

TAYLOR ROBERT
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
TAYLOR ROBERT

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O MEDIDATA SOLUTIONS, INC., 79 FIFTH AVENUE, 8TH FLOOR

(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10003

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Medidata Solutions, Inc. [MDSO]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
06/24/2009

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount or (D) Price			
Common Stock	06/24/2009		A	(1) 3,571 \$ 0	3,571	D	
Common Stock	06/24/2009		A	(2) 2,600 \$ 0	6,171	D	
Common Stock	06/25/2009		P	5,000 A \$ 14	11,171	I	See Footnote (3)

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)

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
Option (right to buy)	\$ 14	06/24/2009		A	5,910	(4) 06/24/2019	Common Stock	5,910

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
TAYLOR ROBERT C/O MEDIDATA SOLUTIONS, INC. 79 FIFTH AVENUE, 8TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10003	X			

Signatures

/s/ Michael I. Otner,
Attorney-in-Fact

06/26/2009

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) Represents shares of restricted stock. The restrictions lapse with respect to one-half of the shares on each of June 24, 2010 and June 24, 2011.

(2) Represents shares of restricted stock. The restrictions lapse with respect to one-half of the shares on April 21, 2010 and to one-fourth of the shares on each of April 21, 2011 and April 21, 2011.

(3) Shares held indirectly through the Robert B. Taylor Defined Benefit Pension Plan.

(4) These Options vest in 24 equal monthly installments commencing one month after the grant date, subject to continued board membership.

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