#### **HMS HOLDINGS CORP**

Form 4

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# FORM 4

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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

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

1(b).

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

**HOLSTER ROBERT M** 

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

			HMS HOLDINGS CORP [HMSY]				ISY]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 401 PARK AVENUE SOUTH			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/11/2008					_X_ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chairman and CEO			
NEW YOR		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned											
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction I (Month/Day/Ye	ar) Execution	emed on Date, if /Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit on(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	of (D)	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	03/10/2008(1	<u>)</u>		M	20,000	A	\$ 1.19	77,314	D		
Common Stock	03/10/2008(1	<u>)</u>		S	20,000	D	\$ 27.71	57,314	D		
Common Stock	03/10/2008(2	<u>)</u>		M	10,000	A	\$ 6.95	10,000	I	Held by Robert M Holster Family Trust	
Common	03/10/2008(2	<u>)</u>		S	10,000	D	\$	0	I	Held by	

Robert M

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			Holster Family Trust
Common Stock	13,773	I	Held in Trust for Son (3)
Common Stock	14,223	I	Held in trust for Son (4)
Common Stock	8,000	I	Held by Spouse

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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 Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shar
Non Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 1.19	03/10/2008		M	20,000	03/30/2001(5)	03/30/2011	Common Stock	20,00
Non Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 6.95	03/10/2008		M	10,000	04/14/2005 <u>(7)</u>	04/14/2015	Common Stock	10,00

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

HOLSTER ROBERT M 401 PARK AVENUE SOUTH

H X Chairman and CEO

NEW YORK, NY 10016

## **Signatures**

Robert M. 03/11/2008 Holster

\*\*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) Transaction pursuant to 10b5-1 sales plan dated March 5, 2007.
- (2) Transaction pursuant to 10b5-1 sales plan for Robert M. Holster Irrevocable Family Trust dated November 26, 2007. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities.
- (3) Brett Holster, son of Robert Holster, is the owner of these shares. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities.
- (4) Andrew Holster, son of Robert Holster, is the owner of these shares. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities
- (5) Date shown is grant date. Options vest as follows: 100,000 vesting on the first anniversary and 75,000 at the end of each quarterly period thereafter.
- (6) Only represents the derivitive securities of this class.
- (7) Date shown is grant date. Options will vest in 1/3 increments, with 1/3 vesting on grant date and 1/3 vesting on each of the next two anniversary dates.

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