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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MELLO JOSEPH C			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol DAVITA INC [DVA]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner		
601 HAWAII ST.			06/02/2008	_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)		
				Chief Operating Officer		
	(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		
EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivative	Secui	rities Acquir	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit onor Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of	` ′	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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	06/02/2008		M(1)	20,456	A	\$ 30.0667	25,144	D	
Common Stock	06/02/2008		S(2)	600	D	\$ 51.79	24,544	D	
Common Stock	06/02/2008		S(2)	200	D	\$ 51.8	24,344	D	
Common Stock	06/02/2008		S(2)	300	D	\$ 51.83	24,044	D	
Common Stock	06/02/2008		S(2)	227	D	\$ 51.87	23,817	D	

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Common Stock	06/02/2008	S(2)	1,300	D	\$ 51.88	22,517	D
Common Stock	06/02/2008	S(2)	200	D	\$ 51.89	22,317	D
Common Stock	06/02/2008	S(2)	329	D	\$ 51.9	21,988	D
Common Stock	06/02/2008	S(2)	300	D	\$ 51.91	21,688	D
Common Stock	06/02/2008	S(2)	300	D	\$ 51.93	21,388	D
Common Stock	06/02/2008	S(2)	1,400	D	\$ 51.94	19,988	D
Common Stock	06/02/2008	S(2)	200	D	\$ 51.95	19,788	D
Common Stock	06/02/2008	S(2)	2,000	D	\$ 51.96	17,788	D
Common Stock	06/02/2008	S(2)	1,300	D	\$ 51.97	16,488	D
Common Stock	06/02/2008	S(2)	2,000	D	\$ 51.99	14,488	D
Common Stock	06/02/2008	S(2)	300	D	\$ 52.04	14,188	D
Common Stock	06/02/2008	S(2)	900	D	\$ 52.06	13,288	D
Common Stock	06/02/2008	S(2)	1,200	D	\$ 52.07	12,088	D
Common Stock	06/02/2008	S(2)	600	D	\$ 52.08	11,488	D
Common Stock	06/02/2008	S(2)	100	D	\$ 52.1	11,388	D
Common Stock	06/02/2008	S(2)	100	D	\$ 52.11	11,288	D
Common Stock	06/02/2008	S(2)	200	D	\$ 52.13	11,088	D
Common Stock	06/02/2008	S(2)	100	D	\$ 52.15	10,988	D
Common Stock	06/02/2008	S(2)	500	D	\$ 52.17	10,488	D
Common Stock	06/02/2008	S(2)	1,000	D	\$ 52.18	9,488	D
	06/02/2008	S(2)	300	D	\$ 52.19	9,188	D

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Common Stock							
Common Stock	06/02/2008	S(2)	100	D	\$ 52.2	9,088	D
Common Stock	06/02/2008	S(2)	1,908	D	\$ 52.21	7,180	D
Common Stock	06/02/2008	S(2)	1,192	D	\$ 52.22	5,988	D
Common Stock	06/02/2008	S(2)	1,300	D	\$ 52.23	4,688	D

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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)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	nsactionDerivative le Securities		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
			Code V	and 5	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 30.0667	06/02/2008	M(3)		20,456	03/24/2005	03/24/2009	Common Stock	20,456

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Keiationsnips						
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
MELLO JOSEPH C							
601 HAWAII ST.			Chief Operating Officer				
EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245							

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Signatures

/s/ Corinna B. Polk Attorney-in-Fact

06/04/2008

**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) Acquisition of these shares was completed in accordance with a 10b5-1 sales plan.
- (2) The sale of these shares was completed in accordance with a 10b5-1 sales plan.
- (3) The exercise of these options was completed in accordance with a 10b5-1 sales plan.

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