## Edgar Filing: ROPER WILLIAM L - Form 4

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(Print or Type Re	esponses)									
ROPER WILLIAM L Symbol			r Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading 'A INC [DVA]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of (Month/Da C/O DAVITA INC., 1551 12/31/20 WEWATTA ST.			•				X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)			
			ndment, Date Original nth/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
DENVER, C	O 80202							More than One Re		
(City)	(State) (	Zip) Table	e I - Non-Do	erivative S	ecuri	ties Ac	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	lly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) Code V	4. Securit mAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	ties (A) o of (D	r )	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	-	
Common Stock	12/31/2011		A <u>(1)</u>	73	A	\$0	10,738	D		

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)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. ofNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Secur	unt of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secu Bene Owno Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

<b>Reporting Owner Name / Address</b>	Relationships						
I O	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
ROPER WILLIAM L C/O DAVITA INC. 1551 WEWATTA ST. DENVER, CO 80202	Х						
Signatures							
/s/ Kim M. Rivera Attorney-in-Fact		01/04/2012					
**Signature of Reporting Person		Date					

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* 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) Grant of restricted stock units, pursuant to the 2011 Incentive Award Plan, which are issuable on 12/31/2012.

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