ANDREWS MARK L ESQ

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Last)

(City)

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * ANDREWS MARK L ESQ

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

MOLINA HEALTHCARE INC

[MOH]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

03/01/2010

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director X_ Officer (give title below)

10% Owner Other (specify

Chief Legal Officer

2277 FAIR OAKS BOULEVARD, SUITE 440

(Street)

(State)

(First)

(Middle)

(Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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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. Securit on(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	sposed 4 and 3	of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)				
Common Stock	03/01/2010		A <u>(1)</u>	13,600	A	\$ 21.77 (2)	73,891	D			
Common Stock	03/01/2010		F(3)	3,018	D	\$ 21.77 (2)	70,873 (4)	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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	of Do Se Ac (A Di of (In	umb	ative ities red sed	6. Date Exerc Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities	8. Price Deriva Securit (Instr. :
				Code V	(A	A) ((D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 25.33							<u>(5)</u>	02/10/2014	Common Stock	30,000	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 44.29							<u>(5)</u>	07/01/2015	Common Stock	12,000	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 28.66							(5)	02/02/2016	Common Stock	21,000	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 31.32							<u>(6)</u>	03/01/2017	Common Stock	11,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ANDREWS MARK L ESQ 2277 FAIR OAKS BOULEVARD, SUITE 440 SACRAMENTO, CA 95825

Chief Legal Officer

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Mark L. 03/03/2010 Andrews

Date

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**Signature of Reporting Person

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) The shares were granted under the Molina Healthcare, Inc. 2002 Equity Incentive Plan.
- (2) Represents the closing price on Monday, March 1, 2010.
- (3) The shares were applied to the payment of withholding taxes arising in connection with the vesting of 7,963 shares on March 1, 2010.
 - Increments of 3,400 shares vest on each of 3/1/2011, 3/1/2012, 3/1/2013, and 3/1/2014; additional increments of 3,400 shares vest on
- (4) each of 3/1/2011, 3/1/2012, and 3/1/2013; 1,000 shares vest on 7/1/2010; 1,387 shares vest on 3/1/2011; and increments of 3,175 shares vest on each of 3/1/2011 and 3/1/2012. The remainder of the shares are vested.
- (5) The options are vested and exercisable.
- (6) 8,250 of the options are vested; 2,750 options vest on 3/1/2011.

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