

Dickey John H
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Dickey John H

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 Hill-Rom Holdings, Inc. [HRC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 1069 STATE ROUTE 46 EAST
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 12/02/2008

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 Sr. V.P., Human Resources

BATESVILLE, IN 47006

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	12/02/2008		A	574 ⁽¹⁾	\$ 0	4,983	D
Common Stock	12/02/2008		F	180	\$ 19.39	4,803	D

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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- (3) Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security is 1-for-1.

Restricted Stock Units vest 50% on 12/3/2010, 25% on 12/3/2011 and 25% on 12/3/2012. Stock units will automatically be converted

- (4) into shares of common stock in accordance with the respective vesting schedule unless a previous deferral election has been made. Stock units are entitled to dividend equivalent rights, which accrue on dividend record dates.

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