

Mucci Richard L.
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	
Mucci Richard L.		(Month/Day/Year)	LINCOLN NATIONAL CORP [LNC]	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	07/19/2018	
150 NORTH RADNOR CHESTER ROAD			4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
(Street)			(Check all applicable)	
RADNOR, PA 19087			<input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	<input type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person
			(give title below) (specify below)	<input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
			EVP, President GP	

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	27,608	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. SEC 1473 (7-02)

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	Â (1)	08/13/2024	Common Stock	14,007 \$ 51.72		D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	Â (2)	02/25/2025	Common Stock	14,231 \$ 58.26		D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	Â (3)	02/24/2026	Common Stock	19,892 \$ 35.5		D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	Â (4)	02/22/2027	Common Stock	10,016 \$ 71.7		D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	Â (5)	02/21/2028	Common Stock	10,405 \$ 78.32		D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Mucci Richard L. 150 NORTH RADNOR CHESTER ROAD RADNOR, PA 19087	Â	Â	Â EVP, President GP	Â

Signatures

/s/ Nancy A. Smith,
Attorney-in-Fact

07/30/2018

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) The option vested in three equal installments on August 13, 2015, 2016 and 2017.
- (2) The option vested in three equal installments on February 25, 2016, 2017 and 2018.
- (3) The option vests in three equal annual installments on February 24, 2017, 2018 and 2019.
- (4) The option vests in three equal annual installments on February 22, 2018, 2019 and 2020.
- (5) The option vests in three equal annual installments on February 21, 2019, 2020 and 2021.

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