

# FORM 4

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

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|--|---------|----------|---|--|---|--|
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* |         |          | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol                 |  | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer<br>(Check all applicable)  |  |
| Eccles, Spencer F.                       |         |          | Union Pacific Corporation (UNP)                             |  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner<br><input type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other<br>(give title below)                      (specify below) |  |
| (Last)                                   | (First) | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)            |  |   |  |
| 299 S. Main Street                       |         |          | 10/01/2004  |  |   |  |
| (Street)                                 |         |          | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed<br>(Month/Day/Year) |  | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)   |  |
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| (City)                                   | (State) | (Zip)    |   |  |   |  |

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

| 1. Title of Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Trans-<br>action<br>Date<br><br>(Month/<br>Day/<br>Year) | 2A.<br>Deemed<br>Execution<br>Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/<br>Day/<br>Year) | 3. Trans-<br>action<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) |   | 4. Securities Acquired (A)<br>or Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) |               |       | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Owner-<br>ship<br>Form:<br>Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect<br>(I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Owner-<br>ship<br><br>(Instr. 4) |
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|                                    |   |   | Code                                      | V | Amount  | (A) or<br>(D) | Price |   |   |  |
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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<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction Code<br>(Instr. 8) |   | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4, and 5) |     | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |                 | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |                            | 8. Price of Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 4) | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|---|--|---|---|-----------------------------------|---|--|-----|---|-----------------|--|----------------------------|---|---|--|---|
|   |  |   |   | Code                              | V |  |     | Date Exercisable  | Expiration Date | Title  | Amount or Number of Shares |   |   |  |   |
|   |  |   |   |                                   |   | (A)  | (D) |   |                 |  |                            |   |   |  |   |
| Phantom Stock (1)                             | \$0.0000   | 10/01/04                                |   | A                                 |   | 217.0000   |     | (2)   | (2)             | Common Stock   | 217.0000                   | \$0.0000                                      | 5,522.0000  | D  |   |
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Explanation of Responses:

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

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

By: Laura A. Heisterkamp, Attorney-in-Fact For:  
Spencer F. Eccles

10/04/2004

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\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- (1) **Distribution ratio for Phantom Stock Units is 1:1. End of period holdings include Phantom Stock Units granted prior to 8/15/96 which are exempt from Section 16 reporting.**
- (2) **Phantom Stock Units are payable in cash only commencing at retirement.**