#### VALONE JAMES W Form 3 October 29, 2018 FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

### INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and A Person <u>*</u> VALONE	-		<ul><li>2. Date of Event Re</li><li>Statement</li><li>(Month/Day/Year)</li></ul>		<sup>g</sup> 3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol John Hancock Hedged Equity & Income Fund [HEQ]						
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	10/18/2018		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)			
280 CONGE	RESS STRI	EET						,	•		
(Street)					(Check all applicable)			6. Individual or Joint/Group			
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Amount or

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Title

or Indirect

(Instr. 5)

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Exercisable Date

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
VALONE JAMES W 280 CONGRESS STREET BOSTON, MA 02210	Â	Â	Officer of Investment Adviser	Â			
Signatures							
Lance C. Dial - Attorney-in-Fact	10/29/2018						
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date						
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

No securities are beneficially owned

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(b)(v).

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