

HMS HOLDINGS CORP
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FORM 4

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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 *
LUCIA WILLIAM C

(Last) (First) (Middle)

401 PARK AVENUE SOUTH

(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10016

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
HMS HOLDINGS CORP [HMSY]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
06/26/2006

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)
Common Stock				(A) or (D) Price	6,694	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)

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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. 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)	Title	
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.48						(1)	12/12/2011	Common Stock
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.92						(1)	11/04/2013	Common Stock
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 3.41						(1)	12/19/2012	Common Stock
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 6.32							11/24/2000 11/24/2007	Common Stock
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 6.44							11/13/2003 11/13/2008	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 1.74							10/31/2004 07/31/2011	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.48						(1)	12/12/2011	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.92						(1)	11/04/2013	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 3.41						(1)	12/19/2012	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 6.44							11/13/2003 11/13/2008	Common Stock
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 6.95						(1)	04/14/2015	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 6.95						(1)	04/14/2015	Common Stock

Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 9.44				(2)	05/04/2016	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 9.44				(2)	05/04/2016	Common Stock
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 1.74					10/31/2002 07/31/2011	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 10.64	06/26/2006	A	117,335	(2)	10/26/2016	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

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

Signatures

William C.
Lucia

06/26/2006

**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) Options will vest in 1/3 increments, with 1/3 vesting on the grant date and 1/3 vesting on each of the next two anniversary dates.
- (2) Options will vest in 25% increments, with 1/4 vesting on each anniversary date beginning on the first anniversary.
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