HC2 HOLDINGS, INC. Form SC 13D/A September 10, 2018

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

SCHEDULE 13D

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No. 23)*

HC2 Holdings, Inc. (Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, \$0.001 Par Value (Title of Class of Securities)

74443P104 (CUSIP Number)

Philip A. Falcone
450 Park Avenue, 30th Floor
New York, New York 10022
(212) 339-5800
(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person
Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications)

September 5, 2018 (Date of Event which Requires Filing of this Statement)

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NAMES OF REPORTING
  PERSONS
  I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF
1 ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES
  ONLY)
  Philip A. Falcone
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2 IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP
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  SEC USE ONLY
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5 REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEM
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  ORGANIZATION
  United States of America
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  (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN
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SHARES

(SEE INSTRUCTIONS)
PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN 13ROW (11)
14.34%(1)
TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON
¹⁴ IN
(1) Includes 540,000 Shares held by Global Opportunities Breakaway MM LLC, of which Mr. Falcone is the managin member.

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NAMES OF REPORTING **PERSONS** I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF 1 ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY) Global Opportunities Breakaway MM LLC CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX 2 IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (b) 3 SEC USE ONLY SOURCE OF FUNDS (SEE 4 INSTRUCTIONS) AF CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS 5 REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEM 2(D) OR 2(E) CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF **ORGANIZATION** United States of America SOLE VOTING POWER NUMBER 540,000⁽²⁾ OF SHARSENARED VOTING POWER **BENEFICIALLY** OWNED BY SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER $\begin{array}{c} \text{EA9CH}_{40,000^{(2)}} \\ \text{REPORTING} \end{array}$ PERSONARED DISPOSITIVE POWER AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY 11 EACH REPORTING PERSON 540,000(2) CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN 12SHARES

(SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

PERCENT OF CLASS
REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN
13 ROW (11)
1.1%⁽²⁾
TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON
14 OO

 $^{(2)}$ Mr. Falcone is the managing member of Global Opportunities Breakaway MM LLC and has sole power to vote or dispose of the Shares.

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Item 1. Security and Issuer.

This Amendment No. 23 ("Amendment No. 23") amends the Schedule 13D filed on January 7, 2014, as amended by Amendment No. 1 filed on January 17, 2014, Amendment No. 2 filed on May 23, 2014, Amendment No. 3 filed on December 3, 2014, Amendment No. 4 filed on March 17, 2015, Amendment No. 5 filed on March 24, 2015, Amendment No. 6 filed on August 10, 2015, Amendment No. 7 filed on September 2, 2015, Amendment No. 8 filed on October 9, 2015, Amendment No. 10 filed on November 9, 2015, Amendment No. 11 filed on November 19, 2015, Amendment No. 12 filed on December 29, 2015, Amendment No. 13 filed on January 14, 2016, Amendment No. 14 filed on March 25, 2016, Amendment No. 15 filed on April 18, 2015, Amendment No. 16 filed on August 31, 2016, Amendment No. 17 filed on November 10, 2016, Amendment No. 18 filed on November 17, 2016, Amendment No. 19 filed on February 16, 2017, Amendment No. 20 filed on March 20, 2017, Amendment No. 21 filed on June 20, 2017, and Amendment No. 22 filed on February 20, 2018 (as amended, the "Schedule 13D"), and relates to the shares of Common Stock, \$0.001 par value (the "Shares"), of HC2 Holdings, Inc. (the "Issuer"). The Schedule 13D remains in full force and effect, except as specifically amended by this Amendment No. 23.

Item 5. Interest in Securities of the Issuer.

References to the percentage ownership of Shares in this Schedule 13D are based upon 44,707,771 Shares stated to be outstanding as of July 31, 2018 by the Issuer in its Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended June 30, 2018, filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") on August 8, 2018.

As of the date hereof, Philip A. Falcone is the beneficial owner of 7,275,198 Shares, constituting 14.34% of the outstanding Shares and consisting of (i) 710,873 Shares owned directly by Mr. Falcone, (ii) 540,000 Shares owned by Global Opportunities Breakaway MM LLC ("Global Opportunities"), of which Mr. Falcone is the Managing Member and, as such, has the sole power to vote or dispose of such Shares, and (iii) 6,024,325 Shares which Mr. Falcone has the right to acquire within 60 days upon the exercise of outstanding options granted by the Issuer.

(c) On March 10, 2018, 109,677 restricted stock units vested, of which 42,992 Shares were withheld by Issuer to satisfy taxes payable in connection with the vesting.

On June 13, 2018, Mr. Falcone was awarded the following: (i) restricted stock units ("RSUs") in respect of 1,134,852 Shares, which will vest with respect to 374,312 Shares on March 15, 2019, 380,270 Shares on March 16, 2020 and 380,270 Shares on March 16, 2021, in each case subject to Mr. Falcone's continued employment with the Issuer on 10 the applicable vesting data and (ii) antique to purple as 425,276 Shares at an appropriate of \$5,45 per Shares

- (d) the applicable vesting date, and (ii) options to purchase 425,276 Shares at an exercise price of \$5.45 per Share, which will vest with respect to 140,270 Shares on March 15, 2019, 142,503 Shares on March 16, 2020 and 142,503 Shares on March 16, 2021, subject to Mr. Falcone's continued employment with the Issuer on the applicable vesting date.
- (e)Mr. Falcone made the following bona fide gifts on the dates indicated:

Date of Transaction Number of Shares

April 2, 2018 50,000 April 12, 2018 25,000 April 20, 2018 25,000 May 8, 2018 25,000

May 31, 2018 25,000 July 20, 2018 50,000 September 5, 2018 25,000

Other than as set forth above, neither Mr. Falcone nor Global Opportunities has effected any transactions in Shares in the past 60 days.

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SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, the undersigned certifies that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Dated: September 10, 2018

/s/ Philip A. Falcone Philip A. Falcone