Valine Roger
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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Valine Roger

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O DAVITA INC., 1551 WEWATTA ST.

(Street)

DENVER, CO 80202

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol
DAVITA INC [DVA]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
08/06/2012

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person
___ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	08/06/2012		M		12,000	A	$ 49.78	37,434	D	
Common Stock	08/06/2012		F		6,017	D	$ 99.29	31,417	D	
Common Stock	08/06/2012		S		5,983	D	$ 98.0257 (1)	25,434	D	
Common Stock	08/06/2012		M		12,000	A	$ 45.84	37,434	D	
Common Stock	08/06/2012		F		5,541	D	$ 99.29	31,893	D	

Common Stock	08/06/2012	S	6,459	D	$ 98.8596 (2)	25,434	D	
Common Stock	08/07/2012	S	18,739	D	$ 96.5279 (3)	6,695	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 Amo Underlying Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Ar or Nu of
Stock Appreciation Right	$ 49.78	08/06/2012		M			12,000	06/09/2009(4)	06/09/2013	Common Stock	1
Stock Appreciation Right	$ 45.84	08/06/2012		M			12,000	06/15/2010(4)	06/15/2014	Common Stock	1

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Valine Roger C/O DAVITA INC. 1551 WEWATTA ST. DENVER, CO 80202	X			

Signatures

/s/ Kim M. Rivera Attorney-in-Fact	08/08/2012
**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) The range of prices for the sale of these shares was $97.67 - $98.46. The filer undertakes to provide staff, the issuer or a security holder full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

(2) The range of prices for the sale of these shares was $98.46 - $99.10. The filer undertakes to provide staff, the issuer or a security holder full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

(3) The range of prices for the sale of these shares was $96.30 - $96.94. The filer undertakes to provide staff, the issuer or a security holder full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

(4) Stock Appreciation Right, pursuant to the DaVita Inc. 2002 Equity Compensation Plan, (as amended and restated, the "DaVita Inc. 2011 Incentive Award Plan," effective June 6, 2011), which vested 10% on the first anniversary of the grant date.

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