# 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 * DEARHOLT STEPHEN M				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FEMALE HEALTH CO [FHC]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) _X_ Director _X_ 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 36365 TRAIL RIDGE ROAD				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/12/2008						Office	er (give title belo	ow)	Other (specify	below)		
(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					
		RINGS, CO														
(City	)	(State)	(Zip)		1	able l	l - Noi	n-Der	ivative	Securities	Acqu	ired, Disp	osed of, or I	Beneficially	Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, i any (Month/Day/Year		f Code (Instr. 8)		ction	4. Securities Acqu (A) or Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		of (D) Beneficia		nt of Securities ally Owned Following Transaction(s) and 4)		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
						(	Code	V	Amour	(A) or (D)	Price	rice			or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
	Common Stock, par value 09/12/2008 \$.01 per share						P		2,000	A	\$ 3.15	28,500	28,500			Note (1)
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share										1,574,400			D			
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share											69,500			Ι	Note (2)	
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share											275,820	275,820		Ι	Note (3)	
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share											418,100			Ι	Note (4)	
Reminder:	Report on a	separate line fo	or each class of secur	rities bene	ficially o	owned					nd to	the colle	ction of inf	ormation	SEG	C 1474 (9-02)
								cont	ained i	n this for	m are	e not requ	uired to res	spond unle	ess	,
			Table II - I							of, or Ben		lly Owned				
	2. 3. Transaction Date Or Exercise Price of Derivative Security  3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/		n 3A. Deemed Execution Da	te, if Tra	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5.		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	Owner Form of Deriva Securi Direct or Indi	of Beneficial Ownersh (Instr. 4)  (D) rect
				Co	ode V	(A)	(D)	Date Exer	e rcisable	Expiration Date	n Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

## **Reporting Owners**

	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
DEARHOLT STEPHEN M 36365 TRAIL RIDGE ROAD STEAMBOAT SPRINGS, CO 80488	X	X				

#### **Signatures**

James M. Bedore, Attorney-in-fact	09/15/2008		
**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).
- (1) Shares are held by the reporting person's self-directed IRA.
- (2) Shares are held by a profit sharing plan, of which the reporting person is a beneficiary.
- (3) Shares are held by a trust, of which the reporting person is a trustee.
- (4) Shares are held by a trust, of which the reporting person is a trustee.

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