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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* BLOEM JAMES H						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HUMANA INC [HUM]										5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
	- 3 Da	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)								Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (spec						- 1						
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Y			Year) if	Execution		Date,	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)				5. Amoun Securities Beneficia Owned	s Form (D) or Indire		: Direct In Bect (I)		. Nature of ndirect eneficial wnership				
								Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)			Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)		(Instr. 4)				
Humana	Humana Common ⁽¹⁾			03/14/20	005	5		M		7,695	A	\$12.	995	89,852		D						
Humana Common ⁽¹⁾			03/14/20	005			M		8,470	A	\$12	2.2	98,3	322		D						
Humana Common ⁽¹⁾ 03/14/			03/14/20	005	05			F		1,880	D	\$33.	965	96,4	42	D						
Humana Common ⁽¹⁾														1,3	1,378		I See Fo		e otnote ⁽³⁾			
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Options ⁽²⁾	\$12.2	03/14/2005			М			8,470	(4)		02/01/2011	Humana Common ⁽¹	8,4	70	\$12.2	0	0		D			
Options ⁽²⁾	\$9.7								(5)		07/12/2011	Humana Common ⁽¹	8,3	33		8,3	33	D				
Options ⁽²⁾	\$32.7								(10)		02/24/2012	Humana Common ⁽¹	80,0	000		80,0	000	D				
Options ⁽²⁾	\$12.995	03/14/2005			М			7,695	(6)		03/13/2012	Humana Common ⁽¹	7,6	95	\$12.995	12,305		D				
Options ⁽²⁾	\$9.26								(7)		03/13/2013	Humana Common ⁽¹	70,0	000		70,0	000	D				
Options ⁽⁸⁾	\$21.275								(9)		02/24/2014	Humana Common ⁽¹	70,0	000		70,0	000	D				

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Each share of Common Stock contains a Right adopted on March 5, 1987, pursuant to the Company Rights Agreement, as amended and restated on February 14, 1996, and amended as of May 27, 1998 and March 1, 1999, which entitles holders of the Company's Common Stock, in the event certain specified events occur, to acquire 1/100 of a share of Series A Participating Preferred Stock at a price of \$145 per fractional share.
- 2. Right to buy pursuant to the Company's 1996 Stock Incentive Plan for Employees.
- 3. Shares held for reporting person's benefit as of February 28, 2005 under the Humana Retirement & Savings Plan including a routine disposition of shares to fund an administrative fee assessment under a Tax-Conditioned Plan, both exempt under Rule 16b-3(c).

- 4. Stock options granted to reporting person on 2/1/01 with the remaining unexercised options vesting as follows: 8,470 non-qualified stock options 2/1/04.
- 5. Non-qualified stock options granted to reporting person on 7/12/01 with the remaining unexercised options vesting on 7/12/04.
- 6. Stock options granted to reporting person on 3/13/02 with the remaining unexercised options vesting as follows: 10,000 non-qualified stock options on 3/13/04 and 2,305 on 3/13/05, and 7,695 incentive stock options on 3/13/05.
- 7. Stock options granted to reporting person on 3/13/03 to vest as follows: 59,201 non-qualified stock options to vest in three increments 23,334 on 3/13/04, 23,333 on 3/13/05 and 12,534 on 3/13/06, respectively, and 10,799 incentive stock options on 3/13/06.
- 8. Right to buy pursuant to the Company's 2003 Stock Incentive Plan.
- 9. Incentive and Non-Qualified stock options granted to reporting person on 2/24/04, NQ options vesting in three increments from 2/24/05 to 2/24/07, and ISO's vesting on 2/24/07.
- 10. Incentive and Non-Qualified stock options granted to reporting person on 2/24/05, NQ options vesting in three increments from 2/24/06 to 2/24/08, and ISO's vesting on 2/24/08.

Remarks:

James H. Bloem

3/15/2005

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * 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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