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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>THIRY KENT J</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>C/O DAVITA INC.</u> <u>2000 16TH STREET</u> (Street) <u>DENVER CO 80202</u> (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>DAVITA INC. [DVA]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <u>Chairman and CEO</u>
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>05/15/2019</u>	
4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		

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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	05/15/2019		A		34,847 ⁽¹⁾	A	\$0	124,937 ⁽²⁾	D	
Common Stock	05/15/2019		A		21,082 ⁽³⁾	A	\$0	146,019	D	
Common Stock	05/15/2019		F		4,636 ⁽⁴⁾	D	\$50.22	141,383	D	
Common Stock								664,607	I	By Thiry O'Leary Living Trust UAD 3/8/1990.

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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date					

Explanation of Responses:

- These restricted stock units are scheduled to vest on June 1, 2020. Vesting is subject to the conditions set forth in the Reporting Person's Executive Chairman's Agreement and applicable award agreement.
- Includes 90,090 restricted stock units, which may be settled solely in shares of common stock, that the Reporting Person had previously reported on Table II.
- Shares received upon the satisfaction of performance criteria underlying the award of performance stock units granted to the Reporting Person on 12/27/2016, in which 10,541 shares vested on May 15, 2019 and the remaining 10,541 vest on May 15, 2020.
- Shares withheld from issuance to satisfy tax withholding obligation in connection with the vesting of 10,541 shares as described in footnote 3 above.

Remarks:

/s/ James K. Hilger, Attorney-in-Fact 05/17/2019

** 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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