MCCAW ROBERTA L

Form 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading MCCAW ROBERTA L Issuer Symbol MATRIA HEALTHCARE INC (Check all applicable) [MATR] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) 1850 PARKWAY PLACE 10/24/2006 SVP & Secretary (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 Form filed by More than One Reporting MARIETTA, GA 30067 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I. Non-Derivative Securities Acquired Disposed of or Reneficially Ox

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1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securi	ties A	cquired	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	n(A) or D	ispose	d of (D)	Securities	Ownership	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(Instr. 3,	4 and	5)	Beneficially	Form: Direct	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned	(D) or	Ownership
							Following	Indirect (I)	(Instr. 4)
					()		Reported	(Instr. 4)	
					(A)		Transaction(s)		
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock (1)	10/24/2006		A V	375	A	\$ 18.77	19,678	D	

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)

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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. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option (right to buy)	\$ 12.37	02/19/2002		J	2,356	02/19/2006	02/19/2012	Common Stock	2,356
Option (right to buy) (2)	\$ 5.84	03/12/2003		J	6,212	03/12/2008	03/12/2013	Common Stock	6,212
Option (right to buy) (3)	\$ 13.58	02/15/2006		J	15,185	12/18/2008	12/18/2013	Common Stock	2,439
Option (right to buy) (4)	\$ 16.79	02/16/2006		J	7,199	08/11/2009	08/11/2014	Common Stock	1,801
Option (right to buy) (5)	\$ 29.97	06/08/2005		J	9,000	06/08/2010	06/08/2015	Common Stock	9,000
Option (right to buy) (6)	\$ 34.67	11/08/2005		J	15,000	11/08/2008	11/08/2015	Common Stock	15,000

Reporting Owners

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

MCCAW ROBERTA L 1850 PARKWAY PLACE MARIETTA, GA 30067

SVP & Secretary

Signatures

Roberta L. 10/26/2006 McCaw

**Signature of Date

Reporting Person

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- * 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) Purchased pursuant to Employee Stock Purchase Plan for quarter ended 09/30/2006.
- (2) Granted on 03/12/2003 and vests 20% per annum thereafter.
- (3) Granted on 12/18/2003 and vests 20% per annum thereafter.
- (4) Granted on 08/11/2004 and vests 20% per annum thereafter.
- (5) Granted on 06/08/2005 and vests 20% per annum thereafter.
- (6) Granted on 11/08/2005 and vests 33 1/3% per annum thereafter.

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