's average pre-tax operating return on equity over that period.
- (2) Shares were surrendered to CNO Financial Group, Inc. to cover required tax withholding on performance share units.
- (3) Restricted stock units convert into common stock on a one-for-one basis.
- (4) The restricted stock units vest in three equal annual installments beginning March 25, 2020.
- (5) One-half of these options vest on February 19, 2021 and one-half vest on February 19, 2022.

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