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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

Common

Stock

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Green Anthony C

(First)

(Middle)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

ANNALY CAPITAL MANAGEMENT INC [NLY]

(Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/21/2018

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chief Legal Officer

C/O ANNALY CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, INC., 1211 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

NEW YORK, NY 10036

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 4. Securities Acquired (A) 5. Amount of Transactionr Disposed of (D) Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Securities Ownership (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Following

Direct (D) or Indirect Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Price

02/21/2018 P \$ 10.425 100,900 D 23,150 Α

Code V

(A)

(D)

Amount

Common 02/21/2018 P 100 101,000 D Stock

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7. Nature of

Indirect

Beneficial

Ownership (Instr. 4)

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							Date		of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer Other Director 10% Owner

Green Anthony C C/O ANNALY CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, INC. 1211 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS NEW YORK, NY 10036

Chief Legal Officer

Signatures

/s/ Anthony C. 02/21/2018 Green

**Signature of Date Reporting Person

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