

DAVITA INC
Form 8-K
February 16, 2007

UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

Form 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the

Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (date of earliest event reported): February 12, 2007

DAVITA INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware
(State or other jurisdiction

of incorporation)

1-14106
(Commission File Number)

601 Hawaii Street

El Segundo, CA 90245

(Address of principal executive offices including Zip Code)

(310) 536-2400

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

No. 51-0354549
(IRS Employer

Identification No.)

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 - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4)
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Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

On February 12, 2007, DaVita Inc. (the Company) entered into an amendment, effective December 15, 2006 (the Amendment), to the employment agreement of Thomas Usilton, Senior Vice President, entered into as of August 16, 2004, by and between the Company and Mr. Usilton (the Employment Agreement). The Amendment increases Mr. Usilton's base salary from \$350,000 per annum to \$380,000 per annum. The Amendment also changes the bonus provision of Mr. Usilton's Employment Agreement and provides that Mr. Usilton will be eligible to receive a single discretionary performance bonus of up to \$500,000. The amount of Mr. Usilton's discretionary performance bonus, if any, will be decided by the Chief Executive Officer and/or the Board of Directors or the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors in his/its sole discretion. In addition, the Amendment increases the maximum number of hours that Mr. Usilton may use the Company's airplane for business purposes from 25 to 30 hours per year. If Mr. Usilton does not use all 30 hours in any given calendar year, then the Company will pay Mr. Usilton a bonus for the allotted hours not used. The Amendment also modifies the terms of Mr. Usilton's severance arrangement with the Company.

The foregoing description of the Amendment to Mr. Usilton's Employment Agreement is qualified in its entirety by reference to the Amendment to Mr. Usilton's Employment Agreement which is attached hereto as Exhibit 10.1 and by reference to Mr. Usilton's Employment Agreement which was filed with the Company's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended September 30, 2004.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit

Number	Description
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10.2	Employment Agreement, dated as of August 16, 2004, by and between the Company and Mr. Usilton, incorporated herein by reference from the Company's Form 10-Q for the quarter ended September 30, 2004 filed on November 8, 2004.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

DAVITA INC.

Date: February 16, 2007

By: */s/ Joseph Schohl*
Joseph Schohl
Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

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