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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* BAYER TERRY (Last) (First) (Middle) 300 UNIVERSITY AVENUE, SUITE 100 (Street)						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MOLINA HEALTHCARE INC [MOH] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/07/2012 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)											Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director					
SACRAMENTO CA 95825 (City) (State) (Zip)					-												X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
1. Title of S	Security (Ins		le I - Nor	2. Trans Date (Month/I	action	ar) if	A. Deer Execution	ned on Date	3, Ti	ransac	tion	4. Securi Disposed 5)	ities Ac	quire	I (A) or	Benefic Owned	ınt of es ially Following	Forn (D) c	n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
Common	Stock	Code Ck 08/07/2012 S Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, I (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, option)				V	Amount 426	(A) or D)	Price \$24.5	Reporte Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)		D	(Instr. 4)							
		Т														Owned						
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security (Month/Day/Year) 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) if any (Month/Day/Year)			Date,	4. Transa Code (8)		n of		6. Date Exerci Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Ye				7. Title and Amou of Securities Underlying Derivative Securi (Instr. 3 and 4)		ecurity	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ly	Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerc	cisable		piration	Title		Amount or Number of Shares							
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$29.5267								((3)	07	/01/2015	Comn		31,500		31,500	,	D			
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$19.1067								,	(3)	02	/02/2016	Comn		21,000		21,000		D			
Stock Options (Right to	\$20.88								,	(3)	03	/01/2017	Comn		6,500		16,500	,	D			

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Represents the actual selling price for all 426 shares
- 2.10,200 shares vest on 3/1/2013 and 5,100 shares vest on 3/1/2014. The remainder of the shares are vested.
- 3. The options are fully vested.

<u>Jeff D. Barlow, by power of attorney for Terry Bayer.</u>

08/09/2012

** 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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Know all by these presents, that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints Jeff D. Barlow and Codruta Catanescu, and each acting singly, the undersigned's true and lawful attorney-in-fact to:

- 1) execute for and on behalf of the undersigned, in the undersigned's capacity as an officer, director and/or stockholder of Molina Healthcare, Inc. (the "Company"), Forms ID, 3, 4, and 5 and amendments thereto in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules thereunder; and
- 2) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such Forms ID, 3, 4, or 5 or amendment thereto and timely file such form with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") and any stock exchange or similar authority.

The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary, or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney-in-fact, or such attorney-in-fact's substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this Power of Attorney and the rights and powers herein granted. The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

The undersigned hereby revokes the Limited Power of Attorney granted to Jeff D. Barlow and Mark L. Andrews on October 8, 2004.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms ID, 3, 4, and 5 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transaction in securities of the Company, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorneys-in-fact. This Power of Attorney may be filed with the SEC as a confirming statement of the authority granted herein.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 16th day of February, 2011.

/s/ Terry Bayer Signature

Terry Bayer Printed Name

Exhibit 24.1