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(Print or Type	Responses)										
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *2. Issuer NAldag Edward K JRSymbol				I			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
				IEDICAL PROPERTIES TRUST NC [MPW]				(Check all applicable)			
(M			(Month/I	Ionth/Dav/Year) -				X Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Chairman, President & CEO			
			onth/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person				
BIRMING	HAM, AL 35242							Form filed by Me Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivative	e Secu	rities Acqu	ired, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		n Date, if	3.4. Securities Acquired (A)Transactioner Disposed of (D)Code(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)(Instr. 8)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common				Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)		
Stock, par value \$.001	07/03/2008			S	9,000	D	\$ 10.2038	1,099,106	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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	int of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secu Bene Owna Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Aldag Edward K JR 1000 URBAN CENTER DRIVE SUITE 501 BIRMINGHAM, AL 35242	Х		Chairman, President & CEO					
Signatures								
Philip Summerlin, by power of attorney		07/08/2008	3					
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).

Remarks:

This transaction represents a sale under Mr. Aldag's 10b5-1 Plan as reported in the Issuer's Form 8-K filed May 16, 2008.

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