

ARV ASSISTED LIVING INC
 Form 3
 May 14, 2001

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 FORM 3

U.S. SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
 WASHINGTON, DC 20549

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934
 Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935
 or Section 30(f) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement	4. Issuer Name and Ticker Trading Symbol
ALARCON MICHELLE ----- (Last) (First) (Middle)	April 20, 2001	ARV Assisted Living,
245 FISCHER AVENUE, #D-1 ----- (Street)	3. IRS or Social Security Number of Reporting Person (Voluntary)	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
COSTA MESA, CALIFORNIA 92626 ----- (City) (State) (Zip)		Director 1 ----- X Officer ----- (give title below) Senior Vice President,

TABLE 1 -- NON-DERIVATIVE SECURITIES BENEFICIALLY OWNED

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)
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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly by the Reporting Person.
 *If the form is filed by more than one Reporting Person, see Instruction 5(b)(v).

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TABLE II -- DERIVATIVE SECURITIES BENEFICIALLY OWNED
 (E.G., PUTS, CALLS, WARRANTS, OPTIONS, CONVERTIBLE SECURITIES)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/ Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security
	Date Exercis- able Expiration Date	Amount or Number of Shares Title	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(1) 12/13/10	Common Stock 35,000	0.5625

Explanation of Responses:

(1) The options vest in three equal installments over a three year period. The first installment quarter immediately following the Company achieving a positive cash flow and profitability for the second and third installments will vest on the first and second anniversaries of such date. In no case will vesting begin later than December 14, 2005.

** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

/s/ MICHELLE AL

 **Signature of R

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed.
 If space provided is insufficient, See Instruction 6 for procedure.

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