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# FORM 4

#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** Section 16. Form 4 or

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and AMAHON P	Symbo UNIT	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol UNITED THERAPEUTICS CORP [UTHR]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)				
(Last)	(First) (	(Month	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/06/2005				Director 10% Owner Softicer (give title Other (specify below) EVP & General Counsel			
	(Street)		mendment, D Ionth/Day/Yea	_	al	A - -	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip) Ta	ble I - Non-	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Code	(A) or			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	01/06/2005	01/06/2005	M	1,221 (1)	A	\$ 13.17	13,221	D		
Common Stock	01/06/2005	01/06/2005	M	600	A	\$ 9.2	13,821	D		
Common Stock	01/06/2005	01/06/2005	M	100	A	\$ 13.063	13,921	D		
Common Stock	01/06/2005	01/06/2005	M	79	A	\$ 13.9	14,000	D		
Common Stock	01/06/2005	01/06/2005	S	2,000	D	\$ 43.3161	12,000	D		

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Options	\$ 13.17	01/06/2005	01/06/2005	M	1,221	06/15/2002	06/15/2011	Common Stock	1,221
Employee Stock Options	\$ 9.2	01/06/2005	01/06/2005	M	600	12/14/2001	12/14/2011	Common Stock	600
Employee Stock Options	\$ 13.063	01/06/2005	01/06/2005	M	100	01/03/2001	01/03/2011	Common Stock	100
Employee Stock Options	\$ 13.9	01/06/2005	01/06/2005	M	79	06/14/2002	06/14/2012	Common Stock	79

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			

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**EVP & General Counsel** 

### **Signatures**

/s/ Paul A. 01/07/2005 Mahon

\*\*Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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- \* 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) The exercise of stock options and the corresponding sale of 2,000 shares are pursuant to the 10b5-1 Plan adopted by the reporting person on March 12, 2004.

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