TENET HEALTHCARE CORP

Form 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **UNRUH JAMES A**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

TENET HEALTHCARE CORP

(Check all applicable)

[THC]

(Last)

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X_ Director

10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title

3820 STATE STREET

10/28/2004

(Month/Day/Year)

below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

SANTA BARBARA, CA 93105

(Street)

(State)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

(City)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

4. Securities 3. TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)

(Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially

Owned

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial

Ownership (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Following Reported (A) Transaction(s)

or Code V Amount (D) Price

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

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

Conversion

or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any

5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (or Dispose (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	d of				
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
2004 October Director Deferred Stock Units	\$ 0	10/28/2004		A	12,195		<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	12,195
June Director Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 12.64						06/24/2004	06/24/2014	Common Stock	41,139
Stock Units (2)	\$ 0						<u>(3)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	596

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
UNRUH JAMES A 3820 STATE STREET SANTA BARBARA, CA 93105	X					

Signatures

/s/ Unruh, James
A. 11/01/2004

**Signature of Pate 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) These deferred stock units vest ratably on each of the first, second and third anniversaries of the date of grant or become fully vested upon termination of service, whichever occurs first, and are settled in shares of the Company's common stock only upon termination of service.
- (2) These Stock Units were accrued under the Company's Deferred Compensation Plan.
- (3) Stock Units are settled in shares of the Company's common stock upon termination of service.

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