

COMMUNITY HEALTH SYSTEMS INC

Form 4

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FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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See Instruction
1(b).**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
BUFORD T MARK2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading
Symbol
COMMUNITY HEALTH
SYSTEMS INC [CYH]5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
155 FRANKLIN ROAD, SUITE 400
(Street)3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
05/02/2005☐ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☒ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify
below)
Executive Officer - Reporting

BRENTWOOD, TN 37027

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)
Common Stock	05/02/2005	05/02/2005	M	10,000	A \$ 13	40,451	D
Common Stock	05/02/2005	05/02/2005	S	100	D \$ 37.04	40,351	D
Common Stock	05/02/2005	05/02/2005	S	9,900	D \$ 36.95	30,451	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)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 13	05/02/2005	05/02/2005	M	10,000	06/08/2001	06/08/2010	Common Stock	10,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 20.3					05/22/2004	05/22/2013	Common Stock	70,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 32.37					02/28/2006	02/28/2015	Common Stock	20,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
BUFORD T MARK 155 FRANKLIN ROAD SUITE 400 BRENTWOOD, TN 37027	Executive Officer - Reporting

Signatures

Rachel A. Seifert, Attorney
in Fact 05/03/2005

__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).

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