KELLIHER MATTHEW

Form 4 March 03, 2009

FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **KELLIHER MATTHEW**

(First)

(Street)

701 COOL SPRINGS BLVD

(Middle)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

HEALTHWAYS, INC [HWAY]

(Month/Day/Year) 03/02/2009

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

President, International

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

FRANKLIN, TN 37067

(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative :	Secur	ities Acc	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly 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 on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		,
Common Stock	03/02/2009		P	2,000	A	\$ 7.41	2,000	D	
Common Stock	03/02/2009		P	400	A	\$ 7.42	2,400	D	
Common Stock	03/02/2009		P	1,700	A	\$ 7.43	4,100	D	
Common Stock	03/02/2009		P	600	A	\$ 7.44	4,700	D	
Common Stock	03/02/2009		P	300	A	\$ 7.45	5,000	D	

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Common Stock	03/03/2009	P	204	A	\$ 7.82	5,204	D	
Common Stock	03/03/2009	P	200	A	\$ 7.83	5,404	D	
Common Stock	03/03/2009	P	1,600	A	\$ 7.84	7,004	D	
Common Stock	03/03/2009	P	200	A	\$ 7.85	7,204	D	
Common Stock	03/03/2009	P	300	A	\$ 7.86	7,504	D	
Common Stock	03/03/2009	P	2,496	A	\$ 7.87	10,000	D	
Common Stock						369	I	Held in 401(k) Plan

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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. mNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Secur (Instr.	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer Director 10% Owner Other

KELLIHER MATTHEW President, International 701 COOL SPRINGS BLVD

2 Reporting Owners

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Signatures

/s/ Mary A. Chaput, by power of attorney for Matthew Kelliher

03/03/2009

**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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