ANTIN ARTHUR J Form 4/A November 26, 2012

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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See Instruction

1(b).

\$0.001 per share

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading ANTIN ARTHUR J Issuer Symbol VCA ANTECH INC [WOOF] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) _X__ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify C/O VCA ANTECH, INC., 12401 11/19/2012 below) WEST OLYMPIC BOULEVARD COO & Senior VP (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person 11/20/2012 Form filed by More than One Reporting LOS ANGELES,, CA 90064 Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative S	Securi	ties Acquir	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securitie for Disposed (Instr. 3, 4	d 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, par value \$0.001 per share	11/19/2012		M	210,000	A	\$ 7	675,078	D	
Common Stock, par value	11/19/2012		F	134,038	D	\$ 19.612	541,040	D	

(2)

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 Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7 <u>(3)</u>	11/19/2012		M	210,000	<u>(4)</u>	12/17/2012	Common Stock	210,00

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relation	ships	
and the second	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ANTIN ARTHUR J C/O VCA ANTECH, INC. 12401 WEST OLYMPIC BOULEVARD LOS ANGELES, CA 90064	X		COO & Senior VP	

Signatures

/s/ Arthur J.
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**Signature of Reporting Person

11/21/2012

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) Reflects the number of shares of common stock withheld by the issuer to fund the exercise of the employee stock options reported herein.
- (2) In the Form 4 originally filed 11/20/12, for which this Form 4 is an amendment, this price was erroneously reported as \$19.115 instead of
- (3) All shares amounts and per share prices have been adjusted to reflect a 100% stock dividend paid on August 25, 2004.
- (4) One-third of these options became exercisable on January 1, 2004, and the remaining options became exercisable in 24 equal monthly installments beginning February 1, 2004.

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