

MURRAY JAMES E  
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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 \*  
MURRAY JAMES E

(Last) (First) (Middle)

HUMANA INC., 500 WEST MAIN STREET

(Street)

LOUISVILLE, KY 40202

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
HUMANA INC [HUM]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
12/17/2004

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
COO-Mkt & Bus. Segment Ops

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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 (D) Price			
Humana Common <sup>(1)</sup>	12/17/2004		G	856 D \$ 0	225,126	D	
Humana Common <sup>(1)</sup>					7,361	I	See Footnote <sup>(2)</sup>
Humana Common <sup>(1)</sup>					19,041	I	See Footnote <sup>(3)</sup>

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
<u>Options</u> (4)	\$ 15.5938					09/17/1999	01/12/2005	Humana Common (1)	34,400
<u>Options</u> (4)	\$ 15.5938					01/09/2000 <sup>(5)</sup>	01/09/2007	Humana Common (1)	59,605
<u>Options</u> (4)	\$ 15.5938					01/15/2001 <sup>(6)</sup>	01/15/2008	Humana Common (1)	34,800
<u>Options</u> (4)	\$ 19.25					01/15/2002 <sup>(7)</sup>	01/15/2009	Humana Common (1)	30,000
<u>Options</u> (4)	\$ 7.4688					11/18/2002 <sup>(8)</sup>	11/18/2009	Humana Common (1)	100,000
<u>Options</u> (4)	\$ 12.995					03/13/2005 <sup>(9)</sup>	03/13/2012	Humana Common (1)	20,000
<u>Options</u> (4)	\$ 9.26					03/13/2006 <sup>(10)</sup>	03/13/2013	Humana Common (1)	50,000
<u>Options</u> (11)	\$ 21.275					<sup>(12)</sup>	02/24/2014	Humana Common (1)	85,000
Phantom Stock Units	<sup>(13)</sup>					<sup>(13)</sup>	<sup>(13)</sup>	Humana Common (1)	9,564

