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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Allen Richard R			Symbol					Issuer			
			HCI Group, Inc. [HCI]					(Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 5300 W. CYPRESS STREET, SUITE 100			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/08/2015					Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
	(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
TAMPA, FI	Filed(Month/Day/Year)					Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned										
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Executio any	med on Date, if Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		
Common stock								450	D (1)		
Common stock	05/08/2015			F	533 (2)	D (2)	\$ 46.36	4,000 (3)	D		
Common stock								38,201	D		
Common stock								2,295 (4)	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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transactio	5. orNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration Da		7. Titl		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Teal)	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/		Under	lying	Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Allen Richard R 5300 W. CYPRESS STREET **SUITE 100 TAMPA, FL 33607**

Chief Financial Officer

Signatures

/s/ Richard R. 05/11/2015 Allen

**Signature of Date Reporting Person

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) Shares are held jointly with spouse.
- 533 shares were surrendered to cover the minimum federal income tax liability associated with the vesting of 2,000 restricted shares on **(2)** 5/8/2015.

Restricted Stock Grant of 30,000 shares effective 5/8/2012: Restrictions on 10,000 shares of the Restricted Stock will lapse in annual increments of 2,000 shares beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date. With respect to the remaining 20,000 restricted shares, the

(3) restriction period will lapse and 4,000 restricted shares will vest one year after the market price of HCI common shares equals or exceeds the target price in each case for 20 consecutive trading days. The target prices set for this grant are \$16, \$19, \$22, \$25 and \$28. The number of shares reported in column 5 represent the remaining unvested shares pursuant to this 5/8/2012 restricted stock grant.

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Restricted stock grant of 2,500 shares effective 2/28/2014: Restriction period will lapse and the restricted shares will vest as follows: 625 shares on each of January 15, 2015, January 15, 2016, January 15, 2017, and January 15, 2018. These shares were granted by the company pursuant to the company's 2012 Omnibus Incentive Plan and under the terms and conditions of a restricted stock agreement dated 2/28/2014. The number of shares in column 5 includes 1,875 unvested shares pursuant to this 2/28/2014 restricted stock grant.

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