

Kogod Dennis
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Kogod Dennis

(Last) (First) (Middle)
1551 WEWATTA ST.
(Street)

DENVER, CO 80202

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
DAVITA INC [DVA]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
08/06/2012

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

Chief Operating Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
___ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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)		
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	08/06/2012		M		66,667	A	\$ 50.37	105,854	D
Common Stock	08/06/2012		F		33,821	D	\$ 99.29	72,033	D
Common Stock	08/06/2012		S		32,846	D	\$ 96	39,187	D
Common Stock	08/06/2012		M		115,851	A	\$ 46.26	155,038	D
Common Stock	08/06/2012		F		53,976	D	\$ 99.29	101,062	D

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Common Stock	08/06/2012	S	61,875	D	\$ 96.92 (1)	39,187	D
Common Stock	08/07/2012	M	46,649	A	\$ 46.26	85,836	D
Common Stock	08/07/2012	F	22,543	D	\$ 95.73	63,293	D
Common Stock	08/07/2012	S	24,106	D	\$ 96.0117 (2)	39,187	D
Common Stock	08/07/2012	M	60,375	A	\$ 63.4	99,562	D
Common Stock	08/07/2012	F	39,986	D	\$ 95.73	59,576	D
Common Stock	08/07/2012	S	20,389	D	\$ 97.0066 (3)	39,187	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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of 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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 50.37	08/06/2012		M	66,667	02/28/2009 ⁽⁴⁾	02/28/2013	Common Stock
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 46.26	08/06/2012		M	115,851	03/02/2010 ⁽⁴⁾	03/02/2014	Common Stock
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 46.26	08/07/2012		M	46,649	03/02/2010 ⁽⁴⁾	03/02/2014	Common Stock
Stock	\$ 63.4	08/07/2012		M	60,375	03/31/2011 ⁽⁵⁾	03/31/2015	Common

