FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* DUCAT LEATRICE						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol UNIVERSAL HEALTH SERVICES INC									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
					UHS]									X Director Officer (give title			10% Ow Other (s	· I			
NDDI					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/18/2012									below)			below)				
1628 JFK BOULEVARD, 8TH FLOOR						If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable							
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(City) (State) (Zip)													Person								
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																					
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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/Yea	4. Transactio Code (Insti				6. Date Exercisable a Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		0	7. Title and Amo of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)		Derivative Security		9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	is Silly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		Title	Amount or Number of Shares									
Option To Purchase Class B Common Stock	\$36.95	01/18/2012		A ⁽¹⁾		15,000		(2)	01/18/20		Class B Common Stock	15,000		\$0	15,000	0	D				

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Option granted to purchase shares of Class B Common Stock under the Company's Second Amended and Restated 2005 Stock Incentive Plan.
- 2. The option vests ratably on each of 1/18/2013, 1/18/2014, 1/18/2015 and 1/18/2016.

/s/ Steve Filton, Attorney-in-Fact for Ms. Ducat

01/19/2012

** 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).
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