ROBERTS JOHN R

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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** ROBERTS JOHN R			Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	CENTENE CORP [CNC] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
7700 FORSYTH BOULEVARD		EVARD	(Month/Day/Year) 06/30/2018	_X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
ST. LOUIS, MO 63105		(7in)		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tal	ole I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Dispo	osed of, or Beneficially	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) 5. Amou Transactiomr Disposed of (D) Securitie Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Benefici (Instr. 8) Owned Followir Reportec Transact Or Code V Amount (D) Price (A) (Instr. 3)	es Ownership ally Form: Direct (D) ng or Indirect d (I) tion(s) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	06/30/2018		A 270.962 A \$ 112,47	1.065 D	
Common Stock			67,494	I	See footnote (2)
Common Stock			12,260	I	See footnote (3)
Common Stock			6,049	I	See footnote (4)

Common Stock 3,219 I See footnote (5)

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 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. Transa Code (Instr.	ection 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Secur	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code	V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
ROBERTS IOHN R							

7700 FORSYTH BOULEVARD X ST. LOUIS, MO 63105

Signatures

/s/ Jeffrey A. Schwaneke (executed by attorney-in-fact) 07/03/2018

**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) Ownership includes 1,925 shares of restricted stock subject to vesting requirements.
- (2) Owned by a grantor retained annuity trust of which Mr. Roberts is the trustee.
- (3) Owned by a revocable trust for the benefit of Mr. Roberts' spouse.

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- (4) Owned by a revocable trust held in the name of Mr. Roberts' spouse of which he serves as co-trustee and beneficiary.
- (5) Owned by a family trust of which Mr. Roberts serves as co-trustee.

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