

MOLINA HEALTHCARE INC
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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 *
 ANDREWS MARK L ESQ

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 MOLINA HEALTHCARE INC
 [MOH]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 2277 FAIR OAKS BOULEVARD,
 SUITE 440
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 11/21/2006

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 ___X___ Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
 Chief Legal Officer

SACRAMENTO, CA 95825

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(City) (State) (Zip)

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 Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|--|---|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | Price | | | |
| | | | | Code | V | Amount | | |
| Common Stock | 11/21/2006 | | M ⁽¹⁾ | 5,000 | A | \$ 4.5 | 15,000 | D |
| Common Stock | 11/21/2006 | | S ⁽¹⁾ | 5,000 | D | \$ 33.409 | 10,000 ⁽³⁾ | 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)

| 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 (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 |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 4.5 | 11/21/2006 | | M ⁽¹⁾ | 5,000 | 07/02/2003 ⁽⁴⁾ | 12/01/2011 | Common Stock | 5,000 |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 25.33 | | | | | 02/10/2005 ⁽⁵⁾ | 02/10/2014 | Common Stock | 30,000 |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 44.29 | | | | | 07/01/2006 ⁽⁶⁾ | 07/01/2015 | Common Stock | 12,000 |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 28.66 | | | | | 02/02/2007 ⁽⁷⁾ | 02/02/2016 | Common Stock | 21,000 |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ANDREWS MARK L ESQ
2277 FAIR OAKS BOULEVARD, SUITE 440
SACRAMENTO, CA 95825

Chief Legal Officer

Signatures

Mark L.
Andrews

11/22/2006

**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) The stock sale and option exercise were made pursuant to the Rule 10b5-1 Trading Plan of the reporting person.
- (2) Represents the weighted average sale price of 6 sales on 11/21/2006.
- (3) 4,000 of the shares are unvested, vesting in increments of 1,000 shares on each of 7/1/2007, 7/1/2008, 7/1/2009, and 7/1/2010. 1,000 of the shares are fully vested and freely transferable. 5,000 shares are fully vested, but are subject to a restriction on transfer until 8/2/2007.
- (4) The options became fully exercisable upon the closing of the initial public offering of the issuer in July 2003.
- (5) The options vest in one-third increments on each of 2/10/2005, 2/10/2006, and 2/10/2007.
- (6) The options vest in one-third increments on each of 7/1/2006, 7/1/2007, and 7/1/2008.
- (7) The options vest in one-third increments on each of 2/2/2007, 2/2/2008, and 2/2/2009.

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