# FORM 4

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

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(Print or Ty	pe Response	s)															
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* LEEPER MARY ANN				2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol FEMALE HEALTH CO [FHCO]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  X Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O THE FEMALE HEALTH COMPANY, 515 NORTH STATE STREET, SUITE 2225				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/05/2005							y/Year)	X_ Office	Pres & C	ow) Chief Operati	Other (specify Ing Officer	pelow)	
(Street) CHICAGO, IL 60610				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)							n/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting PersonForm filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City) (State) (Zip)				Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acqui							Securities	ired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned					
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Dany (Month/Day/			Cod (Inst		v	4. Securities Acqu (A) or Disposed or (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)  Amount (A) or (D) I		of (D)	Beneficia Reported	Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)  Ownership Form: Beneficially Owned Following Form: Ownership Form: Ownership Form: Ownership Form: Ownership Form: Ownership Form: Ownership Form:		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share 01/05/2005					,	S		28,00		\$ 1.70	188,900		D				
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/	Execution Da	ate, if T	Code	tion)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		Ame Und Sect	itle and ount of lerlying urities tr. 3 and	Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Owners Form of Derivati Security Direct ( or Indire	Beneficia Ownershi (Instr. 4)	
					Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exer	cisable	Expiration Date	n Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

### **Reporting Owners**

	Relationships							
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
LEEPER MARY ANN C/O THE FEMALE HEALTH COMPANY 515 NORTH STATE STREET, SUITE 2225 CHICAGO, IL 60610	X		Pres & Chief Operating Officer					

## Signatures

James M. Bedore, Attorney-in-fact	01/05/2005
-*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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