

HCA INC/TN  
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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 \*  
**BRACKEN RICHARD M**

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
**ONE PARK PLAZA**  
  
(Street)

**NASHVILLE, TN 37203**

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**HCA INC/TN [(HCA)]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**11/17/2006**

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
**President and COO**

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock	11/07/2006		G	V 612 D \$ 0	164,339	D	
Common Stock	11/09/2006		G	V 296 D \$ 0	164,043	D	
Common Stock	11/17/2006		D	77,616 D (1) 86,427		D	
Common Stock	11/17/2006		D	86,427 D (2) \$ 51 0		D	
Common Stock	11/17/2006		D	6,764 D (3) 0		I	By 401(k)

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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 Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 42.15	11/17/2006		D	175,000	<u>(7)</u>	01/29/2013	Common Stock	1
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 45.86	11/17/2006		D	225,000	<u>(7)</u>	01/29/2014	Common Stock	2
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 44.74	11/17/2006		D	35,050	<u>(8)</u>	01/27/2015	Common Stock	3
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 54.73	11/17/2006		D	35,050	<u>(8)</u>	01/27/2015	Common Stock	3
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 49.59	11/17/2006		D	35,050	<u>(8)</u>	01/27/2015	Common Stock	3
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 49.9	11/17/2006		D	29,900	<u>(8)</u>	01/26/2016	Common Stock	2
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 45.08	11/17/2006		D	29,900	<u>(8)</u>	01/26/2016	Common Stock	2
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 49.6	11/17/2006		D	29,900	<u>(8)</u>	01/26/2016	Common Stock	2
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 50.34	11/17/2006		D	29,900	<u>(8)</u>	01/26/2016	Common Stock	2
	\$ 46.95	11/17/2006		D	35,050	<u>(8)</u>	01/27/2015		3

Option Type	Exercise Price	Grant Date	Expiration Date	Shares	Exercise Period	Term	Stock Type
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to purchase)							Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.116	11/17/2006		137,912	03/04/2003 - 03/04/2009		Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 35.6	11/17/2006		20,000	(5) 03/22/2011		Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 45.98	11/17/2006		200,000	(7) 07/26/2011		Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 41.84	11/17/2006		125,000	(7) 01/24/2012		Common Stock

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BRACKEN RICHARD M ONE PARK PLAZA NASHVILLE, TN 37203	X		President and COO	

## Signatures

By: /s/ Colleen E. Haley,  
Attorney-in-Fact  
Date: 11/21/2006

\*\*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).
- (1) Disposed of in connection with the merger of Hercules Acquisition Corporation with and into the issuer, with the issuer as the surviving corporation, effective November 17, 2006, pursuant to the Merger Agreement dated July 24, 2006 among Hercules Holding, LLC, Hercules Acquisition Corporation and the issuer. The shares listed above held by the reporting person were exchanged for an equity interest in the surviving corporation. In connection with the merger, the issuer's common stock was valued at \$51.00 per share.
  - (2) Disposed of in connection with the merger in exchange for the right to receive \$51.00 per share.
  - (3) All shares held by the HCA 401(k) Plan were disposed of in connection with the merger in exchange for merger consideration of \$51.00 per share, and the participant received cash in the plan equal to his or her pro rata interest in the shares held by the plan.
  - (4) This option was cancelled in the merger in exchange for a cash payment equal to the difference between the exercise price of the option and the merger consideration of \$51 per share, multiplied by the number of shares subject to the option.
  - (5) The options vest in four equal annual installments beginning on 3/22/02.
  - (6) This option was assumed by the surviving corporation in the merger and replaced with a new option with an exercise price of \$12.75 for that number of shares so that the difference between \$51.00 and the exercise price of the old option, multiplied by the number shares subject to the old option, is equal to the difference between \$51.00 and \$12.75, multiplied by the number of shares subject to the new

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option.

On December 16, 2004, HCA announced the acceleration of vesting of all unvested options awarded to employees and officers under the

- (7) HCA 2000 Equity Incentive Plan which had exercise prices greater than the closing price of HCA's common stock on December 14, 2004 of \$40.89 per share, as reported by the New York Stock Exchange.
- (8) Immediately before the effective time of the merger, all unvested options became fully vested and immediately exercisable.
- (9) All options with an exercise price above the merger consideration of \$51.00 per share were cancelled in the merger and no payment will be made thereon.

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