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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * HANKINS ROBERT SAMUEL JR			Symbol	er Name an NC/TN [(d Ticker or Trading HCA)]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date o	f Earliest T	ransaction	(Chec	ж ан аррисаок	-)	
ONE PARI	K PLAZA		(Month/I 05/27/2	Day/Year) 2005		DirectorX Officer (give below) CFO-Outp	e title Oth below) atient Services	er (specify	
	(Street)		4. If Amo	endment, D	ate Original	6. Individual or Jo	oint/Group Fili	ng(Check	
NASHVIL		Filed(Mo	nth/Day/Yea	r)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative Securities Acq	quired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	lly Owned	
1.Title of	2. Transaction D			3.	4. Securities Acquired	5. Amount of	6.	7. Natur	

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Dispose any Code (Instr. 3, 4 and			of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	05/27/2005		Code V	Amount 1,094	(A) or (D)	Price \$ 53.81	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) 24,759	D D	
Common Stock	05/27/2006		F	794 (1)	D	\$ 43.74	23,965	D	
Common Stock	09/30/2006		A(2) V	20	A	\$ 0	23,985	D	
Common Stock	11/17/2006		D	7,853	D	<u>(3)</u>	16,132	D	
Common Stock	11/17/2006		D	16,132	D	\$ 51 (4)	0	D	

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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 op Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	e Expiration D	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shares	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 44.74	11/17/2006		D	5,000	(5)	01/27/2015	Common Stock	5,00	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 54.73	11/17/2006		D	5,000	(5)	01/27/2015	Common Stock	5,00	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 49.59	11/17/2006		D	5,000	(5)	01/27/2015	Common Stock	5,00	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 49.9	11/17/2006		D	4,500	(5)	01/26/2016	Common Stock	4,50	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 45.08	11/17/2006		D	4,500	(5)	01/26/2016	Common Stock	4,50	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 49.6	11/17/2006		D	4,500	<u>(5)</u>	01/26/2016	Common Stock	4,50	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 50.34	11/17/2006		D	4,500	<u>(5)</u>	01/26/2016	Common Stock	4,50	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to purchase)	\$ 46.95	11/17/2006		D	5,000	(5)	01/27/2015	Common Stock	5,00	

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

HANKINS ROBERT SAMUEL JR ONE PARK PLAZA NASHVILLE, TN 37203

CFO-Outpatient Services Group

Signatures

By: /s/ Colleen E. Haley, Attorney-in-Fact

**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) Due to an administrative error, this transaction has not been previously reported.
- (2) Ongoing acquisition of common stock from 1/1/2006 to 9/30/2006 under the HCA Employee Stock Purchase Plan and including dividend reinvestment of shares.
 - Disposed of in connection with the merger of Hercules Acquisition Corporation with and into the issuer, with the issuer as the surviving corporation, effective November 17, 2006, pursuant to the Merger Agreement dated July 24, 2006 among Hercules Holding, LLC,
- Hercules Acquisition Corporation and the issuer. The shares listed above held by the reporting person were exchanged for an equity interest in the surviving corporation. In connection with the merger, the issuer's common stock was valued at \$51.00 per share.
- (4) Disposed of in connection with the merger in exchange for the right to receive \$51.00 per share.
- (5) Immediately before the effective time of the merger, all unvested options became fully vested and immediately exercisable.
 - This option was assumed by the surviving corporation in the merger and replaced with a new option with an exercise price of \$12.75 for that number of shares so that the difference between \$51.00 and the exercise price of the old option, multiplied by the number shares
- subject to the old option, is equal to the difference between \$51.00 and \$12.75, multiplied by the number of shares subject to the new option.
- (7) All options with an exercise price above the merger consideration of \$51.00 per share were cancelled in the merger and no payment will be made thereon.

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