FONTAINE RICHARD B

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

601 HAWAII ST.

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> FONTAINE RICHARD B

(Street)

(State)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol
DAVITA INC [DVA]

(First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

05/13/2005

_X__Director ______10% Owner _____Officer (give title ______Other (specify

(Check all applicable)

03/13/200

(Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

below)

EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245

1.Title of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities
TransactionAcquired (A) or
Code Disposed of (D)
(Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A) or Code V Amount (D) Price

or (Instr. 3 and 4)

9,336

Common 05/13/2005

A⁽¹⁾ 1,500 A \$ 0

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 41.66	05/13/2005		A(2)	18,000	(2)	05/13/2010	Common Stock	12,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
FONTAINE RICHARD B 601 HAWAII ST. EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245	X					

Signatures

/s/ Corinna B. Polk Attorney-in-Fact 05/17/2005

**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) Grant of Restricted Stock Units, pursuant to the 2002 Equity Compensation Plan, which vest 100% on the first anniversary of date of grant.
- (2) Grant of non-qualified stock options, pursuant to the 2002 Equity Compensation Plan, which vest 100% on the date of the Company's next annual stockholder's meeting.

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