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(Print or Type	Responses)										
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> DITMORE ROBERT K			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CENTENE CORP [CNC]				g	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First) (Middle)		of Earliest T				(Check	all applicable)	
· · ·	SYTH BOULEVA	,		Day/Year)	runsuetion			XDirector Officer (give the below)		Owner r (specify	
	(Street)			endment, D onth/Day/Yea	Date Original ar)			6. Individual or Joi Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by Or	ne Reporting Per	son	
ST. LOUIS	, MO 63105							Form filed by Mo Person	ore than One Rej	porting	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivative S	Securit	ties Acqu	uired, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deem Execution any (Month/D	Date, if	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) Code V	4. Securition for Dispose (Instr. 3, 4) Amount	d of (Ē))) 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)	
Common Stock	03/31/2015			А	596.659	А	\$ 71.23	528,373.395 (1)	D		
Common Stock								30,500	Ι	By spouse (2)	
Common Stock								11,200	I	See footnote (3)	
Common Stock								118,400	I	See footnote (4)	

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)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	;	ate	7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	int of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
DITMORE ROBERT K 7700 FORSYTH BOULEVARD ST. LOUIS, MO 63105	Х							
Signatures								
/s/ William N. Scheffel (executed attorney-in-fact)	by		04/02/2015					
**Signature of Reporting Pers	on		D	ate				
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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) Ownership includes 6,000 shares of restricted stock subject to vesting requirements.
- Shares owned by spouse who shares Mr. Ditmore's household. Mr. Ditmore disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held by his(2) spouse, and the inclusion of these shares in this report shall not be deemed an admission of beneficial ownership of all of the reported shares for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- (3) Owned by the Ditmore 2002 Charitable Remainder Trust, of which Mr. Ditmore is a co-trustee.

Owned by the Ditmore Family Management Company LLC, of which Mr. Ditmore is a chief manager. Mr. Ditmore disclaims beneficial
 (4) ownership except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein, and the inclusion of these shares in this report shall not be deemed an admission of beneficial ownership of all of the reported shares for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

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