WELLCARE HEALTH PLANS, INC.

Form 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * TOWERBROOK INVESTORS L.P.			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			WELLCARE HEALTH PLANS, INC. [WCG]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last) 430 PARK AV	(First) VENUE	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/13/2006	Director X 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person			
NEW YORK, NY 10022				_X_Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I Non Daningtine Committee Acc				

(5)	(4)	Table 1 - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities A	Acquir	ed (A)	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of	
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction Disposed of (D)			Securities	Ownership	Indirect		
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(Instr. 3, 4 an	d 5)		Beneficially	Form:	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned	Direct (D)	Ownership	
							Following	or Indirect	(Instr. 4)	
					(A)		Reported	(I)		
					(A)		Transaction(s)	(Instr. 4)		
			Code V	A	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
			Code V	Amount	(D)					
Common Stock	03/13/2006		S	4,000,000	D	\$ 39.56	5,758,784	D (1)		

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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						Exercisable	Date	Title	Number		
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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
TOWERBROOK INVESTORS L.P. 430 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10022		X					
TCP GENERAL PARTNER L.P. 430 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10022		X					

Signatures

Jennifer Glassman, 03/13/2006 Attorney-in-Fact

**Signature of 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).

TowerBrook Investors L.P. (f/k/a Soros Private Equity Investors LP) ("TBI") is the record and beneficial owner of the shares. TCP General Partner L.P. (f/k/a SPEP General Partner LP) is the general partner of TBI and is an indirect beneficial owner of such shares. Reference is hereby made to the Form 4 filed April 25, 2005 with respect to the shares of the issuer held for the account of TBI, filed by SPEP General Partner LLC and discussing the name change.

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