

REED W EARL III  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
REED W EARL III

(Last) (First) (Middle)

901 HUGH WALLIS ROAD  
SOUTH

(Street)

LAFAYETTE, LA 70508

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
LHC Group, Inc [LHCG]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
04/01/2018

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	04/01/2018		A		105,204	A	① 105,204
Common Stock	04/01/2018		A		27,848	A	② 27,848

By trust <sup>(3)</sup>

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. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options	\$ 39.74	04/01/2018		A	2,745	04/01/2018 02/08/2019	Common Stock	2,745

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
REED W EARL III 901 HUGH WALLIS ROAD SOUTH LAFAYETTE, LA 70508	X			

## Signatures

/s/ W. Earl Reed  
III 04/03/2018

\*\*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) Received in exchange for 114,978 shares of Almost Family, Inc. ("Almost Family") common stock in connection with the merger of Almost Family with and into the Issuer (the "Merger"). In the Merger, each share of Almost common stock was converted into the right to receive 0.9150 shares of Issuer common stock.
  - (2) Received in exchange for 30,435 shares of Almost Family common stock in connection with the Merger.
  - (3) The reporting person's spouse is the sole trustee of the W. Earl Reed, III Gift Trust which is for the benefit of the reporting person's adult children. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities, and the filing of this report is not an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of these securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
  - (4) Received in the Merger in exchange for a stock option to acquire shares of Almost Family common stock. The number of stock options is equal to the number of Almost Family stock options multiplied by 0.9150, and the exercise price is equal to the exercise price of the Almost Family stock options divided by 0.9150.

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