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OMB APPROVAL FORM 5 **OMB** UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION 3235-0362 Number: Washington, D.C. 20549 Check this box if January 31, Expires: no longer subject 2005 to Section 16. Estimated average ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL Form 4 or Form burden hours per 5 obligations OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES response... 1.0 may continue. See Instruction Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, 1(b). Form 3 Holdings Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section Reported 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 Form 4 Transactions Reported 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer SIMPSON PEGGY G Symbol UICI [UCI] (Check all applicable) 3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Last) (First) (Middle) (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner _ Officer (give title X 12/31/2004 Other (specify below) below) 9151 GRAPEVINE HIGHWAY Secretary (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting Filed(Month/Day/Year) (check applicable line) NORTH RICHLAND _X_ Form Filed by One Reporting Person HILLS, TXÂ 76180 Form Filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction (A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned at end Direct (D) Ownership of Issuer's or Indirect (Instr. 4) Fiscal Year (I) (A) (Instr. 3 and (Instr. 4) or 4) Amount (D) Price Common 104.0928 \$0 **Trustees** Â 12/31/2004 9,267.7479 (1) (2) Stock 401(k)/ESOP Persons who respond to the collection of information SEC 2270 Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. contained in this form are not required to respond unless (9-02)the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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	1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
					(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
	Stock Option	\$ 6.625	Â	Â	Â	Â	09/13/2001(3)	10/13/2005	Common Stock	400

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
SIMPSON PEGGY G 9151 GRAPEVINE HIGHWAY NORTH RICHLAND HILLS, TX 76180	Â	Â	Â Secretary	Â		

Signatures

/s/ Peggy G.
Simpson

**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) *J Participant and Company Ongoing Contributions to 401(k)/ESOP during 2004 Plan Year
- (2) Various prices depending on market price upon purchase by Trustee during Plan Year
- (3) Options vest 20% per year over a five-year period

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