JOHNSON CHARLES B

Form 5

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| Common Stock, par value \$.10 | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | 1,350,000 | I | By Spouse |
| Common Stock, par value \$.10 | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | 4,059,651 | I | By IRA |
| Common Stock, par value \$.10 | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | 20,608.2924 (2) | I | By 401(k) |
| Common Stock, par value \$.10 | 05/30/2017 | Â | G | 18,200 | D | \$ 0 (1) | 96,968,918 | D | Â |

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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Reporting Owners

securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | |
| JOHNSON CHARLES B C/O FRANKLIN RESOURCES, INC. ONE FRANKLIN PARKWAY SAN MATEO, CA 94403-1906 | Â | ÂΧ | Â | Â | | |

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Signatures

/s/ Charles B. Johnson 10/28/2017

**Signature of Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

Date

- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Not applicable.
- (2) Pursuant to a required minimum distribution from the Franklin Templeton 401(k) Retirement Plan on December 3, 2016, the Reporting Person's plan balance was reduced by 1,204.4542 shares on such date per such required withdrawal.
- (3) Reporting Person holds shares in the Franklin Templeton 401(k) Retirement Plan. Information is based on a plan statement as of September 30, 2017.
- (4) Trust of which Reporting Person's spouse is the lifetime beneficiary.

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