#### **GRAUER PETER T**

Form 4

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# FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Re GRAUER PETER T	porting Person *	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol DAVITA INC [DVA]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) Issuer		
(Last) (First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
C/O DAVITA INC., 1 WEWATTA ST.	551	(Month/Day/Year) 05/18/2010	X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)		
(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
DENVER, CO 80202		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	Secui	rities Acquir	ed, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit ord Dispos (Instr. 3, 4)	ed of (		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)
Common Stock	05/18/2010		S	4,129	D	\$ 64.13	6,192 <u>(9)</u>	D	
Common Stock	11/10/2010		S	1,708	D	\$ 71.9014 (1)	4,484	D	
Common Stock	11/10/2010		S	2,635	D	\$ 71.9156 (2)	1,849	D	
Common Stock	11/10/2010		M	18,000	A	\$ 51.95	19,849	D	
	11/10/2010		S	18,000	D		1,849	D	

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Common Stock					\$ 71.849 (3)		
Common Stock	11/10/2010	M	18,000	A	\$ 55.05	19,849	D
Common Stock	11/10/2010	S	18,000	D	\$ 72.0569 (4)	1,849	D
Common Stock	11/10/2010	M	18,000	A	\$ 49.78	19,849	D
Common Stock	11/10/2010	F	12,428	D	\$ 72.1	7,421	D
Common Stock	11/10/2010	S	5,572	D	\$ 72.2974 (5)	1,849	D
Common Stock	11/10/2010	M	18,000	A	\$ 45.84	19,849	D
Common Stock	11/10/2010	F	11,445	D	\$ 72.1	8,404	D
Common Stock	11/10/2010	S	6,555	D	\$ 72.8778 <u>(6)</u>	1,849	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 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date Securities (Month/Day/Year)  Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			7. Title and An Underlying Sec (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	An or Nu of
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 51.95	11/10/2010		M	18,000	05/15/2007(7)	05/15/2011	Common Stock	1

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Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 55.05	11/10/2010	M	18,000	05/29/2008(7)	05/29/2012	Common Stock	18
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$ 49.78	11/10/2010	M	18,000	06/09/2009(8)	06/09/2013	Common Stock	18
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$ 45.84	11/10/2010	M	18,000	06/15/2010(8)	06/15/2014	Common Stock	18

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Topolong of the Fund of Fundament	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
GRAUER PETER T							
C/O DAVITA INC.	X						
1551 WEWATTA ST.	Λ						
DENVER, CO 80202							

# **Signatures**

/s/ Jeffrey L. Miller, Attorney-in-Fact

\*\*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) The range of prices for the sale of these shares was \$71.901 \$71.902. The filer undertakes to provide staff, the issuer, or a security holder full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (2) The range of prices for the sale of these shares was \$71.87 \$71.9701. The filer undertakes to provide staff, the issuer, or a security holder full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (3) The range of prices for the sale of these shares was \$71.80 \$71.875. The filer undertakes to provide staff, the issuer, or a security holder full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (4) The range of prices for the sale of these shares was \$71.875 \$71.915. The filer undertakes to provide staff, the issuer, or a security holder full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (5) The range of prices for the sale of these shares was \$71.915 \$71.965. The filer undertakes to provide staff, the issuer, or a security holder full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (6) The range of prices for the sale of these shares was \$71.965 \$72.0025. The filer undertakes to provide staff, the issuer, or a security holder full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (7) Non-qualified stock options, pursuant to the 2002 Equity Compensation Plan, which vested 100% on the first anniversary of the grant date
- (8) Stock Appreciation Right, pursuant to the 2002 Equity Compensation Plan, which vested 100% on the first anniversary of the grant date.
- (9) Reflects a correction of an administrative error that resulted in previous inadvertent overreporting by two shares of the amount of securities beneficially owned.

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