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## FORM 4

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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|----------------------------------|------------------------|----------------|---|------------------------|--|--|
| (Last)<br>430 SOUTH SPH          | (First)<br>RING STREET | (Middle)       | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)<br>02/14/2008  |                        | EVP & Chief Medic  | ,  |
| (Street)<br>BURLINGTON<br>(City) | NC<br>(State)          | 27215<br>(Zip) | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)  | 6. Indiv<br>Line)<br>X | ridual or Joint/Group Filing<br>Form filed by One Repor<br>Form filed by More than<br>Person | ting Person  |

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

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3.<br>Transaction<br>Code (Instr.<br>8) |  | 4. Securities<br>Disposed Of<br>5) | Acquired<br>(D) (Instr | (A) or<br>. 3, 4 and | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned Following | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--|---|---|--|------------------------------------|------------------------|----------------------|---|---|---|
|                                 |  |   | Code V                                  |  | Amount                             | (A) or<br>(D)          | Price                | Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4)                |   |   |
| Common Stock                    | 02/14/2008                                 |   | <b>F</b> <sup>(1)</sup>                 |  | 4,501                              | D                      | \$80.5               | 39,235.889 <sup>(2)</sup>                                     | D   |   |
| Common Stock                    | 02/14/2008                                 |   | <b>S</b> <sup>(3)</sup>                 |  | 183                                | D                      | \$80.09              | 39,052.889 <sup>(2)</sup>                                     | D   |   |
| Common Stock                    | 02/14/2008                                 |   | <b>S</b> <sup>(3)</sup>                 |  | 110                                | D                      | \$79.98              | 38,942.889 <sup>(2)</sup>                                     | D   |   |
| Common Stock                    | 02/14/2008                                 |   | <b>S</b> <sup>(3)</sup>                 |  | 20                                 | D                      | \$79.96              | 38,922.889 <sup>(2)</sup>                                     | D   |   |
| Common Stock                    | 02/14/2008                                 |   | <b>S</b> <sup>(3)</sup>                 |  | 81                                 | D                      | \$79.93              | 38,841.889 <sup>(2)</sup>                                     | D   |   |
| Common Stock                    | 02/14/2008                                 |   | <b>S</b> <sup>(3)</sup>                 |  | 81                                 | D                      | \$79.9               | 38,760.889 <sup>(2)</sup>                                     | D   |   |
| Common Stock                    | 02/14/2008                                 |   | <b>S</b> <sup>(3)</sup>                 |  | 41                                 | D                      | \$79.87              | 38,719.889 <sup>(2)</sup>                                     | D   |   |
| Common Stock                    | 02/14/2008                                 |   | <b>S</b> <sup>(3)</sup>                 |  | 122                                | D                      | \$79.85              | 38,597.889 <sup>(2)</sup>                                     | D   |   |
| Common Stock                    | 02/14/2008                                 |   | <b>S</b> <sup>(3)</sup>                 |  | 122                                | D                      | \$79.84              | 38,475.889 <sup>(2)</sup>                                     | D   |   |
| Common Stock                    | 02/14/2008                                 |   | <b>S</b> <sup>(3)</sup>                 |  | 142                                | D                      | \$79.83              | 38,333.889 <sup>(2)</sup>                                     | D   |   |
| Common Stock                    | 02/14/2008                                 |   | <b>S</b> <sup>(3)</sup>                 |  | 61                                 | D                      | \$79.82              | 38,272.889 <sup>(2)</sup>                                     | D   |   |
| Common Stock                    | 02/14/2008                                 |   | S <sup>(3)</sup>                        |  | 41                                 | D                      | \$79.81              | 38,231.889 <sup>(2)</sup>                                     | D   |   |
| Common Stock                    | 02/14/2008                                 |   | <b>S</b> <sup>(3)</sup>                 |  | 223                                | D                      | \$79.8               | 38,008.889 <sup>(2)</sup>                                     | D   |   |
| Common Stock                    | 02/14/2008                                 |   | <b>S</b> <sup>(3)</sup>                 |  | 223                                | D                      | \$79.79              | 37,785.889 <sup>(2)</sup>                                     | D   |   |
| Common Stock                    | 02/14/2008                                 |   | S <sup>(3)</sup>                        |  | 122                                | D                      | \$79.78              | 37,663.889 <sup>(2)</sup>                                     | D   |   |
| Common Stock                    | 02/14/2008                                 |   | <b>S</b> <sup>(3)</sup>                 |  | 41                                 | D                      | \$79.77              | 37,622.889 <sup>(2)</sup>                                     | D   |   |
| Common Stock                    | 02/14/2008                                 |   | S <sup>(3)</sup>                        |  | 81                                 | D                      | \$79.76              | 37,541.889 <sup>(2)</sup>                                     | D   |   |
| Common Stock                    | 02/14/2008                                 |   | S <sup>(3)</sup>                        |  | 122                                | D                      | \$79.75              | 37,419.889 <sup>(2)</sup>                                     | D   |   |
| Common Stock                    | 02/14/2008                                 |   | <b>S</b> <sup>(3)</sup>                 |  | 61                                 | D                      | \$79.74              | 37,358.889 <sup>(2)</sup>                                     | D   |   |
| Common Stock                    | 02/14/2008                                 |   | <b>S</b> <sup>(3)</sup>                 |  | 122                                | D                      | \$79.72              | 37,236.889 <sup>(2)</sup>                                     | D   |   |
| Common Stock                    | 02/14/2008                                 |   | <b>S</b> <sup>(3)</sup>                 |  | 81                                 | D                      | \$79.7               | 37,155.889 <sup>(2)</sup>                                     | D   |   |
| Common Stock                    | 02/14/2008                                 |   | <b>S</b> <sup>(3)</sup>                 |  | 81                                 | D                      | \$79.68              | 37,074.889 <sup>(2)</sup>                                     | D   |   |
| Common Stock                    | 02/14/2008                                 |   | <b>S</b> <sup>(3)</sup>                 |  | 41                                 | D                      | \$79.66              | 37,033.889 <sup>(2)</sup>                                     | D   |   |
| Common Stock                    | 02/14/2008                                 |   | S <sup>(3)</sup>                        |  | 72                                 | D                      | \$79.65              | 36,961.889 <sup>(2)</sup>                                     | D   |   |
| Common Stock                    | 02/14/2008                                 |   | S <sup>(3)</sup>                        |  | 50                                 | D                      | \$79.64              | 36,911.889 <sup>(2)</sup>                                     | D   |   |
| Common Stock                    | 02/14/2008                                 |   | <b>S</b> <sup>(3)</sup>                 |  | 122                                | D                      | \$79.62              | 36,789.889 <sup>(2)</sup>                                     | D   |   |
| Common Stock                    | 02/14/2008                                 |   | <b>S</b> <sup>(3)</sup>                 |  | 41                                 | D                      | \$79.61              | 36,748.889 <sup>(2)</sup>                                     | D   |   |
| Common Stock                    | 02/14/2008                                 |   | <b>S</b> <sup>(3)</sup>                 |  | 41                                 | D                      | \$79.59              | 36,707.889 <sup>(2)</sup>                                     | D   |   |
| Common Stock                    | 02/14/2008                                 |   | <b>S</b> <sup>(3)</sup>                 |  | 81                                 | D                      | \$79.92              | 36,626.889 <sup>(2)</sup>                                     | D   |   |

| Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned |  |  |  |                          |                              |   |  |   |                  |   |   |                      |    |   |   |  |   |  |
|--|--|--|--|--------------------------|------------------------------|---|--|---|------------------|---|---|----------------------|----|---|---|--|---|--|
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  |  |  | Date   | Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |                              | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) |  | 3.<br>Transaction<br>Code (Instr.<br>8) |                  |   | es Acquired (A) or<br>Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and |                      |    | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned Following<br>Reported |   | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4)  | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |
|  |  |  |  |                          |                              |   |  |   | Code             | v | Amount  | (A)<br>(D)           | or | Price   | Transa                                    | action(s)<br>3 and 4)  |   | (  |
| Common   | Stock  |  |  |                          |                              |   |  |   |                  |   |   |                      |    |   | 3,000 <sup>(4)</sup>                      |  | 000 <sup>(4)</sup> I  |  |
|  | Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned         (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) |  |  |                          |                              |   |  |   |                  |   |   |                      |    |   |   |  |   |  |
| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)                              | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security  | 3. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deem<br>Executior<br>if any<br>(Month/Da | Date,                    | 4.<br>Transa<br>Code (<br>8) |   | of<br>Deriv<br>Secu<br>Acqu<br>(A) of<br>Dispe<br>of (D)<br>(Instr | 5. Number 6. Date Exercisable           |                  |   | e   | Amount of Securities |    |   | Price of<br>rivative<br>curity<br>str. 5) | 9. Number o<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction<br>(Instr. 4) | Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|  |  |  |  |                          | Code                         | v   | (A)  |   | Date<br>Exercisa |   | Expiration<br>Date                            | Title                | or | ount<br>nber<br>ıres  |   |  |   |  |

Explanation of Responses:

1. Stock withholding to satisfy tax and withholding obligations.

2. Amount shown reflects a 2-for-1 stock split effective on May 10, 2002.

3. Pursuant to a plan in accordance with Rule 10b5-1 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

4. Beneficial ownership of these shares is disclaimed.

<u>By: /s/ BRADFORD T.</u> <u>SMITH, Attorney-in-Fact for</u> <u>Myla Lai-Goldman</u>

02/18/2008

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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