

McIntyre Dee Ann  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
McIntyre Dee Ann

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
UNITED FIRE & CASUALTY CO  
[UFCS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
  
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
  
118 SECOND AVENUE SE  
  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
08/30/2011

\_\_\_\_ Director  
\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title below)  
\_\_X\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)

CEDAR RAPIDS, IA 52407-3909  
  
(City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
\_\_X\_\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially 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. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				(A) or (D)	Price				
				Code	V	Amount			
Common Stock	08/30/2011		P <sup>(1)</sup>	8,000	A	\$ 15.975	3,407,480 <sup>(2)</sup> <sub>(3)</sub>	I	See footnote #2
Common Stock							11,164 <sup>(3)</sup> <sup>(4)</sup>	D	

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 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. Number of 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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Transaction (Instr. 5)
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**Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
McIntyre Dee Ann 118 SECOND AVENUE SE CEDAR RAPIDS, IA 52407-3909		X		

**Signatures**

/s/ Dee Ann McIntyre by Dianne M. Lyons,  
Attorney-in-Fact 09/01/2011

\_\_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) This transaction denotes the privately negotiated sale of securities from the McIntyre Foundation to the Dee Ann McIntyre Marital Election Trust dated 10/06/2009.
- The number of securities beneficially held indirectly by the reporting person following the reported transaction includes: 2,114,553 shares held by the Dee Ann McIntyre Marital Election Trust for which Mrs. McIntyre serves as sole trustee; 449,675 shares held by the Dee Ann McIntyre Trust (irrevocable) for which Mrs. McIntyre is a lifetime beneficiary; 268,980 shares held by the J. Scott McIntyre Irrevocable Trust for which Mrs. McIntyre serves as sole trustee; 50,802 shares held by the J. Scott McIntyre Marital Election Trust for which Mrs. McIntyre serves as trustee; 11,507 shares held in an individual retirement account for Mrs. McIntyre's benefit; and 100 shares held in a brokerage account by the J. Scott McIntyre Estate. The 519,863 shares owned by the McIntyre Foundation (511,863) after the reported transaction) that were previously included in Mrs. McIntyre's indirect beneficial ownership total are no longer included in this Column 5. See Footnote 3 for further explanation.
- Shares held by the McIntyre Foundation (an Iowa charitable foundation) were previously reported as beneficially owned by Mrs. McIntyre because she serves as an officer and director of the foundation. It was originally presumed that Mrs. McIntyre had an indirect pecuniary interest in the shares owned by the foundation because her late husband's family established the foundation with shares previously held directly by them. Subsequently, Mrs. McIntyre and the Issuer have determined that she has no pecuniary interest (direct or indirect) in these shares for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Section 16") or for any other purpose. Therefore, shares of Issuer's common stock owned by the McIntyre Foundation are not included in the total reported in Column 5 of this report and will not be included in Mrs. McIntyre's future filings pursuant to Section 16.

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- (4) The number of securities beneficially held directly by the reporting person following the reported transaction includes: 168 shares held directly by Mrs. McIntyre and 10,996 shares held in a revocable trust account for Mrs. McIntyre's benefit.

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