

VCA ANTECH INC
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FORM 4

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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 *
 ANTIN ROBERT L

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O VCA ANTECH, INC., 12401
 WEST OLYMPIC BOULEVARD

(Street)

LOS ANGELES, CA 90064

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 VCA ANTECH INC [WOOF]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 08/30/2006

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
 CEO, President & Chairman

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	08/30/2006		S		1,034	D	\$ 35.6 1,722,926
Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	08/30/2006		S		200	D	\$ 35.62 1,722,726
Common Stock, par	08/30/2006		S		966	D	\$ 35.67 1,721,760

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value \$0.001 per share							
Common Stock, par value	08/30/2006	S	5,900	D	\$ 35.7	1,715,860	D
\$0.001 per share							
Common Stock, par value	08/30/2006	S	300	D	\$ 35.71	1,715,560	D
\$0.001 per share							
Common Stock, par value	08/30/2006	S	600	D	\$ 35.72	1,714,960	D
\$0.001 per share							
Common Stock, par value	08/30/2006	S	1,000	D	\$ 35.95	1,713,960	D
\$0.001 per share							
Common Stock, par value	08/31/2006	S	3,291	D	\$ 35.49	1,710,669	D
\$0.001 per share							
Common Stock, par value	09/01/2006	S	8,996	D	\$ 35.4	1,701,673	D
\$0.001 per share							
Common Stock, par value	09/01/2006	S	1,000	D	\$ 35.41	1,700,673	D
\$0.001 per share							
Common Stock, par value	09/01/2006	S	1,466	D	\$ 35.43	1,699,207	D
\$0.001 per share							
Common Stock, par value	09/01/2006	S	300	D	\$ 35.44	1,698,907	D

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\$0.001 per share								
Common Stock, par value	09/01/2006	S	10,100	D	\$ 35.45	1,688,807	D	
\$0.001 per share								
Common Stock, par value	09/01/2006	S	838	D	\$ 35.46	1,687,969	D	
\$0.001 per share								
Common Stock, par value	09/01/2006	S	100	D	\$ 35.47	1,687,869	D	
\$0.001 per share								
Common Stock, par value	09/01/2006	S	800	D	\$ 35.48	1,687,069	D	
\$0.001 per share								
Common Stock, par value	09/01/2006	S	100	D	\$ 35.49	1,686,969	D	
\$0.001 per share								
Common Stock, par value	09/01/2006	S	1,300	D	\$ 35.5	1,685,669	D	
\$0.001 per share								

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo
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Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ANTIN ROBERT L C/O VCA ANTECH, INC. 12401 WEST OLYMPIC BOULEVARD LOS ANGELES, CA 90064	X		CEO, President & Chairman	

Signatures

/s/ Robert L.
 Antin 09/01/2006

**Signature of Reporting Person 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).

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