NATIONAL HEALTH INVESTORS INC
Form 4
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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Hopkins Roger R

(Last) (First) (Middle)

222 ROBERT ROSE DRIVE

(Street)

MURFREESBORO, TN 37129

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol
NATIONAL HEALTH INVESTORS INC [NHI]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
08/13/2015

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

_____ Director _____ 10% Owner
__X__ Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Chief Accounting Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person
___ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	08/13/2015		P		1,500	A	$ 58.61	34,558	D	

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pri Deriv Secur (Instr
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	$ 64.49							02/25/2013	02/25/2018	Nhi Common Stock	16,666	
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	$ 64.49							02/25/2014	02/25/2018	Nhi Common Stock	16,666	
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	$ 64.49							02/25/2015	02/25/2018	Nhi Common Stock	16,668	
Stock Options (Right to Buy) 2-25-14	$ 61.31							02/25/2014	02/25/2019	Common Stock	16,666	
Stock Options (Right to Buy) 2-25-14	$ 61.31							02/25/2015	02/25/2019	Common Stock	16,666	
Stock Options (Right to Buy) 2-25-14	$ 61.31							02/25/2016	02/25/2019	Common Stock	16,668	
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	$ 72.11							02/20/2015	02/20/2020	Common Stock	16,666	
Stock Options (Right to	$ 72.11							02/20/2016	02/20/2020	Common Stock	16,666	

Buy)						
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	$ 72.11		02/20/2017	02/20/2020	Common Stock	16,668

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Hopkins Roger R 222 ROBERT ROSE DRIVE MURFREESBORO, TN 37129			Chief Accounting Officer	

Signatures

/s/Roger R. Hopkins	08/13/2015
**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).

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