HCA INC/TN Form 4 June 06, 2005

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)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** FITZGERALD JAMES A JR			2. Issuer Name a Symbol HCA INC/TN	and Ticker or Trading	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earlies		(Chec	ck all applica	ıble)	
ONE PARI	, ,		(Month/Day/Year 06/02/2005		DirectorX Officer (give below) SVP-Supp		`	
	(Street)		4. If Amendment,	Date Original	6. Individual or Jo	oint/Group F	iling(Check	
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - No	n-Derivative Securities Acc	quired, Disposed o	f, or Benefic	cially Owned	
1.Title of	2. Transaction	Date 2A. Deer	ned 3.	4. Securities Acquired	5. Amount of	6.	7. Natui	

(City)	(State)	Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative (Securi	ities Acqu	iired, 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)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit on(A) or Dia (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	06/02/2005		S	1,025	D D	\$ 54.07	20,021	D	
Common Stock	06/02/2005		S	5,900	D	\$ 54.03	14,121	D	
Common Stock	06/03/2005		G	278	D	\$ 0	13,843	D	
Common Stock	06/03/2005		M	1,875	A	\$ 35.6	15,718	D	
Common Stock	06/03/2005		M	15,000	A	\$ 41.84	30,718	D	

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Common Stock	06/03/2005	M	15,000 A	\$ 42.15	45,718	D	
Common Stock	06/03/2005	S	31,875 D	\$ 54.2	13,843	D	
Common Stock					3,483	I	By 401(k)
Common Stock					940	I	By Spouse

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 orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	e Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) (A) ed of		7. Title and Amour Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sh
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 35.6	06/03/2005		M	1,875	<u>(1)</u>	03/22/2011	Common Stock	1,8
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 41.84	06/03/2005		M	15,000	(2)	01/24/2012	Common Stock	15,0
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 42.15	06/03/2005		M	15,000	(2)	01/29/2013	Common Stock	15,0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address			Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
FITZGERALD JAMES A JR ONE PARK PLAZA NASHVILLE, TN 37203			SVP-Supply Chain Operations			

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By: /s/ John M. Franck II, Attorney-in-Fact

06/06/2005

**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) The option vests in four equal annual installments beginning on 3/22/02.
- On December 16, 2004, HCA announced the acceleration of vesting of all unvested options awarded to employees and officers under the (2) HCA 2000 Equity Incentive Plan which had exercise prices greater than the closing price of HCA?s common stock on December 14, 2004 of \$40.89 per share, as reported by the New York Stock Exchange.

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