WELLCARE HEALTH PLANS, 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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1(b).

(Last)

INC.

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Polen Michael Robert

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

WELLCARE HEALTH PLANS,

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

INC. [WCG]

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

below) 02/27/2014

Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title

SVP, Operations

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

8735 HENDERSON ROAD, C/O WELLCARE HEALTH PLANS,

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

TAMPA, FL 33634

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Reported

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)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Code	5. Numbe tion Derivat Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	ative es d	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pr Deriv Secu (Inst
			Code V	V (A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	02/27/2014	A	1,426		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	1,426	\$
Market Stock Units	<u>(3)</u>	02/27/2014	A	1,244		<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	1,244	\$

Reporting Owners

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

Polen Michael Robert 8735 HENDERSON ROAD C/O WELLCARE HEALTH PLANS, INC. TAMPA, FL 33634

SVP, Operations

Signatures

/s/ Michael Haber,

Atorney-in-fact 03/03/2014

**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) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of WCG common stock.
- (2) The restricted stock units vest in approximately equal installments on March 1, 2015, March 1, 2016, and March 1, 2017. Vested shares will be delivered to the Reporting Person upon vest.
- (3) Each market stock unit represents a contingent right to receive up to two shares of WCG common stock. Vesting will be determined based on the average closing price for the last thirty trading days in 2016.
- (4) The market stock units vest on March 1, 2017. Vested shares will be delivered to the Reporting Person upon vest.

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