#### **HMS HOLDINGS CORP**

Form 4

September 28, 2011

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Ad LUCIA WIL	•	rting Person *	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol HMS HOLDINGS CORP [HMSY]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction			
401 PARK AVENUE SOUTH		OUTH	(Month/Day/Year) 09/27/2011	Director 10% Owner _X Officer (give title Other (specify below) CEO		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
NEW YORK, NY 10016			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	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 Acc	quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned		

(City)	(State) (	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acqu	uired, Disposed of	, 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. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)		d of (D)	Beneficially (D) or Benef Owned Indirect (I) Owne	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	09/27/2011(1)		M	6,000	A	\$ 2.32	261,120 (2) (3)	D	
Common Stock	09/27/2011(1)		S	6,000	D	\$ 25.41	255,120 (2) (3)	D	
Common Stock	09/27/2011(1)		M	9,000	A	\$ 3.15	264,120 (2) (3)	D	
Common Stock	09/27/2011(1)		S	9,000	D	\$ 25.41	255,120 (2) (3)	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Ame Underlying Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	An or No of Sh
Non-Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 2.32	09/27/2011(1)		M	6,000	04/14/2005(4)	04/14/2015	Common Stock	$\epsilon$
Non Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 3.15	09/27/2011(1)		M	9,000	05/04/2006(5)	05/04/2016	Common Stock	9

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
LUCIA WILLIAM C 401 PARK AVENUE SOUTH NEW YORK, NY 10016			CEO				

# **Signatures**

William C.
Lucia

\*\*Signature of Date

\*\*Signature of Description Person

### **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 transactions reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on March 4, 2011.

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Of which 31,980 are restricted stock awards granted on February 19, 2009 pursuant to the Third 2006 Amended and Restated Stock Plan (the "2006 Stock Plan") and 18,262 are restricted stock units granted on February 17, 2011 pursuant to the 2006 Stock Plan.

- The Company declared a three-for-one stock split of the Company's common shares, to be effected in the form of a common stock (3) dividend. As a result, on August 16, 2011, the reporting person received two additional shares of common stock for each share of common stock held on July 22, 2011.
- (4) Date shown is grant date. Options vested in one third increments with one third having vested on the grant date and one third having vested on each of the following two anniversary dates.
- (5) Date shown is the date of grant. Options vested in one quarter increments annually beginning on the first anniversary date of grant.
- (6) Only represents the derivitive securities in this class.

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