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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Fraser Cathy			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 AV	(First) VENUE, SU	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/25/2011	Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Senior Vice President
DALLAS, TX	(Street) 75202		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
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acq	uired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owne

(City)	(State) (2	Zip) Table	I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ities Acc	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficial	lly 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)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	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	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock (1)	02/25/2011		A	9,300	A	\$0	68,104	D	
Common Stock	02/25/2011		F	2,599	D	\$ 7.07 (2)	65,505	D	
Common Stock (3)	02/25/2011		A	9,300	A	\$0	74,805	D	
Common Stock	02/25/2011		F	2,598	D	\$ 7.07 (2)	72,207	D	

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of ionDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title a Underlyi (Instr. 3
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
2010 February Restricted Units	(3)	02/25/2011		D		9,300	(3)	<u>(3)</u>	Comm Stocl
2010 February Performance-Based Restricted Units	(1)	02/25/2011		A	18,602		<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Comm Stocl
2010 February Performance Based Stock Option (Right	\$ 5.03 (4)	02/25/2011		A	16,164		<u>(4)</u>	02/25/2020	Comm Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Fraser Cathy 1445 ROSS AVENUE SUITE 1400 DALLAS, TX 75202

Senior Vice President

Signatures

to Buy)

/s/ Kristina A. Mack, Attorney-in-Fact for Cathy
Fraser 03/01/2011

**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) (CF1) As previously reported, on February 25, 2010, the reporting person received a grant of 27,902 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, 2010. The

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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 occurred on February 25, 2011, resulting in the vesting and settlement of 9,300 shares of common stock, as shown in Table I. The remaining 18,602 performance restricted units, which will vest in equal amounts on February 25, 2012 and 2013, 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.
 - (CF3) As previously reported, on February 25, 2010, the reporting person received a grant of 27,902 restricted units that vest ratably on each of the first, second and third anniversaries of the date of grant. The first anniversary occurred on February 25, 2011, resulting in the
- (3) vesting and settlement of 9,300 shares of common stock as shown in Table II and Table II. The remaining 18,602 restricted units, as shown in Table II, will vest in equal amounts on February 25, 2012 and 2013. Restricted units are settled in shares of the issuer's common stock upon vesting.
 - (CF4) As previously reported, on February 25, 2010, the reporting person received a grant of 16,164 performance stock options that were subject to the issuer's attainment of a specified one-year performance metric for the year then-ending December 31, 2010. The
- (4) performance metric was met; therefore, these options vest ratably on each of the first, second and third anniversaries of the date of grant. The performance stock options were granted with an exercise price of \$5.03, the closing price of the issuer's common stock on the date of grant.

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