

Ritz Michael
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Ritz Michael

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
OMEGA HEALTHCARE INVESTORS INC [OHI]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
303 INTERNATIONAL CIRCLE, SUITE 200
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
01/18/2019

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Chief Accounting Officer

HUNT VALLEY, MD 21030

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(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 Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				(A) or (D)	Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price

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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transaction	5. Number of Derivative	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities	8. I
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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)	Sec (In		
			Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	01/18/2019	A	13,250		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	13,250
Profit Interest Units	(3) (4)	01/18/2019	A	12,892		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	12,892

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Ritz Michael 303 INTERNATIONAL CIRCLE SUITE 200 HUNT VALLEY, MD 21030			Chief Accounting Officer	

Signatures

/s/ Thomas H. Peterson, 01/23/2019
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) Represents Performance Restricted Stock Units earned (but not yet vested) based on Total Shareholder Return against a peer group for the 2016-2018 performance period, as certified by the Compensation Committee on January 18, 2019.
- (2) 25% of the units earned based on performance for the 2016-2018 performance period vest at the end of each calendar quarter of 2019, subject to continued employment and accelerated vesting in certain events.
- (3) Represents Profits Interest Units ("Profits Units") in OHI Healthcare Properties Limited Partnership (the "Operating Partnership"), of which the Issuer is the general partner. Each Profits Unit represents a contingent right to receive one unit of limited partnership interest (an "OP Unit") in the Operating Partnership upon vesting and the satisfaction of certain tax-driven economic requirements. Each OP Unit is redeemable at the election of the holder for cash equal to the then fair market value of one share of Issuer common stock, or at the Issuer's election, one share of Issuer common stock, subject to adjustment as set forth in the partnership agreement.
- (4) Profits Units earned (but not yet vested) based on Total Shareholder Return for the 2016-2018 performance period, as certified by the Compensation Committee on January 18, 2019.

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