

HARTLEY THOMAS Y

Form 4

November 21, 2005

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
HARTLEY THOMAS Y

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
SIERRA HEALTH SERVICES INC
[SIE]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
2724 N. TENAYA WAY
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
11/18/2005

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☐ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

LAS VEGAS, NV 89128

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	11/18/2005		M		2,000	A	\$ 3.75
					5,000		D
Common Stock	11/18/2005		S		2,000	D	\$ 79.004
					3,000		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 An Underlying Sec (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Non-Employee Director Stock Option (Right to Buy) ⁽¹⁾	\$ 3.75	11/18/2005		M	2,000	05/17/2001 ⁽²⁾	05/16/2010	Common

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
HARTLEY THOMAS Y 2724 N. TENAYA WAY LAS VEGAS, NV 89128	X

Signatures

Thomas Y. Hartley/Jayne
Primaky POA

Signature of Reporting Person

11/21/2005

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) Exercise of options granted in consideration for services under the Company's 1995 Non-Employee Directors Plan, which meets the requirements of, and which transactions are exempted by, Rule 16b-3 (c).

(2) Exercisable as to 20% on each of 5/17/01, 5/17/02, 5/17/03, 5/17/04 and 5/17/05.

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