HEALTH CARE REIT INC /DE/

Form 5

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ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Transactions Reported

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer CHAPMAN GEORGE L Symbol HEALTH CARE REIT INC /DE/ (Check all applicable) [HCN] (Middle) 3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Last) (First) _X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) below) 12/31/2005 Chairman and CEO ONE SEAGATE. SUITE 1500 (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting Filed(Month/Day/Year) (check applicable line)

TOLEDO, Â OHÂ 43604

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(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 Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and	(D)	red (A) or	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	02/22/2005	Â	<u>J(1)</u>	97.8035	A	\$ 33.9139	229,535.4474	D	Â
Common Stock	05/20/2005	Â	<u>J(1)</u>	101.8377	A	\$ 33.1171	229,637.2851	D	Â
Common Stock	08/22/2005	Â	<u>J(1)</u>	98.6066	A	\$ 35.1722	229,735.8917	D	Â
Common Stock	11/21/2005	Â	J <u>(1)</u>	103.0129	A	\$ 34.5264	229,838.9046	D	Â
	02/22/2005	Â	J <u>(1)</u>	160.0936	A		9,312.1028	I	IRA (2)

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Common Stock						\$ 33.9139			
Common Stock	05/20/2005	Â	J <u>(1)</u>	164.9671	A	\$ 33.1171	9,477.0699	I	IRA (2)
Common Stock	08/22/2005	Â	<u>J(1)</u>	161.6446	A	\$ 35.1722	9,638.7145	I	IRA (2)
Common Stock	11/21/2005	Â	<u>J(1)</u>	173.2174	A	\$ 34.5264	9,811.9319	I	IRA (2)
Common Stock	02/22/2005	Â	J <u>(1)</u>	51.9239	A	\$ 33.9139	3,420.242	I	Account for Son (3)
Common Stock	05/20/2005	Â	J <u>(1)</u>	53.5014	A	\$ 33.1171	3,473.7434	I	Account for Son
Common Stock	08/22/2005	Â	J <u>(1)</u>	52.427	A	\$ 35.1722	3,526.1704	I	Account for Son
Common Stock	11/21/2005	Â	J <u>(1)</u>	56.1806	A	\$ 34.5264	3,582.351	I	Account for Son
Common Stock	02/22/2005	Â	J <u>(1)</u>	51.9356	A	\$ 33.9139	3,420.9185	I	Account for Son
Common Stock	05/20/2005	Â	J <u>(1)</u>	53.5134	A	\$ 33.1171	3,474.4319	I	Account for Son
Common Stock	08/22/2005	Â	J <u>(1)</u>	52.4388	A	\$ 35.1722	3,526.8707	I	Account for Son (3)
Common Stock	11/21/2005	Â	J <u>(1)</u>	56.193	A	\$ 34.5264	3,583.0637	I	Account for Son (3)
Common Stock	02/22/2005	Â	J <u>(1)</u>	51.3851	A	\$ 33.9139	3,419.7032	I	Account for Son (3)
Common Stock	05/20/2005	Â	J <u>(1)</u>	53.3357	A	\$ 33.1171	3,473.0389	I	Account for Son (3)
Common Stock	08/22/2005	Â	J <u>(1)</u>	52.3827	A	\$ 35.1722	3,525.4216	I	Account for Son (3)
Common Stock	11/21/2005	Â	J <u>(1)</u>	56.871	A	\$ 34.5264	3,582.2926	I	Account for Son

(3)

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)		ate	Secur	ınt of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. of D Se B O E Is Fi (In
					(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Keiationsnips							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
CHAPMAN GEORGE L								
ONE SEAGATE	ÂΧ	â	Chairman and CEO	â				
SUITE 1500	АЛ	А	A Chairman and CEO	А				
TOLEDO, OH 43604								

Signatures

By: Erin C. Ibele Attorney-in-Fact For: George L. 02/14/2006 Chapman

> **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) Dividend Reinvestment under the Amended and Restated Dividend Reinvestment and Stock Purchase Plan.
- (2) George L. Chapman III SSB IRA Rollover Custodian.
- (3) Account for son of George L. Chapman.

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