FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  ANDREWS MARK L ESQ  (Last) (First) (Middle)  2277 FAIR OAKS BOULEVARD, SUITE 440						Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MOLINA HEALTHCARE INC [ MOH ]  3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/17/2005								Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuence all applicable)  Director 10% Owne  X Officer (give title below)  Exec. VP, General Counsel				vner
(Street) SACRAMENTO CA 95825  (City) (State) (Zip)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)  6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicatine)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person											n	
1. Title of	Security (Inst		le I - N	2. Transa		2A.	Deen	ned	3.		4. Securities	s Acquired	(A) or	5. Amou	ınt of			7. Nature
			Date (Month/Da	ay/Year	) if an	xecution Date, any Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		Disposed O	f (D) (Instr. 3, 4 an		Benefic	ially Following	Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(
Common Stock 03/17/2					2005	005					10,000	A	\$2	10	10,000		D	
Common Stock 03/17/2					2005	005					10,000	D	\$48.95	8(1)	0		D	
		7	Table II								posed of, converti			y Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deer Execution if any (Month/I		4. Transa Code ( 8)				6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y		ate	7. Title and Amo of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)		Derivative Security	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	e S Illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	sable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$2	03/17/2005			M			10,000	(2)	)	12/07/2008	Common Stock	10,000	\$0	53,550	0	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$4.5								(3)	)	12/01/2011	Common Stock	72,000		72,000	0	D	
Stock Option (Right to	\$25.33								(4)	)	02/10/2014	Common Stock	30,000	)	30,000	0	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Represents the weighted average sales price with respect to 14 sales on March 17, 2005.
- 2. The options became fully exercisable on 5/1/2001.
- 3. The options became fully exercisable upon the closing of the initial public offering of the issuer.
- 4. The options vest one-third on each of 2/10/05, 2/10/06, and 2/10/07.

03/18/2005 Mark L. Andrews

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- \* 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).

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