Brookdale Senior Living Inc.

Form 4

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Schulte Ma	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Brookdale Senior Living Inc. [BKD]					I	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 515 NORTH STATE STREET, SUITE 1750			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/19/2014					_	(Check all applicable) _X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)			
CHICAGO	(Street) O, IL 60654		4. If Amendment, Date Ori Filed(Month/Day/Year)				ıl	A - -	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	ole I - No	on-	Derivative	Secui	rities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Date, if	3. Transa Code (Instr.)	8)	4. Securit ord Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (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	08/19/2014			S		20,000	D	34.0055 (1)	164,542	D		
Common Stock	08/19/2014			S		10,000	D	\$ 33.9448 (2)	154,542	D		
Common Stock	08/19/2014			S		10,000	D	\$ 33.5103 (3)	144,542	D		
Common Stock	08/19/2014			S		10,000	D	\$ 33.9448	115,163	I	By GRAT	

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	5	ate	Secur	unt of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Schulte Mark J
515 NORTH STATE STREET SUITE 1750
CHICAGO, IL 60654

Signatures

/s/ Chad C. White, By Power of Attorney 08/20/2014

**Signature of Reporting Person

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Date

(1) This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$34.00 to \$34.04. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request by the staff of the Securities and Exchange

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Commission, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

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- This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$33.915 to \$33.98. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request by the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
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