FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * FRANKE THOMAS F (Last) (First) (Middle) 410 NORTH EAGEL STREET					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol OMEGA HEALTHCARE INVESTORS INC [OHI] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/14/2005										ationship of F call applicab Director Officer (g below)	le)	Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owne Other (spe below)		
(Street) MARSHALL MI 49068 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If <i>A</i>	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Indi	dividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Trans Date (Month/I					/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)					ies Acquired (A) or Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 an			Securities		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
										٧	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price					(11150.4)
OHI Common Stock 01/14						/2005 A 1,00		1,000(1	1)	Α	\$11.03(2)	23,327(3)			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)	vative Conversion Date Execution Date, irity (Instr. 3) or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			4. Transaction Code (Instr. B)		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)		ite	7. Title and Amou Securities Underl Derivative Securi (Instr. 3 and 4)		nderlying ecurity	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti	e s illy	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	able	Expiration Date	Title	e	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)			

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Represents grant of restricted stock to the reporting person vesting over time.
- 2. Granted for no consideration.
- 3. The reporting person also indirectly owns 47,141 shares, which are owned by a family limited liability company of which Mr. Franke is a member.

Remarks:

Thomas Peterson, Attorney-In-Fact 01/18/2005

** 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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