VCA ANTECH INC

Form 4

August 14, 2007

### FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* **TAUBER NEIL** 

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

VCA ANTECH INC [WOOF]

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

Director

10% Owner Other (specify

C/O VCA ANTECH, INC., 12401

08/13/2007

X\_ Officer (give title below) below) Senior VP

WEST OLYMPIC BOULEVARD

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

LOS ANGELES, CA 90064

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secui	rities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, 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. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)		ed 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)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	08/13/2007		M	900	A	\$ 7	30,900	D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	08/13/2007		S	100	D	\$ 40.15	30,800	D	
Common Stock, par	08/13/2007		S	680	D	\$ 40.13	30,120	D	

value \$0.001 per share							
Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	08/13/2007	S	100	D	\$ 40.06	30,020	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	08/13/2007	S	20	D	\$ 40.04	30,000	D

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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	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	4. Transacti Code	5. Number on f Derivative	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities	
(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7 <u>(1)</u>	08/13/2007		M	900	<u>(2)</u>	12/17/2012	Common Stock	900

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
			Senior VP				

Reporting Owners 2 TAUBER NEIL C/O VCA ANTECH, INC. 12401 WEST OLYMPIC BOULEVARD LOS ANGELES, CA 90064

#### **Signatures**

/s/ Neil Tauber 08/14/2007

\*\*Signature of Date
Reporting Person

# **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) All shares amounts and per share prices have been adjusted to reflect a 100% stock dividend paid on August 25, 2004.
- One-third of these options became exercisable on January 1, 2004, and the remaining options became exercisable in 24 equal monthly installments beginning February 1, 2004.

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