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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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Stock

See Instruction

1. Name and Ad DIAZ PAUL	Symbol	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol DAVITA INC [DVA]			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer						
								(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First) (M		Earliest Tra	ansaction							
C/O DAVITA		(Month/Day/Year) 12/02/2010			_X_ Director Officer (giv below)		6 Owner er (specify				
(Street) 4.			4. If Amendment, Date Original			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check					
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(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	I - Non-D	erivative S	ecurit	ties Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly 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. Securit onAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	(A) or of (D)	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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
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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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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

**Signature of Reporting Person

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
DIAZ PAUL J C/O DAVITA INC. 1551 WEWATTA ST. DENVER, CO 80202	X						

Signatures

/s/ James K. Hilger Attorney-in-Fact 12/03/2010

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