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		Washington, D.C. 20549						
INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF						January 31, 2005		
	Section 17(a) of		Securities Exchange Act of 19 ng Company Act of 1935 or S		Estimated a burden hou response	average Irs per		
(Print or Type Respo	onses)							
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Brown R Barr		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)	<ul><li><sup>3</sup> 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</li><li>LHC Group, Inc [LHCG]</li></ul>					
(Last) (F	irst) (Middle)	06/08/2005	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				
420 WEST PINHOOK ROAD, SUITE A			(Check all applicable)	(				
(Street)			X Director 10% Owned	6. Individual or Joint/Group				
LAFAYETTE, LA 70503			XOfficerOther (give title below) (specify below) CFO, Senior V.P., Treasurer	Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City) (S	tate) (Zip)	Table I - N	Non-Derivative Securities Be	neficia	ally Owned	1		
1.Title of Security		2. Amount of	f Securities 3. 4. Na	ture of I	Indirect Benef	ficial		

1.Title of Security (Instr. 4)

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2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)

or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

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Ownership

Direct (D)

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Ownership

(Instr. 5)

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

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## Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	

						(Instr. 5)		
KEEP Units	(1)	$A^{(1)}$	Common Stock	258,000	\$ <u>(1)</u>	D	Â	
Reporting Owners								
Reporting Owner Name / Add	lress	ess Relationships						
	Directo	r 10% Owner	r Officer			Other		
Brown R Barr								
420 WEST PINHOOK RO SUITE A	X	Â	CFO,	, Senior V.P., Treasurer		Â		
LAFAYETTE, LA 705	03							
Signatures								
R. Barr Brown	06/08/2005							

<u>\*\*</u>Signature of Reporting Person Date

## **Explanation of Responses:**

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).

KEEP Units are awards granted under the issuer's Key Employee Equity Participation Plan, which represent the right to receive a cash or stock payment in the future, based on the future value of the issuer, subject to certain restrictions and to risk of forfeiture. The KEEP

(1) Stock payment in the future, based on the future value of the issuer, subject to certain restrictions and to fisk of forfeiture. The REEF Units will convert to shares of the issuer's common stock on a 1-for-1 basis upon completion of the initial public offering of the issuer's common stock.

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