KINDRED HEALTHCARE, INC

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * DIAZ PAUL J		ng Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol KINDRED HEALTHCARE, INC	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
			[KND]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last) 680 SOUTH F	(First) FOURTH ST	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/29/2008	_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) President and CEO		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
LOUISVILLE, KY 40202				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State) (Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	rities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly 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. Securion(A) or Do (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	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	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	05/29/2008		S	300	D	\$ 28.26	430,399	D	
Common Stock	05/29/2008		S	100	D	\$ 28.27	430,299	D	
Common Stock	05/29/2008		S	1,200	D	\$ 28.28	429,099	D	
Common Stock	05/29/2008		S	200	D	\$ 28.29	428,899	D	
Common Stock	05/29/2008		S	200	D	\$ 28.3	428,699	D	

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Common Stock	05/29/2008	S	200	D	\$ 28.31	428,499	D
Common Stock	05/29/2008	S	400	D	\$ 28.32	428,099	D
Common Stock	05/29/2008	S	100	D	\$ 28.33	427,999	D
Common Stock	05/29/2008	S	200	D	\$ 28.34	427,799	D
Common Stock	05/29/2008	S	200	D	\$ 28.35	427,599	D
Common Stock	05/29/2008	S	100	D	\$ 28.36	427,499	D
Common Stock	05/29/2008	S	500	D	\$ 28.37	426,999	D
Common Stock	05/29/2008	S	300	D	\$ 28.38	426,699	D
Common Stock	05/29/2008	S	200	D	\$ 28.39	426,499	D
Common Stock	05/29/2008	S	800	D	\$ 28.4	425,699	D
Common Stock	05/29/2008	S	600	D	\$ 28.41	425,099	D
Common Stock	05/29/2008	S	600	D	\$ 28.42	424,499	D
Common Stock	05/29/2008	S	400	D	\$ 28.43	424,099	D
Common Stock	05/29/2008	S	300	D	\$ 28.44	423,799	D
Common Stock	05/29/2008	S	100	D	\$ 28.45	423,699	D
Common Stock	05/29/2008	S	100	D	\$ 28.46	423,599	D
Common Stock	05/29/2008	S	100	D	\$ 28.47	423,499	D
Common Stock	05/29/2008	S	500	D	\$ 28.48	422,999	D
Common Stock	05/30/2008	S	200	D	\$ 27.34	422,799	D
Common Stock	05/30/2008	S	100	D	\$ 27.37	422,699	D
	05/30/2008	S	100	D	\$ 27.4	422,599	D

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Common Stock							
Common Stock	05/30/2008	S	100	D	\$ 27.41	422,499	D
Common Stock	05/30/2008	S	300	D	\$ 27.42	422,199	D
Common Stock	05/30/2008	S	400	D	\$ 27.43	421,799	D
Common Stock	05/30/2008	S	600	D	\$ 27.45	421,199	D

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	4, and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
DIAZ PAUL J 680 SOUTH FOURTH STREET LOUISVILLE, KY 40202	X		President and CEO				

Signatures

Paul J. Diaz	06/02/2008		
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date		

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- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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