FETTER TREVOR

Form 4

February 27, 2012

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * FETTER TREVOR			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol TENET HEALTHCARE CORP [THC]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
(Last) 1445 ROSS A	(First) VENUE, SU	(Middle) JITE 1400	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/23/2012	_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) CEO and President
	(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
DALLAS, TX	75202			Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-I	Perivative Se	ecuriti	ies Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securitie or(A) or Disp (Instr. 3, 4	osed on and 5)	of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	,	
Stock (1)	02/23/2012		A	117,753	A	\$ 0 \$	1,698,518	D	

Common Stock	02/23/2012	F	48,809	D		1,649,709	D
Common Stock (3)	02/23/2012	A	117,753	A	\$ 0	1,767,462	D
Common Stock	02/23/2012	F	48,809	D	\$ 5.62 (2)	1,718,653	D

10,200 By Spouse Common Stock

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. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Securities Code Acquired (A) or (Instr. 8) Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title Underly (Instr. 3	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
2011 February Performance-Based Restricted Units	<u>(1)</u>	02/23/2012		A	235,508		(1)	<u>(1)</u>	Comn
2011 February Restricted Stock Units	(3)	02/23/2012		D		117,753	(3)	(3)	Comn

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Keiauonsnips						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
FETTER TREVOR							
1445 ROSS AVENUE	X		CEO and President				
SUITE 1400	Λ		CEO and Freshdent				
DALLAS, TX 75202							

Signatures

/s/ Paul A. Castanon, Attorney-in-Fact for Trevor 02/27/2012 Fetter **Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- 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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(1) (TF1) As previously reported, on February 23, 2011, the reporting person received a grant of 353,261 performance restricted units that were subject to the issuer's attainment of a specified one-year performance metric for the year then-ending December 31, 2011. The performance metric was met; therefore, these restricted units vest ratably on each of the first, second and third anniversaries of the date of grant. The first anniversary of this grant occurred on February 23, 2012, resulting in the vesting and settlement of 117,753 shares of

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- common stock, as shown in Table I. The remaining 235,508 performance restricted units, which are scheduled to vest in equal amounts on February 23, 2013 and 2014, are shown in Table II. Restricted units are settled in shares of the issuer's common stock upon vesting.
- (2) Shares withheld for payment of taxes upon vesting of restricted units in accordance with Rule 16b-3.
 - (TF3) As previously reported, on February 23, 2011, the reporting person received a grant of 353,261 restricted units that vest ratably on each of the first, second and third anniversaries of the date of grant. The first anniversary of this grant occurred on February 23, 2012,
- (3) resulting in the vesting and settlement of 117,753 shares of common stock as shown in Table I and Table II. The remaining 235,508 restricted units, as shown in Table II, are scheduled to vest in equal amounts on February 23, 2013 and 2014. Restricted units are settled in shares of the issuer's common stock upon vesting.

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