

National Bank Holdings Corp
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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 *
 LILLY BRIAN F

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 National Bank Holdings Corp
 [NBHC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 7800 EAST ORCHARD ROAD,
 SUITE 300
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 11/23/2016

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

GREENWOOD
 VILLAGE, CO 80111
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

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	11/23/2016		M		100,000	A	\$ 20
Common Stock	11/23/2016		F		83,068	D	\$ 27.59
Common Stock	11/25/2016		S		17,990	D	\$ 27.3163
							<u>(1)</u>

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)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 20	11/23/2016		M	100,000	(2) 02/27/2022	Common Stock	100,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

LILLY BRIAN F
7800 EAST ORCHARD ROAD, SUITE 300
GREENWOOD VILLAGE, CO 80111

Chief Financial Officer

Signatures

/s/ Zsolt K. Bessko as
Attorney-in-Fact

11/28/2016

**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) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$27.25 to \$27.425, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to NBHC, any security holder of NBHC, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote to this Form 4.

(2) Time-vested stock option award. Stock options vested in equal installments on February 27, 2013, February 27, 2014, and February 27, 2015.

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