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FULLER TOMAS W

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **FULLER TOMAS W**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

VCA ANTECH INC [WOOF]

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

11/19/2012

(Check all applicable) 10% Owner

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

(First)

(Middle)

X_ Officer (give title _ Other (specify below) below) CFO, VP & Secretary

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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

Applicable Line)

Director

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

LOS ANGELES, CA 90064

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative S	Securi	ties Acquii	ed, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) corr Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or			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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	11/19/2012		Code V M	Amount 170,000	(D)	Price	318,990	D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	11/19/2012		F	77,086 (1)	D	\$ 19.185	241,904	D	

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration I (Month/Day r	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7 <u>(2)</u>	11/19/2012		M	170,000	<u>(3)</u>	12/17/2012	Common Stock	170,00	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

FULLER TOMAS W C/O VCA ANTECH, INC. 12401 WEST OLYMPIC BOULEVARD LOS ANGELES, CA 90064

CFO, VP & Secretary

Signatures

/s/ Tomas W.
Fuller

**Signature of Date

_Signature of Reporting Person

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).
- (1) Reflects the number of shares of common stock surrendered by the Reporting Person or withheld by the issuer to fund the exercise of the employee stock options reported herein.
- (2) All share amounts and per share prices have been adjusted to reflect a 100% stock dividend paid on August 25, 2004.
- (3) One-third of these options became exercisable on January 1, 2004, and the remaining options became exercisable in 24 equal monthly installments beginning February 24, 2004.

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