CNO Financial Group, Inc.

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

Common

Stock

05/28/2015

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

Nickele Christopher J			Symbol				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			CNO Financial Group, Inc. [CNO]				(Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction							
11825 N. PENNSYLVANIA STREET			(Month/Day/Year) 05/28/2015				Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) EVP and Chief Actuary			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
CADMEL	IN 46022		Filed(Month/Day/Year)				Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting			
CARMEL	, IN 46032					P	erson	•		
(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)		Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			(D)	5. Amount of 6. Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Owned Direct (D) Following or Indirect Reported (I) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	(IIISII. 4)		
Common Stock	05/28/2015		M	71,200	A	\$ 7.38	207,923	D		
Common Stock	05/28/2015		M	75,100	A	\$ 7.51	283,023	D		
Common Stock	05/28/2015		S	66,300	D	\$ 18.1322	216,723	D		
Common Stock	05/28/2015		S	20,000	D	\$ 18.12	196,723	D		

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20,000 D

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176,723

D

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Common Stock	05/28/2015	S	20,000	D	\$ 18.08	156,723	D
Common Stock	05/28/2015	S	20,000	D	\$ 18.061	136,723	D

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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)	TransactionDerivative Code Securities		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	\$ 7.38	05/28/2015		M	71,200	<u>(1)</u>	03/08/2018	Comnmon Stock	71,200	
Stock Options	\$ 7.51	05/28/2015		M	75,100	(2)	02/28/2019	Common Stock	75,100	

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address Officer Other Director 10% Owner

Nickele Christopher J

11825 N. PENNSYLVANIA STREET **EVP** and Chief Actuary

CARMEL, IN 46032

Signatures

Karl W. Kindig, 06/01/2015 Attorney-in-Fact

**Signature of Reporting Person

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) One-half of these options vested on March 8, 2013 and the other one-half vested on March 8, 2014.

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(2) One-half of these options vested on February 28, 2014 and the other one-half vested on February 28, 2015.

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