

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* WHEAT DOUGLAS D			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMN HEALTHCARE SERVICES INC [AHS]			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/18/2012			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
180 STATE STREET SUITE 230			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)					
(Street) SOUTHLAKE TX 76092								
(City) (State) (Zip)								

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							46,210	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					
Restricted Stock Units	(1)							(2)	(6)	Common Stock	4,048	4,048	D	
Restricted Stock Units	(1)							(3)	(6)	Common Stock	5,555	5,555	D	
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$18.03							(4)	04/12/2016	Common Stock	4,445	4,445	D	
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$24.95							(5)	04/18/2017	Common Stock	3,482	3,482	D	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$15.47							09/28/2006	09/28/2015	Common Stock	20,000	20,000	D	
Restricted Stock Units	(1)							(7)	(6)	Common Stock	6,009	6,009	D	
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$16.18							(8)	04/08/2018	Common Stock	5,168	5,168	D	
Restricted Stock Units	(1)							(9)	(6)	Common Stock	9,563	9,563	D	
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$6							(10)	04/09/2019	Common Stock	8,224	8,224	D	
Restricted Stock Units	(1)							(11)	(6)	Common Stock	9,563	9,563	D	
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$8.83							(12)	04/13/2020	Common Stock	8,224	8,224	D	
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	04/18/2012		A		22,575		(13)	(6)	Common Stock	22,575	\$0	22,575	D

Explanation of Responses:

- The Restricted Stock Units were granted pursuant to the AMN Healthcare Equity Plan. Each Restricted Stock Unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Common Stock.
- The Restricted Stock Units were granted on April 18, 2007 and vest in the incremental amount of 33% on the earlier of (i) April 18, 2008 or (ii) the date of the Company's 2008 Annual Meeting of Stockholders; 34% on the earlier of (i) April 18, 2009 or (ii) the date of the Company's 2009 Annual Meeting of Stockholders; and 33% on the earlier of (i) April 18, 2010 or (ii) the date of the Company's 2010 Annual Meeting of Stockholders. The Restricted Stock Units settle on the date of the director's termination of service with the Company.
- The Restricted Stock Units were granted on April 12, 2006 and vest in the incremental amount of 33% on the earlier of (i) April 12, 2007 or (ii) the date of the Company's 2007 Annual Meeting of Stockholders; 34% on the earlier of (i) April 12, 2008 or (ii) the date of the Company's 2008 Annual Meeting of Stockholders; and 33% on the earlier of (i) April 12, 2009 or (ii) the date of the Company's 2009 Annual Meeting of Stockholders. The Restricted Stock Units settle on the date of the director's termination of service with the Company.
- The Stock Appreciation Rights were granted on April 12, 2006 and vest on the earlier of (i) April 12, 2007 or (ii) the date of the Company's 2007 Annual Meeting of Stockholders.
- The Stock Appreciation Rights were granted on April 18, 2007 and vest on the earlier of (i) April 18, 2008 or (ii) the date of the Company's 2008 Annual Meeting of Stockholders.
- Restricted Stock Units do not have an expiration date.
- The Restricted Stock Units were granted on April 8, 2008 and vest in the incremental amount of 33% on the earlier of (i) April 8, 2009 or (ii) the date of the Company's 2009 Annual Meeting of Stockholders; 34% on the earlier of (i) April 8, 2010 or (ii) the date of the Company's 2010 Annual Meeting of Stockholders; and 33% on the earlier of (i) April 8, 2011 or (ii) the date of the Company's 2011 Annual Meeting of Stockholders. The Restricted Stock Units settle on the date of the director's termination of service with the Company.
- The Stock Appreciation Rights were granted on April 8, 2008 and vest on the earlier of (i) April 8, 2009 or (ii) the date of the Company's 2009 Annual Meeting of Stockholders.
- The Restricted Stock Units were granted on April 9, 2009 and vest in the incremental amount of 33% on the earlier of (i) April 9, 2010 or (ii) the date of the Company's 2010 Annual Meeting of Stockholders; 34% on the earlier of (i) April 9, 2011 or (ii) the date of the Company's 2011 Annual Meeting of Stockholders; and 33% on the earlier of (i) April 9, 2012 or (ii) the date of the Company's 2012 Annual Meeting of Stockholders. The Restricted Stock Units settle on the date of the director's termination of service with the Company.
- The Stock Appreciation Rights were granted on April 9, 2009 and vest on the earlier of (i) April 9, 2010 or (ii) the date of the Company's 2010 Annual Meeting of Stockholders.
- The Restricted Stock Units were granted on April 13, 2010 and vest in the incremental amount of 33% on the earlier of (i) April 13, 2011 or (ii) the date of the Company's 2011 Annual Meeting of Stockholders; 34% on the earlier of (i) April 13, 2012 or (ii) the date of the Company's 2012 Annual Meeting of Stockholders; and 33% on the earlier of (i) April 13, 2013 or (ii) the date of the Company's 2013 Annual Meeting of Stockholders. The Restricted Stock Units settle on the date of the director's termination of service with the Company.
- The Stock Appreciation Rights were granted on April 13, 2010 and vest on the earlier of (i) April 13, 2011 or (ii) the date of the Company's 2011 Annual Meeting of Stockholders.
- The Restricted Stock Units were granted on April 18, 2012 and vest on the earlier of (i) April 18, 2013 or (ii) the date of the Company's 2013 Annual Meeting of Stockholders.

/s/ Denise L. Jackson, as attorney-in-fact on behalf of Douglas D. Wheat 04/19/2012
 ** 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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Know all by these presents, that each of the undersigned parties hereby constitutes and appoints each of Denise L. Jackson, Brian M. Scott and Susan R. [redacted] (1) execute for and on behalf of such party, all documents relating to the reporting of beneficial ownership of securities required to be filed with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission, (2) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of such party that may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such documents, complete and execute any such documents, (3) take any other action of any type whatsoever in furtherance of the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of such party. Such party hereby grants to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary, or proper for the purposes aforesaid. This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until such party is no longer required to file such documents with respect to such party's holdings of [redacted]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed effective as of April 18, 2012.

By: /s/ Douglas D. Wheat
Name: Douglas D. Wheat

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