HMS HOLDINGS CORP

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * STOWE RICHARD H | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | | |
|---|----------|-----|---|--|--|--|
| (Last) | | | HMS HOLDINGS CORP [HMSY] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction | (Check all applicable) | | |
| 401 PARK AVENUE SOUTH | | UTH | (Month/Day/Year) 11/30/2007 | _X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) | | |
| | (Street) | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check | | |
| | | | Filed(Month/Day/Year) | Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person | | |
| NEW YORK, NY 10016 | | | | Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | |

| (City) | (State) | (Zip) Tab | le I - Non- | Derivative | Secui | rities Acq | uired, Disposed | of, or Benefici | ially 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. Securit or(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, | sposed 4 and 5 (A) | of (D) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| | | | Code V | Amount | or (D) | Price | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | |
| Common Stock | 11/30/2007 | | M | 54,000 | A | \$ 1.07 | 101,312 | D | |
| Common Stock | 11/30/2007 | | S | 54,000 | D | \$ 31.09 | 47,312 | D | |
| Common Stock | 11/30/2007 | | M | 750 | A | \$ 1.5 | 48,062 | D | |
| Common Stock | 11/30/2007 | | S | 750 | D | \$ 31.09 | 47,312 | D | |
| Common Stock | 11/30/2007 | | M | 750 | A | \$ 4.22 | 48,062 | D | |
| | 11/30/2007 | | S | 750 | D | | 47,312 | D | |

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| Common Stock | | | | | \$ 31.09 | | | |
|-----------------|------------|--------------|--------|---|-------------|--------|---|--|
| Common Stock | 11/30/2007 | M | 575 | A | \$ 6.44 | 47,887 | D | |
| Common Stock | 11/30/2007 | S | 575 | D | \$ 31.09 | 47,312 | D | |
| Common Stock | 12/03/2007 | M | 3,175 | A | \$ 6.44 | 50,847 | D | |
| Common Stock | 12/03/2007 | S | 3,175 | D | \$ 30.58 | 47,312 | D | |
| Common Stock | 12/03/2007 | M | 750 | A | \$ 7 | 48,062 | D | |
| Common Stock | 12/03/2007 | S | 750 | D | \$ 30.58 | 47,312 | D | |
| Common Stock | 12/03/2007 | G <u>(1)</u> | 47,312 | D | (1) | 47,312 | I | Held by Stowe Family Foundation |

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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 $\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$

| 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of iorDerivative Securities (Month/Day/Year) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | | 7. Title and Ar Underlying Se (Instr. 3 and 4) | |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|--|------------------|--------------------|--|--|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title G | |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 1.07 | 11/30/2007 | | M | 54,000 | 12/15/2001 | 12/15/2010 | Common Stock | |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 1.5 | 11/30/2007 | | M | 750 | 10/31/2000(3) | 10/31/2010 | Common Stock | |

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| Non-Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 4.22 | 11/30/2007 | M | 750 | 10/29/1999(3) | 10/29/2009 | Common Stock |
|---|---------|------------|---|-------|---------------|------------|-----------------|
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 6.44 | 11/30/2007 | M | 575 | 11/13/1998(4) | 11/13/2008 | Common Stock |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 6.44 | 12/03/2007 | M | 3,175 | 11/13/1998(4) | 11/13/2008 | Common Stock |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 7 | 12/03/2007 | M | 750 | 10/30/1998(3) | 10/30/2008 | Common Stock |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
| Treporting of the France of th | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| STOWE RICHARD H 401 PARK AVENUE SOUTH NEW YORK, NY 10016 | X | | | | | | |

Signatures

Walter D. Hosp for Richard H. Stowe by Power of Attorney dated December 5, 2007

12/05/2007

**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) The shares to which this note relates corresponds to a bona fide gift made to the Stowe Family Foundation.
- (2) Only represents the derivative securities of this class.
- (3) Date shown is the date of grant of option. Stock option vests in 1/4 increments over a 3 year period commencing on the grant date.
- (4) Date shown is the date of grant of option. Stock option vests in 1/3 increments over a period of 4 years commencing on the first anniversary of the grant date.

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