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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)

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person **
Doniger William

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(First) (Middle)

1345 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS

(Street)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol

Brookdale Senior Living Inc. [BKD]

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

05/21/2007

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed (Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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X Director _____ 10% Owner _____ Officer (give title _____ Other (specify below) below)

 $6.\ Individual\ or\ Joint/Group\ Filing (Check$

Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
___ Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

NEW YORK, NY 10105

(City)	(State)	Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly 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 on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Form: Direct Beneficially (D) or Owned Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4) Reported Transaction(s)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	05/21/2007		P	100	A	\$ 42.35	5,600	D	
Common Stock	05/21/2007		P	400	A	\$ 42.36	6,000	D	
Common Stock	05/21/2007		P	300	A	\$ 42.37	6,300	D	
Common Stock	05/21/2007		P	100	A	\$ 42.39	6,400	D	
Common Stock	05/21/2007		P	1,900	A	\$ 42.4	8,300	D	

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Common Stock	05/21/2007	P	200	A	\$ 42.41	8,500	D
Common Stock	05/21/2007	P	100	A	\$ 42.45	8,600	D
Common Stock	05/21/2007	P	500	A	\$ 42.46	9,100	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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Title Amou Under Securi (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secun Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Doniger William								
1345 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS	X							

Signatures

Reporting Person

NEW YORK, NY 10105

/s/ William B.
Doniger 05/21/2007

**Signature of Date

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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).

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