HMS HOLDINGS CORP

Form 4

March 15, 2011

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Curtin Sean

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

HMS HOLDINGS CORP [HMSY]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last)

(City)

Stock

(First) (Middle)

(Check all applicable)

401 PARK AVENUE SOUTH

(Street)

(State)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 03/15/2011

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Director Officer (give title

10% Owner _X_ Other (specify

below)

below) EVP, Operations

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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

NEW YORK, NY 10016

1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)			
(Instr. 3)		any (Month/Day/Year)		

(Zip)

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

(A)

Price

23.99

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially (D) or Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Common 03/15/2011(1) V Amount (D) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Stock Common

03/15/2011(1)

M 6,458

6,458

S

 $36,082 \stackrel{(2)}{=}$

D

 $29,624 \frac{(2)}{}$ D

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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 proof 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 Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Non Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 23.99	03/15/2011(1)		M	6,458	10/01/2008(3)	09/30/2015	Common Stock	6,458

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Curtin Sean

401 PARK AVENUE SOUTH NEW YORK, NY 10016 EVP, Operations

Signatures

Walter D. Hosp by Power of Attorney for Sean Curtin

03/15/2011

**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).
- The transactions reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on September 10, 2010.
- (2) Of which 19,187 are restricted stock awards granted on February 19, 2009 pursuant to the Third 2006 Amended and Restated Stock Plan (the "2006 Stock Plan") and 12,175 are restricted stock units granted on February 17, 2011 pursuant to the 2006 Stock Plan.
- (3) Date shown is the date of grant. Options vest in 25% increments annually on the anniversary date of grant.
- (4) Only represents the derivative securities of this class.

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