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* NOWAKOWSKI SUSAN						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMN HEALTHCARE SERVICES INC [AHS] 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner													
(Last) 12400 HI		X Officer (give title Delow) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/18/2006 V Officer (give title Delow) President & CEO												specify					
(Street) SAN DIEGO CA 92130					4. II	f Ame	ndmer	nt, Date of	Original F	Filed (Month/Day/	/Year)	6. Inc Line)		ed by One	Repor	ting Persor	1	
(City)	City) (State) (Zip)													Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)					saction /Day/Y	- 1	Executif any	eemed ition Date, h/Day/Year)	3. Transa Code (8)		4. Securiti Disposed	es Acquire Of (D) (Inst	r. 3, 4 and 5)	Beneficial Owned Fo Reported Transaction	lly llowing on(s)	Form:	Direct Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common S	Stock											(D)		(Instr. 3 at		D			
Common S	Stock			04/1	04/18/2006				A		2,000	A	\$3.8	2,3	00	D			
Common S	Stock			04/18/2006)6			D	D 2,000		D	\$18.75	300		D			
Common Stock				04/19/2006)6			A		5,600	A	\$3.8	5,900		D			
Common Stock					04/19/2006				D		5,600	D	\$18.9	30	00	0 D			
Common Stock 0				04/1	04/19/2006				A		1,700	A	\$3.8	2,000		D			
Common Stock 04.				04/1	/19/2006				D		1,700	D	\$18.94	300		D			
Common Stock 04/1					19/2006				A		800	800 A		1,1	1,100		D		
Common Stock 04/1					19/2006			D		800	D	\$18.95	300		D				
			Table II - I											wned					
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	ion Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution [Date, Transaction Code (Instr			n Derivative E		Expiratio	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		of Securities		Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securitie Beneficia Owned Following Reported	re es ally g	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code V		(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transact (Instr. 4)				
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$3.8	04/18/2006			D			2,000 ⁽¹⁾	12/31/20	03	11/19/2009	Common Stock	2,000	\$3.8	6,23	1 7	D		
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$3.8	04/19/2006			D			5,600 ⁽¹⁾	12/31/20	03	11/19/2009	Common Stock	5,600	\$3.8	637	7	D		
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$3.8	04/19/2006			D			637 ⁽¹⁾	12/31/20	03	11/19/2009	Common Stock	637	\$3.8	0		D		
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$3.8	04/19/2006			D			1,063 ⁽¹⁾	05/14/20	02	12/31/2009	Common Stock	1,063	\$3.8	199,0)57	D		
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$3.8	04/19/2006			D			800 ⁽¹⁾	05/14/20	02	12/31/2009	Common Stock	800	\$3.8	198,25	57 ⁽²⁾	D		
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$6.68								05/14/20	02	12/31/2009	Common Stock	119,448		119,44	18 ⁽²⁾	D		
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$9.68								05/08/20	04	05/08/2013	Common Stock	120,000		120,00)0 ⁽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)	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	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		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$14.86							05/04/2006	05/04/2015	Common Stock	200,000		200,000 ⁽³⁾	D	
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$14.94							05/18/2005	06/09/2014	Common Stock	160,000		160,000 ⁽³⁾	D	
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$22.98							01/17/2003	01/17/2012	Common Stock	60,000		60,000 ⁽²⁾⁽³⁾	D	
Restricted Stock Units	(4)							(5)	04/12/2016	Common Stock	55,000		55,000	D	
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$18.03							(6)	04/12/2016	Common Stock	43,250		43,250	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The exercise of options and sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on November 21, 2005.
- 2. These options are currently exercisable.
- 3. The options to purchase share of Common Stock were granted pursuant to the AMN Healthcare Services, Inc. Stock Option Plan. The shares become vested in four equal installments on the first, second, third and fourth anniversary of the grant date.
- 4. 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.
- 5. The Restricted Stock Units vest on April 12, 2009, provided, however, the Restricted Stock Units shall vest on an accelerated basis on May 12, 2007, in the incremental amount of 33% should the Company achieve or exceed specified earnings before interest, depreciation, taxes and amoritization (EBIDTA) targets for fiscal year 2006 and on April 12, 2008, in the amount of 34% should the Company achieve or exceed specified EBIDTA targets and that such Restricted Stock Units shall have a term of ten years unless earlier terminated in accordance with the Plan or the applicable Restricted Stock Units agreement. The settlement date of the Restricted Stock Units shall be the vesting date unless the grantee otherwise elects under the terms of the Company's 2005 Amended and Restated Executive Nonqualified Excess Plan.
- 6. The Stock Appreciation Rights were granted pursuant to the AMN Healthcare Equity Plan. The Stock Appreciation Rights vest over three years on the anniversary date of the grant in increments of 33%, 34% and 33%, respectively.

/s/ Susan R. Nowakowski 04/20/2006

** 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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