FORM 4

obligations may continue. See

Instruction 1(b).

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFIC	CIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* COOPERMAN DANIEL							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MOLINA HEALTHCARE INC [MOH]									all applicable) Director		g Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner		
(Last) 300 UNI SUITE 1	VERSITY		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/01/2017										Officer (give title below)		Other (s below)	specify				
(Street) SACRAMENTO CA 95825						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person					
SACRAMENTO CA 95825 (City) (State) (Zip)					-								Form filed by More than One Reporting Person							
		Tab	le I - No	n-Deriv	vative	e Se	curiti	es Ac	quired	, Dis	posed	of, or B	enef	icially	Owned	t				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Trans Date (Month)			action Day/Yea	ar) E	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transa Code 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)				5. Amou Securiti Benefic Owned Reporte	es ially Following	Forn (D) o	n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
									Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	or P	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(50. 4)	
Common	Stock			04/0	1/2017	7			A ⁽¹⁾		1,206	(2) A	. \$	\$45.6 ⁽³⁾	19	,534	34 D			
		Т	able II -									f, or Bei ible sec			Owned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transactior Code (Instr. 8)		n of		6. Date Ex Expiration (Month/Da	n Date		and 7. Title and Amo of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)		D	Price of erivative ecurity nstr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership ct (Instr. 4)	
				Co	Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisal		xpiration ate	Title	or	ount nber ares						
Stock Option (Right to	\$33.02								(4)	0	3/11/2023	Common Stock	15,	,000		15,000)	D		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Grant of stock under the Issuer's 2011 Equity Incentive Plan in connection with the Reporting Person's services as a director.
- 2. The aggregate dollar value of the annual equity award to each director in 2016-2017 shall be \$220,000, with one quarter of that amount in stock, or \$55,000, to be granted on the first day of each quarter based on the closing price of the Issuer's common stock on such day. Since the grant date of April 1, 2017 was a non-trading day, the number of shares was calculated based on the closing price of the Issuer's common stock on March 31, 2017, of \$45.60. Thus, the grant this quarter for services as a director is for 1,206 shares of the Issuer's common stock.
- 3. Represents the closing price of the Issuer's common stock on March 31, 2017.
- 4. The options are fully vested.

Remarks:

<u>Jeff D. Barlow, by power of attorney for Daniel</u>

04/04/2017

Cooperman.

** 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).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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Know all by these presents, that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints Jeff D. Barlow and Codruta Boggs, and each acting singly, the undersigned's true and lawful attorney-in-fact to:

- 1) execute for and on behalf of the undersigned, in the undersigned's capacity as an officer, director and/or stockholder of Molina Healthcare, Inc. (the "Company"), Forms 3, 4, and 5 and amendments thereto in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules thereunder; and
- 2) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such Form 3, 4, or 5 or amendment thereto and timely file such form with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") and any stock exchange or similar authority.

The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary, or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney-in-fact, or such attorney-in-fact's substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this Power of Attorney and the rights and powers herein granted. The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4, and 5 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transaction in securities of the Company, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorneys-in-fact. This Power of Attorney may be filed with the SEC as a confirming statement of the authority granted herein.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 11th day of March, 2013.

/s/ Daniel Cooperman Signature

Daniel Cooperman Printed Name

Exhibit 24