

MAGELLAN HEALTH SERVICES INC  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 Petrella Russell C

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 MAGELLAN HEALTH SERVICES INC [MGLN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 55 NOD ROAD  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 10/01/2008

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 President, Behavioral Health

AVON, CT 06001

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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(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 Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	
Ordinary Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	10/01/2008		M <sup>(1)</sup>		2,016	A	\$ 0 <sup>(2)</sup> 3,988	D
Ordinary Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	10/01/2008		F <sup>(3)</sup>		740	D	\$ 40.68 3,248	D

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 <sup>(2)</sup>	10/01/2008		M <sup>(1)</sup>	2,016	10/01/2008 <sup>(4)</sup>	Common Stock	2,016

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Petrella Russell C 55 NOD ROAD AVON, CT 06001			President, Behavioral Health	

## Signatures

/s/ Russell  
Petrella

10/02/2008

\*\*Signature of  
Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* 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).
- (1) This transaction was effectuated by a one-third vesting of the Restricted Stock Unit Award granted on 10/01/2007. Each Restricted Stock Unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Magellan common stock.
- (2) No price was applicable to the acquisition of this security.
- (3) Represents the portion of shares which the Company determined to settle in cash to pay applicable tax withholding.
- (4) Not applicable.
- (5) The remainder of 4,031 restricted stock units shall vest in one-half increments on October 1, of each of 2010 and 2011.

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