

Burbank John Howard III  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

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|--|---------|----------|--|--|--|--|
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *                  |         |          | 2. Date of Event Requiring Statement             |  | 3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol         |  |
| Â PASSPORT MANAGEMENT LLC                                  |         |          | (Month/Day/Year)<br>07/06/2007                   |  | URANIUM ENERGY CORP [UEC]                                  |  |
| (Last)   | (First) | (Middle) | 4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer |  |  | 5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) |
| C/O PASSPORT MANAGEMENT, LLC,Â 30 HOTALING PLACE, STE. 300 |         |          | (Check all applicable)                           |  |  |  |
| (Street)   |         |          | ___ Director ___X_ 10% Owner                     |  | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) |  |
| SAN FRANCISCO,Â CAÂ 94111                                  |         |          | ___ Officer ___ Other (specify below)            |  | ___ Form filed by One Reporting Person                     |  |
| (City)   | (State) | (Zip)    |  |  | _X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person           |  |

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 4) | 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4) | 3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) | 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) |
|---------------------------------|---|--|---|
| Common Stock                    | 3,819,080   | I  | See Footnotes <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u> <u>(3)</u>        |

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4) | 2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security | 4. Conversion or Exercise | 5. Ownership Form of | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) |
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| Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | Price of Derivative Security | Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) |
|------------------|-----------------|-------|----------------------------|------------------------------|---|
|                  |                 |       |                            |                              |   |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |         |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| PASSPORT MANAGEMENT LLC<br>C/O PASSPORT MANAGEMENT, LLC<br>30 HOTALING PLACE, STE. 300<br>SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111                                      | ^             | ^ X       | ^       | ^     |
| Passport Global Master Fund SPC Ltd<br>C/O PASSPORT MANAGEMENT, LLC<br>30 HOTALING PLACE, STE. 300<br>SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111                          | ^             | ^ X       | ^       | ^     |
| Passport Materials Master Fund, LP<br>C/O PASSPORT MANAGEMENT, LLC<br>30 HOTALING ST, STE 300<br>SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111                               | ^             | ^ X       | ^       | ^     |
| Partners Group Alternative Strategies PCC Ltd Gold Iota Cell<br>C/O PASSPORT MANAGEMENT, LLC<br>30 HOTALING PLACE, STE. 300<br>SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111 | ^             | ^ X       | ^       | ^     |
| Passport Capital, LLC<br>C/O PASSPORT MANAGEMENT, LLC<br>30 HOTALING PLACE, STE. 300<br>SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111  | ^             | ^ X       | ^       | ^     |
| Burbank John Howard III<br>C/O PASSPORT MANAGEMENT, LLC<br>30 HOTALING PLACE, STE. 300<br>SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111                                      | ^             | ^ X       | ^       | ^     |

## Signatures

/s/ JOHN H  
BURBANK III

12/12/2007

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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 securities beneficially owned following the reported transactions are held for the account of Passport Global Master Fund SPC Ltd for and on behalf of portfolio A - global strategy (2,266,780 shares) a British Virgin Islands segregated portfolio company, Passport

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Materials Master Fund, LP (1,400,000 shares) a British Virgin Islands limited partnership, and Partners Group Alternative Strategies PCC Limited Gold Iota Cell (152,300 shares) a Guernsey protected cell company ("Fund I", "Fund II", and "Fund III" respectively, and together the "Funds").

Passport Management, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Passport Management") is the investment manager to the Funds. Passport Capital, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Passport Capital") is the managing member of Passport Management. John

(2) H. Burbank III, a natural person ("Burbank"), is the sole managing member of Passport Capital. As a result, each of Passport Management, Passport Capital and Burbank may be considered to indirectly beneficially own the securities directly beneficially owned by the Funds.

Pursuant to Rule 16a-1(a)(2)(ii)(B) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Act"), Mr. Burbank is deemed to be a beneficial owner of the shares beneficially owned by Fund I or Fund II only to the extent of the greater of his respective direct or indirect

(3) interest in the profits or capital account of such Funds. Pursuant to Rule 16a-1(a)(4) under the Act, this filing shall not be deemed an admission that Mr. Burbank is, for purposes of Section 16 of the Act or otherwise, the beneficial owner of any securities owned by the Funds in excess of such amount.

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