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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting

Person *

Doise Daryl J

(Last)

(First)

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

06/08/2005

LHC Group, Inc [LHCG]

(Check all applicable)

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

420 WEST PINHOOK ROAD, SUITE A

(Street)

Director

_X__ Officer

10% Owner Other

(give title below) (specify below) COO of Facility, Senior V.P. 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person

Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial

LAFAYETTE, LAÂ 70503

(City) (State)

1. Title of Security

(Instr. 4)

(Zip)

(Middle)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

(Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

Ownership

Form:

Ownership (Instr. 5)

Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

4. Conversion or Exercise Price of

5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

Date Exercisable

Expiration Title Date

Amount or Number of Shares

Derivative Security

Direct (D) or Indirect

(I)

(Instr. 5)

KEEP Units $\hat{A} \stackrel{(1)}{=} \hat{A} \stackrel{(1)}{=} \frac{Common}{Stock} 77,430 \quad \$ \stackrel{(1)}{=} \quad D \quad \hat{A}$

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Doise Daryl J

420 WEST PINHOOK ROAD SUITE A LAFAYETTE, LAÂ 70503

 \hat{A} \hat{A} \hat{A} COO of Facility, Senior V.P. \hat{A}

Signatures

/s/ R. Barr Brown, Attorney-in-Fact 06/08/2005

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(b)(v).

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KEEP Units are awards granted under the issuer's Key Employee Equity Participation Plan, which represent the right to receive a cash or stock payment in the future, based on the future value of the issuer, subject to certain restrictions and to risk of forfeiture. The KEEP Units will convert to shares of the issuer's common stock on a 1-for-1 basis upon completion of the initial public offering of the issuer's common stock

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