Brookdale Senior Living Inc.

Form 4

March 09, 2007

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Ferge Kristin A			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Brookdale Senior Living Inc. [BKD]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(eneen an approacie)			
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner			
330 NORTH WABASH			03/07/2007	_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify			
AVENUE, SUITE 1400				below) below) Executive V.P. and Treasurer			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
CHICAGO, IL 60611			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting			
CIIIC/100, IL 00011				Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owne				

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1.Title of	2. Transaction Date		3.	4. Securi			5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	TransactionAcquired (A) or			Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect	
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	Disposed of (D)			Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership	
		•					Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
							Reported		
					or		Transaction(s)		
							(Instr. 3 and 4)		
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 5 and 1)		
Common Stock	03/07/2007		A	832	A	\$0	114,532	D	
Common Stock	03/07/2007		A	1,665 (1)	A	\$0	116,197	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)

1. Title of Derivative	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transacti	5. orNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration D		7. Title Amount		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	Exercise ice of erivative	any (Month/Day/Year)	of Derivative	of (Month/Day/Year) Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,			Underlying Security	Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title N	Amount or Number of Shares		

### **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

Officer Other Director 10% Owner

Ferge Kristin A 330 NORTH WABASH AVENUE **SUITE 1400** CHICAGO, IL 60611

Executive V.P. and Treasurer

### **Signatures**

/s/ Kristin A. 03/09/2007 Ferge

Date \*\*Signature of Reporting Person

# **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).

Grant of restricted Common Stock under the Brookdale Senior Living Inc. Omnibus Stock Incentive Plan. The shares shall vest ratably in (1) three annual installments beginning on the first anniversary of the date of grant, subject to the Reporting Person's continued employment

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