

UNITED THERAPEUTICS CORP
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FORM 4

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

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
JEFFS ROGER

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Street)

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading
Symbol
UNITED THERAPEUTICS CORP
[UTHR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify
below) President & COO

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
12/07/2006

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Person

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
|---------------------------------------|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|---|---|---|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | | | | |
| | | | Code | V | Amount | Price | | |
| Common Stock | 12/07/2006 | 12/07/2006 | M | | 3,500 (1) | \$ 16.75 | 16,433 (2) | D |
| Common Stock | 12/07/2006 | 12/07/2006 | S | | 3,500 | \$ 58.5966 | 12,933 | 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 |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|
| Employee Stock Options | \$ 16.75 | 12/07/2006 | 12/07/2006 | M | 3,500 | 07/16/1999 07/16/2009 | Common Stock | 3,500 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|-----------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| JEFFS ROGER | X | | President & COO | |

Signatures

/s/ Paul A. Mahon under Power of Attorney
12/08/2006

__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) The exercise of stock options and the corresponding sale of 3,500 shares (the "Shares") are pursuant to the 10b5-1 Plan adopted by the reporting person on February 28, 2005.
- (2) Includes 1,158 shares held by a family limited liability company of which the reporting person and his spouse are managing members.

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