HMS HOLDINGS CORP

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

(Last)

Hosp Walter D

(First)

401 PARK AVENUE SOUTH

(Street)

(Middle)

Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

07/02/2007

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

HMS HOLDINGS CORP [HMSY]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner _X__ Officer Other

Senior Vice President & CFO

(give title below) (specify below)

Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group

Person

Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

NEW YORK, Â NYÂ 10016

(City) (State)

1. Title of Security

(Instr. 4)

(Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

(Instr. 4)

Form: Direct (D)

Ownership

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership

(Instr. 5)

or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially

owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security

(Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date**

(Month/Day/Year)

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

4. Conversion or Exercise Price of

5. Ownership Form of Derivative

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

Expiration Exercisable

Shares

Derivative Security

Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

Date Amount or Title Number of

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Non Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) $\hat{A} \stackrel{(1)}{=} 07/02/2017 \stackrel{Common}{Stock} 60,000 $19.12 D <math>\hat{A}$

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Hosp Walter D 401 PARK AVENUE SOUTH NEW YORK, NY 10016	Â	Â	Senior Vice President & CFO	Â

Signatures

Walter David
Hosp

**Signature of Reporting Person

O7/31/2007

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) Options will vest in 25% increments on the anniversary date of the grant, starting on the first anniversary date.

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