Watkins Tracy Ellen Form 4 February 15, 2018

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

(Middle)

1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Watkins Tracy Ellen Issuer Symbol CITIZENS & NORTHERN CORP (Check all applicable) [CZNC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director 10% Owner

X_ Officer (give title below) **Executive Vice President**

Other (specify

1972 NORTH WILLIAMSON **ROAD**

(First)

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Month/Day/Year)

02/09/2018

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Person

COVINGTON, PA 16917

(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)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) onor Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	02/09/2018		Code V <u>J(1)</u> V	Amount 30	or (D) A	Price \$ 22.8341	(Instr. 3 and 4) 2,508	I	By ESOP
Stock							795	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)

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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Relationships

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address			_	
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other

Watkins Tracy Ellen Executive 1972 NORTH WILLIAMSON ROAD Vice COVINGTON, PA 16917 President

Signatures

/s/ Amy B. Wherley POA for Tracy E. Watkins dated 02/15/2018 12-28-17

> **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) Exempt aquisition in ESOP via dividend reinvestment under D/R plan

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