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### FORM 4

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# 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 ** WALLACE BEVERLY B			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HCA INC/TN [(HCA)]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			2, ,,,	(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction				
ONE PARK PLAZA			(Month/Day/Year) 03/02/2005	Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)  President-Financial Svcs Group			
,	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person			
NASHVILLE, TN 37203				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
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(City)	(State)	(Zip) 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit our Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of	Price	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)	
Common Stock	03/02/2005		M	25,000	A	\$ 26.8031	59,443	D		
Common Stock	03/02/2005		S	25,000	D	\$ 48	34,443	D		
Common Stock							2,870	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. 5. Number of TransactiorDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed o (D) (Instr. 3, 4,		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amou Underlying Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am or Nu of S
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 26.8031	03/02/2005		M	25,000	11/03/2002	11/03/2007	Common Stock	25

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

WALLACE BEVERLY B ONE PARK PLAZA NASHVILLE, TN 37203

President-Financial Svcs Group

### **Signatures**

By: /s/ John M. Franck II, Attorney-in-Fact

03/03/2005

\*\*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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