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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 <u>*</u> BROWN JEFFREY DOUGLAS			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Equity Commonwealth [EQC]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First) (N		3. Date of Earliest Transaction					(Check all applicable)			
C/O EQUIT COMMON	Y WEALTH, TWO VERSIDE PLAZ	(1 1	Month/Da 11/02/20	ay/Year)	insuction			Director X Officer (give below) SVP & Chi		Owner er (specify Officer	
	(Street)	4	4. If Amendment, Date Original					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Dat (Month/Day/Year)		Date, if	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) Code V	(Instr. 3,	ispose	d of (D)	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 Shares of Beneficial Interest	11/02/2016			F	249 <u>(1)</u>	. ,	\$ 29.41	4,053	D		

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 (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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. ofNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Secur	unt of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own 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			
BROWN JEFFREY DOUGLAS C/O EQUITY COMMONWEALTH TWO NORTH RIVERSIDE PLAZA, SUITE 2100 CHICAGO, IL 60606				SVP & Chief Accounting Officer				
Signatures								
/s/ Orrin S. Shifrin, attorney-in-fact	11/03/2016	j						
Signature of Reporting Person	Date							

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) Reflects common shares surrendered to the Issuer to satisfy tax withholding obligations in connection with the vesting of restricted common shares.

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