FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* MEDEL ROGER MD						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PEDIATRIX MEDICAL GROUP INC PDX							OX Ch	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner					
(Last) 1301 CC	(F ONCORD T	irst) ERRACE	, , ,				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/02/2004							X Officer (give title Other (specify below) PRES. & CHIEF EXEC. OFFICER					
(Street) SUNRIS (City)		L State)	33323-2825 (Zip)				4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						Line	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Ta	ble I - No	on-Dei	rivativ	ve S	ecuri	ities Acc	quired	I, Dis	sposed of	or Ber	neficiall	y Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transact Date (Month/Day				saction	2A. Deemed Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) of		(A) or	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of ndirect Beneficial Ownership			
									Code V		Amount	(A) or (D)	A) or Price		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		1	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 03/02/2					2/2004	2004 03/03/2004 ⁽¹⁾		M		10,000	A	\$7.5	10,	,000)			
Common Stock 03/02/2					2/2004	004 03/03/2004 ⁽¹⁾		S ⁽²⁾		10,000	D	\$62.910)7 ()	Ι)			
Common Stock 03/03/2					3/200	2004 03/03/2004 ⁽¹⁾		M		7,635	A	\$7.5	7,6	535	Ι				
Common Stock 03/03/2					3/2004	2004 03/03/2004 ⁽¹⁾		S ⁽²⁾		7,635	D	\$60.928	36)	D				
Common Stock														24	40]	[BY CHILD	
			Table II								osed of, convertib			Owned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	ate, Transa Code (6. Date Exerc Expiration D (Month/Day/		ate	7. Title an of Securit Underlyin Derivative (Instr. 3 a	g Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio	Ow For Dire or I (I) (0. Ownership form: Direct (D) Ir Indirect () (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	sable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)	S.1(3)			
Stock Option	\$7.5	03/02/2004	03/03/20	004 ⁽¹⁾	М			10,000 ⁽³⁾	10/25/	1995	10/25/2004	Common Stock	10,000	\$0	7,635		D		
Stock	\$7.5	03/03/2004	03/03/20	004 ⁽¹⁾	1) M			7,635 ⁽³⁾	10/25/	1995	10/25/2004	Common	7,635	\$0	0		D		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. This transaction was executed pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan. Broker notified the reporting person of the transactions on March 3, 2004, the deemed execution date.
- 2. This sale has been executed pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person effective February 9, 2004.
- 3. Options granted pursuant to the Company's Amended and Restated Stock Option Plan. Options became exercisable on October 25, 1995.

THOMAS W. HAWKINS

03/05/2004

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- * 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).

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