### TENET HEALTHCARE CORP

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

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1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Fraser Cathy Issuer Symbol TENET HEALTHCARE CORP (Check all applicable) [THC] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title \_ Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) 13737 NOEL ROAD 11/06/2008 Sr. Vice President (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting DALLAS, TX 75240 Person

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(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative Secur	ities Acc	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date		3.	4. Securities A	•		6. Ownership	
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	on(A) or Dispose	d of	Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(D)		Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and	5)	Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership
						Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
				( )		Reported		
				(A)	)	Transaction(s)		
				or	ъ.	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
			Code V	Amount (D)	) Price			
Common Stock	11/06/2008		P	10,000 A	\$ 2.6	26,059	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)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			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
2006 September Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 8.14					<u>(1)</u>	09/29/2016	Common Stock	20,000
2006 September Restricted Units	\$ 0 (2)					(2)	<u>(2)</u>	Common Stock	6,666
2007 March Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 6.6					<u>(1)</u>	03/01/2017	Common Stock	40,000
2007 March Restricted Units	\$ 0 (2)					(2)	(2)	Common Stock	13,334
2007 Performance Based Restricted Units (CF)	\$ 0 (3)					(3)	(3)	Common Stock	30,000
2008 March Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 4.94					<u>(1)</u>	03/06/2018	Common Stock	130,000
2008 March Restricted Units	\$ 0 (2)					(2)	(2)	Common Stock	30,000

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		

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Fraser Cathy 13737 NOEL ROAD DALLAS, TX 75240

Sr. Vice President

### **Signatures**

/s/ Fraser, Cathy 11/06/2008

\*\*Signature of Date

Reporting Person

## **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) These derivative securities (stock options) vest ratably on each of the first, second and third anniversaries of the date of grant.
- (2) These restricted units vest ratably on each of the first, second and third anniversaries of the date of grant. Restricted Units are settled in shares of the Company's common stock upon vesting.
  - On the third anniversary of the date of grant, these restricted units vest conditionally based on the average of the closing price of the company's common stock on the last 40 trading days of 2009 ("Stock Price") as follows: 15,000 restricted units vest if the Stock Price is
- (3) \$6.75 or less; 30,000 restricted units vest if the Stock Price is \$8.50; and 45,000 restricted units if the Stock Price is \$10.25 or greater. Straight-line interpolation will be used to determine the number of restricted units vesting for Stock Prices between the threshold prices stated. Restricted units are settled in shares of the Company's common stock upon vesting.

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