CURATIVE HEALTH SERVICES INC

[X] Director

Form 5 February 14, 2002

U.S. SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, DC 20549

FORM 5

	ANNUAL STATE	EMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFIC	IAL OWNERSHIP					
	Section 17(a) of the	on 16(a) of the Securities Public Utility Holding Cor of the Investment Company	mpany Act of 1935 or					
[_]	Check box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction $1(b)$.							
[_]	Form 3 Holdings Reported							
[_]	Form 4 Transactions Re	ported						
1.	Name and Address of Re	eporting Person*						
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	 (Last)	(First)	(Middle)					
	150 Motor Parkway							
		(Street)						
	Hauppauge	New York	11788					
	(City)	(State)	(Zip)					
2.	Issuer Name and Ticker	or Trading Symbol						
	Curative Health Servic	ces, Inc. (Cure)						
3.	IRS Identification Num	nber of Reporting Person, i	f an Entity (Voluntary)					
4.	Statement for Month/Ye	ear						
	December 2001							
5.	If Amendment, Date of	Original (Month/Year)						
6.	Relationship of Report (Check all applicable)	-						

[_] 10% Owner

[_] Officer (give title below	7) [_]	Other (speci	fy below)			
7. Individual or Joint/Group Fili (Check applicable line)	ng			_		
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Table I Non-Derivativ or Ben	=					
			4. Securities Acq Disposed of (D (Instr. 3, 4 a.)	(A) or	
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	<pre>2. Transaction Date (mm/dd/yy)</pre>	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	
* If the form is filed by more t 4(b)(v).						

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially

(Print or Type Responses)

owned directly or indirectly.

(Over)

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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	2. Conversion or Exercise 3. Price Transof action Deriv Date ative (Month/ Secur Day/	Trans- action	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)				7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Derivative								or Number	
Security						_		of	
(Instr. 3)	ity		8)		(D)	cisable	Date	Title	Shares
Non-Qualified Option	8.68	8/24/01	А	15.00	n	(1)	8/24/11	Common Stock	15,000
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Explanation of Responses: (1) Non-Qualified Stock Options granted pursuant to Curative Health Services, Inc. 2001 Broad-Based Stock Incentive Plan. Options shall become exercisable with respect to one third of the shares on the first day of the month following the one year anniversary and thereafter shall become exercisable with respect to the balance of the shares in equal monthly installments on the last date of each of the eight successive (3) month periods following the exercisability date.

/s/ John C. Prior February 14, 2002

John C. Prior Date
(Attorney In Fact)

(Attorney In Fact)
**Signature of Reporting Person

** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations.

See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

Note: File three copies of this form, one of which must be manually signed. If space provided is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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