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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** Kirby Thomas D			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HCP, INC. [HCP]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Midd		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner		
3760 KILROY AIRPORT WAY, SUITE 300			02/14/2013	X Officer (give title Other (specify below)		
				Executive Vice President		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)		
LONG BEACH, CA 90806				_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tak	ole I - Non-	Derivative	Secui	rities Acquir	ed, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) c, if Transactionor Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common	02/14/2013		Code V M	Amount 2,500	(D) A	Price \$ 31.95	(Instr. 3 and 4) 59,167	D	
Stock Common Stock	02/14/2013		S	2,500	D	\$ 47.2614	56,667	D	
Common Stock	02/15/2013		M	5,102	A	\$ 31.95	61,769	D	
Common Stock	02/15/2013		M	10,056	A	\$ 23.34	71,825	D	
Common Stock	02/15/2013		S	15,158	D	\$ 47.4099	56,667	D	

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						(3)		
Common Stock	02/19/2013	S <u>(1)</u>		5,500	D	\$ 48.1182 (4)	51,167	D
Common Stock	02/19/2013	G	V	700	D	\$ 0	50,467	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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	orDerivative		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitic (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Sha
Employee Stock Option	\$ 31.95	02/14/2013		M		2,500	01/25/2008(5)	01/25/2018	Common Stock	2,50
Employee Stock Option	\$ 31.95	02/15/2013		M		5,102	01/25/2008(5)	01/25/2018	Common Stock	5,10
Employee Stock Option	\$ 23.34	02/15/2013		M	1	10,056	01/30/2009(6)	01/30/2019	Common Stock	10,0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address			Kelationsnips	
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other

Kirby Thomas D 3760 KILROY AIRPORT WAY SUITE 300 LONG BEACH, CA 90806

Executive Vice President

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Troy E. McHenry, VP, Corporate Counsel (Power of Attorney)

02/19/2013

**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 reported stock sale was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on August 27, 2012.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average sales price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at sale prices ranging (2) from \$47.2600 to \$47.2700. The reporting person undertakes to provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer, or the staff of the SEC, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth herein.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average sales price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at sale prices ranging (3) from \$47.3500 to \$47.5000. The reporting person undertakes to provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer, or the staff of the SEC, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth herein.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average sales price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at sale prices ranging (4) from \$47.9000 to \$48.2000. The reporting person undertakes to provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer, or the staff of the SEC, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth herein.
- (5) Stock options vest 20% annually commencing on the first anniversary of the January 25, 2008 grant date.
- (6) Stock options vest 20% annually commencing on the first anniversary of the January 30, 2009 grant date.

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