

HCA INC/TN
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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 *
BRACKEN RICHARD M

(Last) (First) (Middle)
ONE PARK PLAZA

(Street)

NASHVILLE, TN 37203

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
HCA INC/TN [(HCA)]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
06/03/2005

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
President and COO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially 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 (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	06/03/2005		M		50,000	A	\$ 26.8031
Common Stock	06/03/2005		S		25,000	D	\$ 54.25
Common Stock	06/03/2005		S		1,800	D	\$ 54.3
Common Stock	06/03/2005		S		400	D	\$ 54.31
Common Stock	06/03/2005		S		3,100	D	\$ 54.32

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Common Stock	06/03/2005	S	1,300	D	\$ 54.33	148,622	D	
Common Stock	06/03/2005	S	4,600	D	\$ 54.34	144,022	D	
Common Stock	06/03/2005	S	3,500	D	\$ 54.35	140,522	D	
Common Stock	06/03/2005	S	100	D	\$ 54.37	140,422	D	
Common Stock	06/03/2005	S	1,400	D	\$ 54.38	139,022	D	
Common Stock	06/03/2005	S	8,800	D	\$ 54.4	130,222	D	
Common Stock						6,684	I	By 401(k)

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 Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am or Num of S
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 26.8031	06/03/2005		M	50,000	11/03/2002 11/03/2007	Common Stock	50	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BRACKEN RICHARD M ONE PARK PLAZA	X		President and COO	

NASHVILLE, TN 37203

Signatures

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).

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