HMS HOLDINGS CORP

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1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * LUCIA WILLIAM C

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

HMS HOLDINGS CORP [HMSY]

(Check all applicable)

401 PARK AVENUE SOUTH

(First)

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 10/05/2012

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title

CEO

below)

Other (specify below)

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 Form filed by More than One Reporting

(Instr. 4)

Person

NEW YORK, NY 10016

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

(Middle)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (I)

(Instr. 4)

Following Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(A)

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

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

any

4. 5. Number of Transaction Derivative Code Securities

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

7. Title and Amoun Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8	ĺ	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)					
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amor Numl Share
Non Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 27.79	10/05/2012		A			128,201	10/05/2012(1)	10/04/2019	Common Stock	128

Reporting Owners

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

Signatures

Walter D. Hosp by Power of Attorney for William C.
Lucia 10/09/2012

**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).
- Date shown is the date of grant. Fifty percent of the options vested annually in 1/3 increments over a period of three years commencing (1) on December 31, 2013. The remaining 50%, or 64,101, vest on December 31, 2015 based on the Issuer's achievement of certain pre-defined performance criteria and the Reporting Persons satisfaction of certain service conditions.
- (2) Only represents the derivitive securities in this class.

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