DAVITA INC Form 4 August 28, 2007

FORM 4

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * THIRY KENT J			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last)	(Last) (First) (Middle)		DAVITA INC [DVA] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
601 HAWA	II STREET		(Month/Day/Year) 08/27/2007	_X_ Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chairman & Chief Exec. Officer		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities A	Acquired Disposed of or Reneficially Owner		

(City)	(State)	Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative (Securi	ties Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit on(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	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 Stock	08/27/2007		M	70,200	A	\$ 4	244,022	D	
Common Stock	08/27/2007		S	200	D	\$ 56.03	243,822	D	
Common Stock	08/27/2007		S	100	D	\$ 56.02	243,722	D	
Common Stock	08/27/2007		S	500	D	\$ 56.01	243,222	D	
Common Stock	08/27/2007		S	3,700	D	\$ 56	239,522	D	

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Common Stock	08/27/2007	S	1,600	D	\$ 55.99	237,922	D
Common Stock	08/27/2007	S	200	D	\$ 55.98	237,722	D
Common Stock	08/27/2007	S	500	D	\$ 55.97	273,222	D
Common Stock	08/27/2007	S	700	D	\$ 55.96	236,522	D
Common Stock	08/27/2007	S	2,100	D	\$ 55.95	234,422	D
Common Stock	08/27/2007	S	500	D	\$ 55.94	233,922	D
Common Stock	08/27/2007	S	4,700	D	\$ 55.93	229,222	D
Common Stock	08/27/2007	S	11,400	D	\$ 55.92	217,822	D
Common Stock	08/27/2007	S	2,700	D	\$ 55.91	215,122	D
Common Stock	08/27/2007	S	4,500	D	\$ 55.89	210,622	D
Common Stock	08/27/2007	S	100	D	\$ 55.88	210,522	D
Common Stock	08/27/2007	S	600	D	\$ 55.87	209,922	D
Common Stock	08/27/2007	S	2,000	D	\$ 55.86	207,922	D
Common Stock	08/27/2007	S	2	D	\$ 55.85	207,920	D
Common Stock	08/27/2007	S	200	D	\$ 55.83	207,720	D
Common Stock	08/27/2007	S	500	D	\$ 55.82	207,220	D
Common Stock	08/27/2007	S	3,300	D	\$ 55.81	203,920	D
Common Stock	08/27/2007	S	8,498	D	\$ 55.8	195,422	D
Common Stock	08/27/2007	S	8,102	D	\$ 55.78	187,320	D
Common Stock	08/27/2007	S	1,900	D	\$ 55.77	185,420	D
	08/27/2007	S	1,200	D		184,220	D

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Common Stock					\$ 55.76			
Common Stock	08/27/2007	S	10,398	D	\$ 55.75	173,822	D	,
Common						22,743	D)

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	erivative Conversion (Month/security or Exercise nstr. 3) Price of		3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount o Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
	Derivative Security				or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)				
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share
Stock Options (Right to	\$ 4	08/27/2007		M	70,200	10/18/2000(1)	10/18/2009	Common Stock	70,200

Reporting Owners

**Signature of Reporting Person

Buy)

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
THIRY KENT J 601 HAWAII STREET EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245	X		Chairman & Chief Exec. Officer				
Signatures							
/s/ Corinna B. Polk Attorney-in-Fact		08/28/200	7				

Date

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- * 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).
- (1) Non-qualified stock options which vested at 25% on 10/18/00, 1/23/01, 10/18/01, and 10/18/02.

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