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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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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

			Brookdale Senior Living Inc. [BKD]			(Check all applicable)				
(Last) (First) (Middle)  1150 FIFTH AVENUE		(Month/D	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/21/2007				_X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)			
				I. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction I (Month/Day/Ye	ar) Execution	emed ion Date, if //Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securion(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d 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)	
Common Stock	05/21/2007			S	124	D	\$ 42.48	33,359	D	
Common Stock	05/21/2007			S	1,600	D	\$ 42.49	31,759	D	
Common Stock	05/21/2007			S	800	D	\$ 42.5	30,959	D	
Common Stock	05/21/2007			S	400	D	\$ 42.51	30,559	D	
Common Stock	05/21/2007			S	400	D	\$ 42.53	30,159	D	
	05/21/2007			S	500	D		29,659	D	

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Common Stock					\$ 42.54		
Common Stock	05/21/2007	S	400	D	\$ 42.55	29,259	D
Common Stock	05/21/2007	S	1,000	D	\$ 42.57	28,259	D
Common Stock	05/21/2007	S	200	D	\$ 42.58	28,059	D
Common Stock	05/21/2007	S	200	D	\$ 42.6	27,859	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)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. DrNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,			7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	4, and 5)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Waxman Samuel 1150 FIFTH AVENUE	X							
NEW YORK, NY 10029	71							

# **Signatures**

/s/ T. Andrew Smith, By Power of Attorney 05/22/2007

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\*\*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).

#### **Remarks:**

**Exhibit List** 

#### Exhibit 24--Power of Attorney

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