De Carli Earl Vincent Form 4 May 19, 2010

## FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Addr De Carli Earl V	•	ng Person *	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Hill-Rom Holdings, Inc. [HRC]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner			
1069 STATE ROUTE 46E			05/18/2010	_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Group V.P. Care Continuum Svcs			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
BATESVILLE	, IN 47006		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	Table Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. Transactio	4. Securi on(A) or D		•	5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any (Manth/Day/Vaan)	Code	(Instr. 3,	4 and	5)	Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)		(A) or		Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(IIIstr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	05/18/2010		M	23	A	\$ 19.39	917	D	
Common Stock	05/18/2010		S	23	D	\$ 31.35	894	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)

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. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	5. ioiNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	/ (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option 12/2/2008	\$ 19.39	05/18/2010		M	23	12/02/2009(1)	12/02/2018	Common Stock	23

### **Reporting Owners**

Penarting Owner Name / Address	Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

De Carli Earl Vincent Group V.P.
1069 STATE ROUTE 46E Care Continuum

BATESVILLE, IN 47006 Svcs

### **Signatures**

Donna Isaacs, as Attorney-in-Fact for Earl V.
DeCarli

05/19/2010

\*\*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 the date indicated.

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