

HEALTHCARE SERVICES GROUP INC
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FORM 4

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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 *
COOK THOMAS A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
HEALTHCARE SERVICES GROUP INC [HCSG]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 3220 TILLMAN DRIVE, SUITE 300
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 05/17/2007

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
 President and COO

BENSALEM, PA 19020

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common stock	05/17/2007		M		100,000 A \$ 4.1111	119,248	D
Common stock	05/17/2007		S		100 D \$ 27.02	119,148	D
Common stock	05/17/2007		S		1,679 D \$ 26.95	117,469	D
Common stock	05/17/2007		S		97,902 D \$ 27	19,567	D
Common stock	05/17/2007		S		319 D \$ 27.01	19,248	D

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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 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 option	\$ 4.1111	05/17/2007		M		100,000 06/04/2002 12/04/2011	common stock 100,000
Phantom stock	\$ 0 ⁽¹⁾	05/14/2007	05/17/2007	S		16,930 ⁽²⁾ ⁽³⁾	common stock 16,930

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
COOK THOMAS A 3220 TILLMAN DRIVE SUITE 300 BENSALEM, PA 19020	X		President and COO	

Signatures

/s/ Thomas A. Cook 05/18/2007

__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) Shares originally issued at conversion rate of 1 for 1 pursuant to issuer's contribution under the Healthcare Services Group, Inc Deferred Compensation Plan
- (2) Shares acquired pursuant to issuer contribution made under plan years 2000 through 2006 Healthcare Services Group, Inc Deferred Compensation Plan
- (3) Shares of Phantom Stock are payable in cash or stock following the reporting person's employment with the issuer.

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