

Mitra Shankh
Form 4
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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Mitra Shankh

(Last) (First) (Middle)

4500 DORR STREET

(Street)

TOLEDO, OH 43615

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

WELLTOWER INC. [HCN]

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

08/01/2017

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

SVP, Finance & Investments

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
____X____ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Person

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price

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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
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	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Performance-Based Restricted Stock Units	(1)	08/01/2017		A			943		(1)	(1)	Common	943
Performance-Based Restricted Stock Units	(2)	08/01/2017		A			526		(2)	(2)	Common	526

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Mitra Shankh 4500 DORR STREET TOLEDO, OH 43615			SVP, Finance & Investments	

Signatures

By: Matthew McQueen, Attorney-in-Fact For: Shankh
Mitra 08/03/2017

____Signature of Reporting Person

____Date

Explanation of Responses:

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(1) The performance-based restricted stock units were granted under the Welltower Inc. 2016 Long-Term Incentive Plan. Final shares amounts will be determined at the conclusion of the performance period (2017-2018) based on the Company's total shareholder return as determined by the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors. Each restricted stock unit represents the right to receive one share of HCN's common stock.

(2) The performance-based restricted stock units were granted under the Welltower Inc. 2016 Long-Term Incentive Plan. Final shares amounts will be determined at the conclusion of the performance period (2017-2019) based on the Company's total shareholder return as determined by the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors. Each restricted stock unit represents the right to receive one share of HCN's common stock.

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