

BAYER TERRY  
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**FORM 4**

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
BAYER TERRY

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
MOLINA HEALTHCARE INC  
[MOH]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
2277 FAIR OAKS  
BOULEVARD, SUITE 440

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
03/01/2010

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Chief Operating Officer

(Street)  
SACRAMENTO, CA 95825

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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)				
				Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	03/01/2010		A <sup>(1)</sup>		13,600	A		\$ 21.77 <sup>(2)</sup>	59,682	D	
Common Stock	03/01/2010		F <sup>(3)</sup>		3,099	D		\$ 21.77 <sup>(2)</sup>	56,583 <sup>(4)</sup>	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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 44.29				(5)	07/01/2015	Common Stock	21,000
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 28.66				(5)	02/02/2016	Common Stock	21,000
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 31.32					03/01/2008 <sup>(6)</sup>	Common Stock	11,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BAYER TERRY 2277 FAIR OAKS BOULEVARD SUITE 440 SACRAMENTO, CA 95825			Chief Operating Officer	

## Signatures

Jeff D. Barlow, by power of attorney for Terry Bayer. 03/03/2010

\_\_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 shares were granted under the Molina Healthcare, Inc. 2002 Equity Incentive Plan.

(2) Represents the closing price on Monday, March 1, 2010.

(3) The shares were applied to the payment of withholding taxes arising in connection with the vesting of 8,188 shares on March 1, 2010.

Increments of 3,400 shares vest on each of 3/1/2011, 3/1/2012, 3/1/2013, and 3/1/2014; increments of 3,400 shares vest on each of  
(4) 3/1/2011, 3/1/2012, and 3/1/2013; additional increments of 3,400 shares vest on each of 3/1/2011, and 3/1/2012; and 1,387 shares shall vest on 3/1/2011. The remainder of the shares are vested.

(5) The options are vested and exercisable.

(6) 8,250 of the options are vested; 2,750 options vest on 3/1/2011.

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