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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Anand Naveen

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

HALLMARK FINANCIAL SERVICES INC [HALL]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

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

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

777 MAIN STREET, SUITE 1000 09/24/2018

(Middle)

President & CEO

Applicable Line)

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

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Person

Issuer

FORT WORTH, TX 76102

(City) (State) (Zip)

(Street)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A) Code V Amount (D) Price

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

COMMON STOCK

70,900 D

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)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exerci Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Y	te	7. Title and Amo Underlying Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
RESTRICTED STOCK UNITS	<u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>	09/24/2018		A	27,599	03/31/2021	03/31/2021	COMMON STOCK
RESTRICTED STOCK UNITS	(3) (4)					03/31/2020	03/31/2020	COMMON STOCK
RESTRICTED STOCK UNITS	(5) (6)					03/31/2019	03/31/2019	COMMON STOCK

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Anand Naveen 777 MAIN STREET SUITE 1000

President & CEO

FORT WORTH, TX 76102

Signatures

Steven D. Davidson as Attorney-In-Fact for Naveen Anand

03/06/2019

Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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).

Each restricted stock unit represents the right to receive shares of common stock upon satisfaction of vesting requirements and

rate ("CAAGR") in book value per share from January 1, 2018 to December 31, 2020, and earn a percentage of a share of common stock per restricted stock unit, as follows: (i) CAAGR less than 7% earns 0%; (ii) 7% CAAGR earns 50%; (iii) 8% CAAGR earns 75%; (iv) 9% CAAGR earns 100%; (v) 10% CAAGR earns 117%; (vi) 11% CAAGR earns 133% shares; and (vii) 12% or greater CAAGR earns 150%.

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(2) Each restricted stock unit represents the right to receive shares of common stock upon satisfaction of vesting requirements and performance criteria. The performance criteria for one-half of the restricted stock units are based on the net combined ratio ("NCR") for the three year period from January 1, 2018 to December 31, 2020, and earn a percentage of a share of common stock per restricted stock unit, as follows: (a) NCR greater than 98% earns 0%; (b) NCR of 97% earns 50%; (c) NCR of 96% earns 75%; (d) NCR of 95% earns

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100%; (e) NCR of 94% earns 110%; (f) NCR of 93% earns 120%; (g) NCR of 92% earns 130%; (h) NCR of 91% earns 140%; and (i) NCR less than 90% earns 150%.

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