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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement United Continental Holdings, Inc. [UAL] Halbert R. Keith (Month/Day/Year) 10/01/2010 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) P.O. BOX 66100 - HDQLD (Check all applicable) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) 10% Owner Director _X_ Form filed by One Reporting _X__ Officer Other Person CHICAGO, ÂILÂ 60666 (give title below) (specify below) Form filed by More than One **EVP** -Chief Information Officer Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 2. Amount of Securities 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) D Â Common Stock 12,500 Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a

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

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

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				Shares		(I) (Instr. 5)	
Option (Right to Buy)	(1)	01/02/2018	Common Stock	40,000	\$ 31.8	D	Â
Option (Right to Buy)	(1)	03/31/2019	Common Stock	25,800	\$ 4.86	D	Â
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	35,600	\$ 0 (3)	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
Troporting of their Figure 20	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Halbert R. Keith P.O. BOX 66100 - HDQLD CHICAGO, IL 60666	Â	Â	EVP -Chief Information Officer	Â		

Signatures

/s/ Lydia J. Mathas for R. Keith Halbert 10/05/2010

**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 option will vest upon the closing of the merger between JT Merger Sub, Inc. and Continental Airlines, Inc.
- (2) The restricted stock units will vest upon the closing of the merger between JT Merger Sub, Inc. and Continental Airlines, Inc.
- (3) Each restricted stock unit represents the economic equivalent of one share of common stock and may be settled in cash or common stock upon vesting at the sole discretion of the Human Resources Subcommittee of the Board of Directors.

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