STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

Schulte Mark J Form 4 November 10, 2010

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Schulte Mark J			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Brookdale Senior Living Inc. [BKD]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
								(Check all applicable)				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 330 NORTH WABASH AVENUE, SUITE 1400			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/08/2010					_X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)				
	(Street) 4. If				ate Origin	al	(6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
CHICAGO		Filed(Month/Day/Year)					Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Own										
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			4. Securionor Dispo (Instr. 3,	sed of 4 and (A) or	Price	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. 7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Form: Beneficial Direct (D) Ownership or Indirect (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)			
Common Stock	11/08/2010			S(1)	2,500	D	\$ 20.2028 (2)	206,713	D			
Common Stock								240,000	I	By GRAT		

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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						Exercisable	Date		Number		
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				Coue v	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address 10% Owner Officer Other Director Schulte Mark J X

330 NORTH WABASH AVENUE **SUITE 1400** CHICAGO, IL 60611



Signatures

/s/ Chad C. White, By Power of 11/10/2010 Attorney

> **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) These sales were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on May 20, 2010.

This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$20.12 to \$20.37. The price reported above reflects the weighted (2) average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request by the staff of the Securities and Exchange

Commission, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

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