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1(b). (Print or Type Re	esponses)								
	dress of Reporting I ANO FRANK J		2. Issuer Name and Symbol KINDRED HEA [KND]			-	5. Relationship of Issuer (Check	Reporting Pers	
(Last) 680 SOUTH	(First) (M FOURTH STRE		3. Date of Earliest Transaction					er (specify	
LOUISVILL	(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reportin Form filed by More than Or Person				one Reporting Pe	rson			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-l	Derivative	Securi	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned
	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deem Execution any (Month/Da	Date, if Transacti Code ay/Year) (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	sposed	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	07/22/2005		F	2,778	D	\$ 38.31	65,521 <u>(1)</u>	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)

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Amou Unde Secur	le and unt of rlying tities . 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secu Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
BATTAFARANO FRANK J 680 SOUTH FOURTH STREET LOUISVILLE, KY 40202			Exec VP & Pres, Hospi Div	-			

Signatures

Frank J.	
Battafarano	07/25/2005

<u>**</u>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) This reporting person also indirectly owns fifty shares of common stock held jointly with his mother.

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