### FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Typ	e Responses	)																	
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * ZIC ROBERT				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FEMALE HEALTH CO [FHCO]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner						
(Last) (First) (Middle) THE FEMALE HEALTH COMPANY, 515 NORTH STATE STREET, SUITE 2225					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/02/2004								X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)  Principal Accounting Officer						
(Street)					4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
CHICAGO, IL 60610 (City) (State) (Zip)				Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acou									nired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned						
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if			3. Trai	nsacti	•				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)				6. Ownership Form:	7. Nature of Indire Benefici	
				(Month/Day/Year)		Cod	le	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)				Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)			
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share			01/02/2004				М	[	1	10,000	A	\$ 1.40	10,0	00	00				
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share			02/12/2004				S		1	,000	D	\$ 3.40	9,00	0			D		
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per shares			02/13/2004				S		3	3,500	D	\$ 3.37	5,50	0			D		
Reminder: R	Report on a se	eparate line for each	Table II -	Derivati	ive S	secur	ities Acqı	P in d	erson this isplay	s who form and some second sec	re not re rrently v	equired alid O	d to re	espond ontrol n	unless the	ion contain form	ned SEC	2 1474 (9-0	
Derivative Security	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		5. Nof E Secondary Acquired of (I	Jumber Derivative purities puired (A) Disposed D) tr. 3, 4,	6. Date Exe Expiration I (Month/Day		ercisabl Date	Date		7. Title and Amou of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)			9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction	Owners Form of Derivat Security Direct ( or Indirects)	Ownersh (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exe		Expir e Date	ation	Title		Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)	(Instr.	4)	
	\$ 1.40	01/02/2004		М			10,000		(1)	04/2	2/2013	Comi		10,000	\$ 0	87,000	D		
Stock Option  Report				M			10,000			04/2	2/2013			10,000	\$ 0	87,000	D		

## Signatures

CHICAGO, IL 60610

ZIC ROBERT

James M. Bedore, Attorney-in-fact	02/23/2004
Signature of Reporting Person	Date

Reporting Owner Name / Address

515 NORTH STATE STREET, SUITE 2225

THE FEMALE HEALTH COMPANY

10%

Owner

Officer

Principal Accounting Officer

Other

Director

### **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) Options with respect to one thirty-sixth of the underlying shares become exercisable on the first day of each month commencing May 1, 2003 and ending on April 1, 2006.

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