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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Addr Baron Mark Da		ng Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Hill-Rom Holdings, Inc. [HRC]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner		
1069 STATE ROUTE 46E			12/01/2008	_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Sr. VP, Ops & Prod. Dev.		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
BATESVILLE	, IN 47006		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State) (Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi r(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	(A) or	d of (D)	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	12/01/2008		A	1,472	A	\$ 19.67	3,948	D	
Common Stock	12/01/2008		F	461	D	\$ 19.67	3,487	D	
Common Stock	12/01/2008		A	1,152	A	\$ 19.67	4,639	D	
Common Stock	12/01/2008		F	361	D	\$ 19.67	4,278	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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	Secu Acqu (A) o Disp (D)	urities uired or oosed of er. 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisab Date (Month/Day/Year	•	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securit
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Shar
Restricted Stock Units (Deferred Stock Award) 11/30/05 5 Yr	<u>(1)</u>	12/01/2008		A		1,472	12/01/2008(2)	12/01/2010 <u>(2)</u>	Common Stock	1,4
Restricted Stock Units (Deferred Stock Award) 11/30/06 5 Yr	<u>(1)</u>	12/01/2008		A		1,152	12/01/2008(2)	12/01/2011(2)	Common Stock	1,1

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address			Relationships					
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Baron Mark David 1069 STATE ROUTE 46E BATESVILLE, IN 47006			Sr. VP, Ops & Prod. Dev.					

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Date

Signatures

Donna Isaacs, as Attorney-in-Fact for Mark Baron 12/03/2008

**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).
- (1) Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security is 1-for-1.
- (2) Restricted Stock Units will automatically be converted into shares of common stock on the vesting date unless a previous deferral election has been made. Stock units are entitled to dividend equivalent rights which accrue on dividend record date.

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