

HCC INSURANCE HOLDINGS INC/DE/
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
FULKERSON ALLAN W

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
HCC INSURANCE HOLDINGS INC/DE/ [HCC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
05/14/2007

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

RED HILL CAPITAL, 954 WHITTIER HIGHWAY

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

MOULTONBOROUGH, NH 03254

(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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|--|
| | | | Code | V | Amount | (D) | Price |
| Common Stock | | | | | 72,575 | D | |
| Common Stock | 05/14/2007 | | S | | \$ 20,000 | D | 32.5384 |
| Common Stock | 05/15/2007 | | M | | 18,750 | D | \$ 18.33 |
| Common Stock | 05/15/2007 | | M | | 37,500 | D | \$ 16.8 |
| Common Stock | 05/15/2007 | | S | | \$ 56,250 | D | 32.5263 |

Common Stock 7,500 I By IRA

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) | | |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--------------|----------------------------|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Option to Purchase <u>(1)</u> | \$ 21.37 | | | | | 12/20/2005 | 12/20/2009 | Common Stock | 18,750 |
| Option to Purchase <u>(2)</u> | \$ 30.85 | | | | | 01/05/2007 | 01/05/2011 | Common Stock | 12,500 |
| Option to Purchase <u>(1)</u> | \$ 18.33 | 05/15/2007 | | M | 18,750 | 01/24/2003 | 01/24/2008 | Common Stock | 18,750 |
| Option to Purchase <u>(1)</u> | \$ 16.8 | 05/15/2007 | | M | 37,500 | 01/03/2004 | 01/03/2009 | Common Stock | 37,500 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| FULKERSON ALLAN W RED HILL CAPITAL 954 WHITTIER HIGHWAY MOULTONBOROUGH, NH 03254 | X | | | |

Signatures

Edward H. Ellis, Jr. as Attorney in Fact for Allan W.
Fulkerson

05/15/2007

__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) Option to purchase granted pursuant to the 2001 Flexible Incentive Plan.

(2) Option to purchase granted pursuant to the 2004 Flexible Incentive Plan.

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