HCA INC/TN Form 8-K November 15, 2005

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 FORM 8-K CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of The Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): November 15, 2005 (November 10, 2005) **HCA INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 001-11239 75-2497104

(State or other jurisdiction of (Commission File Number) (I.R.S. Employer

incorporation)

(Address of principal executive offices)

Identification No.)

(Zip Code)

One Park Plaza, Nashville, Tennessee 37203

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (615) 344-9551

Not Applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (*see* General Instruction A.2. below):

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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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On November 10, 2005, Charles Conrardy filed a shareholder derivative action on behalf of HCA Inc. (the Company) in the United States District Court, Middle District of Tennessee, Nashville Division, against certain of the Company s directors and executive officers. The complaint asserts breach of fiduciary duty and other claims based, among other things, upon the allegations contained in the class action lawsuit previously disclosed and other matters. The complaint seeks monetary damages against the individual defendants and other relief.

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

HCA INC.

By: /s/ R. Milton Johnson
R. Milton Johnson
Executive Vice President and Chief Financial
Officer

Date: November 15, 2005