FORM 3

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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	dress of Reportin	. Date of Event Requiring Stater Month/Day/Yea	nent	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HUMANA INC [ HUM ]							
(Last) (First) (Middle)		1	08/25/2005		Relationship of Reporting Pers (Check all applicable)		,	1)	5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		
	UNICATIONS HEARN DRIVE GA (State)				X	Director Officer (give title below)	10% Own Other (spe below)	6	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)      Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned											
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)				-		int of Securities ially Owned (Instr. 4)			Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		
Humana Common <sup>(1)</sup>						0	D				
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)											
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)  2. Date Exercisable a Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			ite	nd 3. Title and Amount of Secur Underlying Derivative Secur 4)			4. Conversi or	Form:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		
			Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	n Title	3	Amount or Number of Shares	Exercise Price of Derivativ Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		

## 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.

## Remarks:

James O. Robbins

08/25/2005

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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