ROESKE RICHARD

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * ROESKE RICHARD			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol UNITRIN INC [UTR]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(
ONE EAST V	WACKER I	ORIVE	(Month/Day/Year) 11/03/2004	Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title _X_ Other (specify below) Vice President & / Principal Accounting Officer		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
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Table I - Non-Derivative	Committee Assumed	Diamond of a	" Donoficially Owned

		141	/IC I - 1\UII-	Derivative	Secui	rics Acqui	cu, Disposcu oi,	or benefician	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit for Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (4 and :	` ′	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Commo Stock	on 11/03/2004		M	769	A	\$ 37.0508	23,983.626 (1)	D	
Commo Stock	on 11/03/2004		M	4,758	A	\$ 39.45	28,741.626 (1)	D	
Commo Stock	on 11/03/2004		M	1,750	A	\$ 25.37	30,491.626 (1)	D	
Commo Stock	on 11/03/2004		M	2,500	A	\$ 34.5544	32,991.626 (1)	D	
Commo Stock	on 11/03/2004		M	4,052	A	\$ 36.1551	37,043.626 (1)	D	

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Common Stock	11/03/2004	M	2,287	A	\$ 36.9	39,330.626 (1)	D
Common Stock	11/03/2004	M	6,908	A	\$ 37	46,238.626 (1)	D
Common Stock	11/03/2004	F	20,417	D	\$ 43.07	25,821.626 (1)	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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Numb orDerivati Securitie Acquired Disposed (Instr. 3, 5)	ve es d (A) or d of (D)	6. Date Exerci Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Y	te	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and A	Securitie
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Shares
Employee Stock Options (2)	\$ 37.0508	11/03/2004		M		769	12/25/1999	02/01/2005	Common Stock	769
Employee Stock Options (2)	\$ 39.45	11/03/2004		M		4,758	11/03/2004	02/01/2005	Common Stock	4,75
Employee Stock Options (2)	\$ 25.37	11/03/2004		M		1,750	08/05/2004	02/05/2013	Common Stock	1,75
Employee Stock Options (2)	\$ 43.07	11/03/2004		A	1,241		05/03/2005	02/05/2013	Common Stock	1,24
Employee Stock Options (2)	\$ 34.5544	11/03/2004		M		2,500	11/02/2004	05/02/2011	Common Stock	2,50
Employee Stock Options (2)	\$ 43.07	11/03/2004		A	2,150		05/03/2005	05/02/2011	Common Stock	2,15
	\$ 36.1551	11/03/2004		M		1,674	11/07/2001	01/31/2006		1,67

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Employee Stock Options (2)								Common Stock	
Employee Stock Options (2)	\$ 43.07	11/03/2004	A	1,482		05/03/2005	01/31/2006	Common Stock	1,48
Employee Stock Options (2)	\$ 36.1551	11/03/2004	M		2,378	11/07/2001	05/14/2007	Common Stock	2,37
Employee Stock Options (2)	\$ 43.07	11/03/2004	A	2,106		05/03/2005	05/14/2007	Common Stock	2,10
Employee Stock Options (2)	\$ 36.9	11/03/2004	M		2,287	05/03/2004	05/03/2010	Common Stock	2,28
Employee Stock Options (2)	\$ 43.07	11/03/2004	A	2,054		05/03/2005	05/03/2010	Common Stock	2,05
Employee Stock Options (2)	\$ 37	11/03/2004	M		5,625	05/02/2004	05/13/2008	Common Stock	5,62
Employee Stock Options (2)	\$ 43.07	11/03/2004	A	5,065		05/03/2005	05/13/2008	Common Stock	5,06
Employee Stock Options (2)	\$ 37	11/03/2004	M		1,283	05/02/2004	05/03/2010	Common Stock	1,28
Employee Stock Options (2)	\$ 43.07	11/03/2004	A	1,155		05/03/2005	05/03/2010	Common Stock	1,15

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
ROESKE RICHARD ONE EAST WACKER DRIVE CHICAGO, IL 60601			Vice President &	Principal Accounting Officer			

Signatures

Richard Roeske	11/05/2004
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

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- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Total includes shares acquired under a bank-sponsored dividend reinvestment plan, which are exempt from reporting by SEC Rule 16a-11.
- (2) Rights to buy.
- (3) Reporting person holds a total of 71,411 options under the Unitrin, Inc. 1990, 1997 and 2002 Stock Option Plans.

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