BRAMANTI FRANK J

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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1. Name and A BRAMANT	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HCC INSURANCE HOLDINGS INC/DE/ [HCC]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
	· · ·	fiddle)	ddle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/22/2013					_X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)				
HOUSTON,	(Street) TX 77040	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 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Ow								lly Owned			
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	any		emed on Date, if 'Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	Disposed (Instr. 3,	(A) or 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								339,653	D			
Common Stock	05/22/2013			A	1,887 (1)	A	\$ 0	341,540	D			
Common Stock								1,234	I	By Children		
Common Stock								1,125	I	By Trust		

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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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	le and	8. Price of	9
	Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	onNumber	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		Derivative	J
	Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of					Security (Instr. 5)	,
	(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative]
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					Code v	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BRAMANTI FRANK J C/O HCC INSURANCE HOLDINGS, INC. 13403 NORTHWEST FREEWAY HOUSTON, TX 77040

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Signatures

Alexander M Ludlow as Attorney in Fact for Frank J. Bramanti

05/24/2013

**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) As part of the annual director compensation package, each non-employee director received a grant of a whole number of shares of HCC common stock determined by dividing \$80,000 by the closing price on May 22, 2013 the date of the Annual Meeting of Stockholders.

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