WATJEN THOMAS R

Form 4

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

(City)

Common

Common

Stock

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * WATJEN THOMAS R

(First)

(Street)

(State)

02/25/2009

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

(Middle)

(Zip)

Unum Group [UNM] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 02/25/2009

X_ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

President & CEO

1 FOUNTAIN SQUARE

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

CHATTANOOGA, TN 37402

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 5. Amount of 7. Nature of Securities Ownership Indirect Beneficially

> Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Form: Direct Beneficial Ownership (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A) Code V Amount (D) Price

15,188 \$ F D 1,134,283 (2) (1) 10.65

15,595 F D 1,118,688 (4)

02/25/2009 (3) 10.43 Stock Common

Watjen Ι 12,500 Stock 401(k)

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	e and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	onNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amour	nt of	Derivative	Deriv
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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
WATJEN THOMAS R								
1 FOUNTAIN SQUARE	X		President & CEO					
CHATTANOOGA, TN 37402								

Signatures

Parrott, Christopher, A., Attorney in fact 02/26/2009

**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) Shares witheld to pay taxes due on vesting of 41,666 restricted shares.
- (2) Includes 404,466 restricted stock units, 103,936 shares of restricted stock, 1 share in the company ESPP, and 625,880 shares held outside any plan.
- (3) Shares witheld to pay taxes due on vesting of 51,968 restricted shares.
- (4) Includes 404,466 restricted stock units, 51,968 shares of restricted stock, 1 share in the company ESPP, and 662,253 shares held outside any plan.

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