United States Securities and Exchange Commission
Washington, D.C. 20549

Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership
Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934
or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person

PARRISH O B

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

FEMALE HEALTH CO [ FHCO ]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

04/22/2003

4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

X Director

Chairman/Chief Exec. Officer

Officer (give title below)

Other (specify below)

10% Owner

Chairman/Chief Exec. Officer

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

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<th>1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)</th>
<th>2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)</th>
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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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Explanation of Responses:
1. Options for one thirty-sixth of the shares vest on the 22nd of each month for the 36-month period commencing on April 22, 2003 and ending on April 22, 2006.

/s/ O.B. Parrish          06/30/2003

** 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).


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