**KULICH ROMAN** 

Form 4

February 06, 2006

## FORM 4

#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* **KULICH ROMAN** 

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

MOLINA HEALTHCARE INC [MOH]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

02/02/2006

Director 10% Owner \_X\_\_ Officer (give title \_ Other (specify

below) Pres & CEO of Molina of MI

2277 FAIR OAKS BLVD, STE 440 (Street)

(Ctata)

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

Issuer

SACRAMENTO, CA 95825

(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or Do (Instr. 3,	spose	d 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							2,683	D	
Common Stock	02/02/2006		A(1)	3,500	A	\$ 28.66	6,183	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. Transactic 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)	\$ 25.33					02/10/2005(2)	02/10/2014	Common Stock	20,000
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 44.29					07/01/2006(3)	07/01/2015	Common Stock	4,800
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 28.66	02/02/2006		A	8,100	02/02/2007(4)	02/02/2016	Common Stock	8,100

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

KULICH ROMAN

2277 FAIR OAKS BLVD, STE 440 Pres & CEO of Molina of MI

SACRAMENTO, CA 95825

### **Signatures**

Roman Kulich, by Jeff D. Barlow, Attorney-in-Fact. 02/06/2006

\*\*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) Grant of restricted stock under the Molina Healthcare, Inc. 2002 Equity Incentive Plan. The shares vest immediately, but are subject to a restriction on transfer for 18 months from the date of grant (until August 2, 2007).

(2) The options vest one-third on each of 2/10/2005, 2/10/2006, and 2/10/2007.

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- (3) The options vest one-third on each of 7/1/2006, 7/1/2007, and 7/1/2008.
- (4) Grant of options under the Molina Healthcare, Inc. 2002 Equity Incentive Plan, with one-third of the options to vest on each of 2/2/2007, 2/2/2008, and 2/2/2009.

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