

UNITRIN INC
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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 *
ROESKE RICHARD

(Last) (First) (Middle)

ONE EAST WACKER DRIVE

(Street)

CHICAGO, IL 60601

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
UNITRIN INC [UTR]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
09/23/2007

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
Vice President & / Principal Accounting Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | Code | V Amount (A) or (D) Price | | | |
| Common Stock | 09/23/2007 | | M | 2,500 A \$ 43.1 | 53,866.155 (2) | D | |
| Common Stock | 09/23/2007 | | M | 2,500 A \$ 44.37 | 56,366.155 (2) | D | |
| Common Stock | 09/23/2007 | | F | 4,571 (1) D \$ 49.75 | 51,795.155 (2) | 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) | Amount or Number of Shares | |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|-------|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | |
| Employee Stock Options ⁽³⁾ | \$ 43.1 | 09/23/2007 | | M | 2,500 | 08/01/2007 | 02/01/2015 | Common Stock | 2,500 |
| Employee Stock Options ⁽³⁾ | \$ 49.75 | 09/23/2007 | | A | 2,263 | 03/21/2008 | 02/01/2015 | Common Stock | 2,263 |
| Employee Stock Options ⁽³⁾ | \$ 44.37 | 09/23/2007 | | M | 2,500 | 08/03/2007 | 02/03/2014 | Common Stock | 2,500 |
| Employee Stock Options ⁽³⁾ | \$ 49.75 | 09/23/2007 | | A | 2,308 | 03/21/2008 | 02/03/2014 | Common Stock | 2,308 |

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 09/24/2007

**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 reflects shares withheld or surrendered, either actually or constructively, to the Issuer in payment of the exercise price and/or taxes due in connection with the exercise of options disclosed in Table II.

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- (2) This includes 15,000 shares of restricted stock subject to forfeiture and other restrictions until vesting on 9/1/2010.
- (3) Rights to buy.
- (4) Following the last transaction reported in this table, the reporting person holds a total of 94,008 options under the Unitrin, Inc. stock option plans.

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