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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** BORNE WILLIAM F			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	AMEDISYS INC [AMED] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
5959 S. SHER BLVD.	5959 S. SHERWOOD FOREST BLVD.		(Month/Day/Year) 04/01/2010	_X_ Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title _X_ Other (specify below) below) Chief Executive Officer / Chairman of the Board		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)		
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BATON ROUGE, LA 70816

(State)

(Zip)

(City)

Table I - Non-Derivative	Committee A coming	d Disposed of a	n Donoficially Owned
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		Tabl	ie 1 - Moii-1	Jerivative	Secur	iues Acqu	nrea, Disposea oi	, or benefician	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)				5. Amount of 6. Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Direct Owned (D) or Following Indirect (I) Reported (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code V	Amount	or	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	04/01/2010		M	9,124	A	<u>(2)</u>	158,318	D	
Common Stock	04/01/2010		F	2,281	D	\$ 56.99	156,037	D	
Common Stock	04/01/2010		A	13,160	A	\$ 0	169,197 <u>(4)</u>	D	
Common Stock	04/01/2010		F	556	D	\$ 56.99	168,641	D	
Common Stock	04/01/2010		A	1,755	A	\$ 0	170,396 (4)	D	

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Common Stock	19,130	I	Through 401(k)
Common Stock	15,000 (1)	I	By Spouse
Common Stock	15,000 (1)	I	By William F. Borne Family Trust
Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities benefi	cially owned directly or indirectly.		
	Persons who respond to the colle	ction of	SEC 1474

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 Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,	6. Date Exerc Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities	8. P. Deri Secu (Ins
				Code V	and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Unit	(2)	04/01/2010		M	9,124	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	9,124	:

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
reporting Owner Futuress	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
BORNE WILLIAM F 5959 S. SHERWOOD FOREST BLVD. BATON ROUGE, LA 70816	X		Chief Executive Officer	Chairman of the Board		
Signatures						
/S/ Celeste R. Peiffer on behalf of William F. Borne pursuant to a Power of Attorney				04/05/2010		

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**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) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities. This report shall not be deemed an admission of beneifcial ownership of these securities, for purposes of Section 16 or for other purposes.
- (2) Each Restricted Stock Unit represents a contingent right to recieve one share of the issuer's Common Stock.
 - On April 1, 2009, the reporting person was awarded Restricted Stock Units that vest in three equal annual installments on April 1, 2010,
- (3) April 1, 2011 and April 1, 2012, assuming the reporting person remains continusly employed by the issuer from the grant date until the applicable vesting date. Upon vesting, each Restricted Stock Unit is settled by delivery of the underlying shares of Common Stock.
- (4) The shares granted are subject to time-based vesting conditions and will vest in equal, one-third installments on April 1, 2011, April 1, 2012 and April 1, 2013, provided that the reporting person is still employed by the issuer on each such date.

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