HEALTHWAYS, INC Form 4 May 27, 2011

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** CIGARRAN THOMAS G			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HEALTHWAYS, INC [HWAY]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) 701 COOL S BOULEVAR	PRINGS	Middle)	3. Date of I (Month/Da 05/26/20	y/Year)	ran	saction			_X_ Director Officer (give below)	10%	Owner er (specify
FRANKLIN,	(Street) , TN 37067		4. If Amend Filed(Month	· ·		Original			6. Individual or J Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by Form filed by I Person		erson
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	I - Non-I)er	ivative S	ecurit	ies Acq	quired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Yea	r) Executi any	emed on Date, if /Day/Year)	3. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	tior)	4. SecurinAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	(A) o 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)
Restricted Stock Units	05/26/2011			A		3,119 (1)	A	\$0	6,645	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)

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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 on f 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 Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option to Buy	\$ 16.03	05/26/2011		A	5,509	05/26/2012(1)	05/26/2021	Common Stock	5,509

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Keiauonsinps					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		

CIGARRAN THOMAS G 701 COOL SPRINGS BOULEVARD X FRANKLIN, TN 37067

Signatures

/s/ Alfred Lumsdaine, by power of attorney for Thomas G.
Cigarran

05/27/2011

**Signature of Reporting Person

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- * 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) Options/restricted stock units vest 25% per year beginning on 05/26/2012.

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