

BURGESS ERNEST G III
Form 5
February 13, 2018

FORM 5

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
BURGESS ERNEST G III

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
NATIONAL HEALTHCARE CORP
[NHC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended
(Month/Day/Year)
12/31/2017

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☐ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

100 VINE STREET

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting

(check applicable line)

MURFREESBORO, TN 37130

☒ Form Filed by One Reporting Person
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Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

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 at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or Amount (D) Price			
Shares of Common Stock	05/30/2017	Â	G	500 D \$ 0 0 ⁽¹⁾	D	Â	
Shares of Common Stock	12/19/2017	Â	G	1,450 D \$ 0 0 ⁽¹⁾	D	Â	
Shares of Common Stock	12/27/2017	Â	G	1,500 D \$ 0 99,171	D	Â	

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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. 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Amount or Number of Shares
					(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title		Amount or Number of Shares
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 52.93	Â	Â	Â	Â Â	05/08/2014	05/07/2019	Common Stock		7,500
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 61.25	Â	Â	Â	Â Â	05/07/2015	05/06/2020	Common Stock		7,500
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 62.78	Â	Â	Â	Â Â	06/02/2016	06/01/2021	Common Stock		7,500
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 72.94	Â	Â	Â	Â Â	05/09/2017	05/08/2022	Common Stock		7,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BURGESS ERNEST G III 100 VINE STREET MURFREESBORO, TN 37130	Â X	Â	Â	Â

Signatures

/s/ Ernest G.
Burgess, III

02/13/2017

__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) Transaction totaled on the line below.

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