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1 (<i>a</i>) NAME OF ISSUER (<i>Please ty</i> Humana Inc.		(b)		(c)				
				S.E.C. FILE				
			NO. FILE 61-0647538 NO.					
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1 (d) ADDRESS OF ISSUER			CITI			(e)		
STRI STATE	DE	CITY			TELEPHONE			
500 West Main AR					AREA	NUMBER		
Street			Louis	sville		CIME 502	580-10040202	
2 (a) NAME OF PERSON FOR	(b)	(c)		(d)				
WHOSE ACCOUNT THE SECURITIES	RE	ELATIONSHIADDRESS STREET						
ARE TO BE SOLD		ENT. NOTO ISSUER CITY S					STATE ZIP CODE	
John M. Bertko	N/A	Vice President - 500 W. Main			V. Main			
		Chie Actu		Street	Louis	ville K	Y 40202	
INSTRUCTION:								
The person filing this notice should contact the issuer to obtain the I.R.S. identification Number and the S.E.C. File Number								

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3 (a) Title of the Class of Securities To Be Sold	(b) Name and Address of E Each Broker Through Whom the Securities Are To Be Offered or Each Market Maker who is Acquiring the Securities	SEC USE ONL Foker-Deale File Number	Number of	(d) Aggregate Market Value (See Instr. 3(d) ((e) Number of Shares or Other Units Dutstandin (See Instr. 3(e))	(f) Approximate Date of Sale (See Instr. 3(f)) (MO. DAY YR.)	(g) Name of Each Securities Exchange (<i>See instr.</i> 3 g))
Common	Charles Schwab & Co. 9601 Panorama Circle, MS04-715 Englewood, CO 80112		7,000	\$423,934 (Based on FMV on 8/21/06 of \$60.562)	as of 8/21/06	78 5 ugust 22, 2006	NYSE
(c) Issuer(d) Issuer	e of Issuer r's I.R.S. Identifica r's S.E.C. file num r's address, includi	(t ation Numbéa ber, if any (c ing zip code(e ber, including (f	 r) Number of sha d) Aggregate man e) Number of sha g ahathadatost rec f) Approximate d 	dress of eac ares or othe rket value of ares or othe cent report late on which	ch broker the er units to be of the secure er units of t or stateme ch the secure	sold hrough whom the securit rities to be sold as of a he class outstanding, o nt published by the iss urities are to be sold f any, on which the se	ies, give the aggr a specified date w or if debt securiti suer

2. (a) Name of person for whose account the securities are to be sold

- (b) Such person's I.R.S. identification number, if such person is an entity
- (c) Such person's relationship to the issuer (e.g., officer, director, 10% stockholder, or member of immediate family of any of the foregoing
- (d) Such person's address,

including zip code

Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

TABLE I - SECURITIES TO BE SOLD							
Furnish the following information with respect to the acquisition of the securities to be sold and with respect to the payment of all or any part of the purchase price or other consideration therefor.							
Title of the Class		Date you Acquired	Nature of Acquisition Transaction	Name of the Person from Whom Acquired (<i>if gift, also</i> <i>give date</i> <i>donor</i> <i>acquired</i>	Amount of Securities Acquired	Date of Payment	Nature of Payment
Common	8/7/03		Restricted Stock Award	Issuer	7,000	8/7/03	N/A
INSTRUCTIONS: If the securities were purchased and full payment therefor was not made in cash at the time of purchase, explain in the table or in a note thereto the nature of the consideration given. If the consideration consisted of any note or other obligation, or if payment was made in installments describe the arrangement and state when the note or other obligation was discharged in full or the last installment paid.							

TABLE II - SECURITIES SOLD DURING THE PAST 3 MONTHS (1)

Furnish the following information as to all securities of the issuer sold during the past 3 months by the person for whose account the securities are to be sold.

Name and Address of Seller	Title of Securities Sold	Date of Sale	Amount of Securities Sold	Gross Proceeds
N/A				

REMARKS:

INSTRUCTIONS:

See the definition of "person" in paragraph (a) 9 of Rule 144. Information is to be given not only as to the person for whose account the securities are to be sold but also as to all other persons included in that definition. In addition, information shall be given as to sales by all persons whose sales are required by paragraph (e) of Rule 144 to be aggregated with sales for the account of the person filing this notice.

ATTENTION:

The person for whose account the securities to which this notice relates are to be sold hereby represents by signing this notice that he does not know any material adverse information in regard to the current and prospective operations of the issuer of the securities to be sold which has not been publicly disclosed.

8/22/06

/s/ John M. Bertko

DATE OF NOTICE

(SIGNATURE)

This notice shall be signed by the person for whose account the securities are to be sold. At least one copy of the notice shall be manually signed.

Any copies not manually signed shall bear typed or printed signatures.

ATTENTION: Intentional misstatements or omission of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations (See 18 U.S.C. 1001)

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