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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*<br><u>Grubbs William J</u><br><br>(Last) (First) (Middle)<br><u>C/O CROSS COUNTRY HEALTHCARE, INC.</u><br><u>6551 PARK OF COMMERCE BLVD., N.W.</u><br><br>(Street)<br><u>BOCA RATON FL 33487</u><br><br>(City) (State) (Zip) | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol<br><u>CROSS COUNTRY HEALTHCARE INC [CCRN]</u> | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)<br><u>President and CEO</u> |
|   | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)<br><u>03/31/2016</u>                     |   |
|   | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)                                  | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person<br><input type="checkbox"/> 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                    | 03/31/2016                           |  | A                              |   | 58,900 <sup>(1)</sup>   | A          | \$0     | 343,406   | D  |   |
| Common Stock                    | 03/31/2016                           |  | F                              |   | 4,203 <sup>(2)</sup>  | D          | \$11.63 | 339,203   | D  |   |
| Common Stock                    | 03/31/2016                           |  | F                              |   | 5,125 <sup>(2)</sup>  | D          | \$11.63 | 334,078   | D  |   |
| Common Stock                    | 04/01/2016                           |  | F                              |   | 3,195 <sup>(3)</sup>  | D          | \$11.54 | 330,883   | D  |   |

**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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
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|  |  |                                      |  | Code                           | V | (A)  | (D) | Date Exercisable   | Expiration Date |   |  |  |   |  |

**Explanation of Responses:**

- These restricted shares of common stock vest in three equal installments. The installments will vest on March 31, 2017, March 31, 2018 and March 31, 2019.
- These shares were withheld to satisfy Mr. Grubbs' tax withholding obligation for restricted stock which vested on March 31, 2016.
- These shares were withheld to satisfy Mr. Grubbs' tax withholding obligation for restricted stock which vested on April 1, 2016.

**Remarks:**

/s/ William J. Grubbs                      04/04/2016

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person                      Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

\* 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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