FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, [D.C. 20549
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Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

9,195

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(A) or (D)

A

Amount

8,760

Price

\$0

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* CROSS COUNTRY HEALTHCARE INC (Check all applicable) SCHUTTE LORI ANN Director CCRN] Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) President, Cejka Search 06/01/2009 12624 WATERFORD PLACE COURT 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable (Street) Line) ST. LOUIS, 63131 Form filed by One Reporting Person MO Form filed by More than One Reporting (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 5. Amount of 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Execution Date Transaction Securitie (Month/Day/Year) Beneficially if any Code (Instr. 8) Owned Following (Month/Day/Year) (I) (Instr. 4) Ownership (Instr. 4)

	(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. Transa Code (8)				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Stock Appreciation	\$8.56	06/01/2009		A		15,000		(1)	06/01/2016	Common Stock	15,000	\$0	19,100	D	

Code

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Explanation of Responses:

Common Stock

1. The stock appreciation rights vest in four equal annual installments beginning on June 1, 2010.

Remarks:

Lori Schutte 06/02/2009

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- * 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).

06/01/2009

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