

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>DEPARLE NANCY ANN</u>			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>DAVITA INC [ DVA ]</u>			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <div>X Director10% Owner</div> <div>Officer (give title below)Other (specify below)</div>		
(Last)(First)(Middle) <u>601 HAWAII STREET</u>			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>11/18/2003</u>					
(Street) <u>EL SEGUNDO CA 90245</u>			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)					
(City)(State)(Zip)			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <div>X Form filed by One Reporting Person</div> <div>Form filed by More than One Reporting Person</div>					

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	11/18/2003		M		3,750	A	\$18.15	4,961	D	
Common Stock	11/18/2003		S		3,750	D	\$38.4672	1,211	D	
Common Stock	11/18/2003		M		4,000	A	\$19.23	5,211	D	
Common Stock	11/18/2003		S		4,000	D	\$38.4672	1,211	D	
Common Stock	11/18/2003		M		2,000	A	\$25.22	3,211	D	
Common Stock	11/18/2003		S		2,000	D	\$38.4672	1,211	D	

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	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$18.15	11/18/2003		M			3,750	05/22/2002 <sup>(1)</sup>	05/22/2006	Common Stock	3,750	\$0.00	11,250	D	
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$19.23	11/18/2003		M			4,000	06/05/2002 <sup>(2)</sup>	06/05/2006	Common Stock	4,000	\$0.00	4,000	D	
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$25.22	11/18/2003		M			2,000	04/11/2003 <sup>(3)</sup>	04/11/2007	Common Stock	2,000	\$0.00	4,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Option grant for 15,000 shares vests according to the following schedule: 3,750 on 5/22/02, 3,750 on 5/22/03, 3,750 on 5/22/04, and 3,750 on 5/22/05.  
2. Option grant for 8,000 shares vested according to the following schedule: 4,000 on 6/5/02 and 4,000 on 6/5/03.  
3. Option grant for 8,000 shares vests according to the following schedule: 4,000 on 4/11/03 and 4,000 on 4/11/04.

/s/ Patrick A. Broderick Attorney-in-Fact

11/19/2003

\*\* 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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POWER OF ATTORNEY

The undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of Patrick A. Broderick, Richard K. Whitney, and Gary W. Beil the undersigned's true and lawful attorney

1. execute for and on behalf of the undersigned Forms 3, 4 and 5 (the "Forms") in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,
2. do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete the execution of any such Forms
3. take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, :

The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming any of the

By executing this Power of Attorney, the undersigned hereby expressly revokes the prior power of attorney that was executed on September 1, 2002.

This Power of Attorney shall be effective on the date set forth below and shall continue in full force and effect until the date on which the undersigned shall cease

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 30th day of June, 2003.

/s/ Nancy-Ann DeParle  
Signature