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Registration No. 333-32521

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, DC 20549

POST-EFFECTIVE AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO FORM S-3

ON

FORM S-1

REGISTRATION STATEMENT

**UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933** 

# UNITED STATES CELLULAR CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware** 

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

4825

(Primary Standard Industrial Classification Code Number)

62-1147325

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

8410~WEST~BRYN~MAWR~AVE, SUITE~700

**CHICAGO, ILLINOIS 60631** 

(773) 399-8900

(Address, including zip code, and telephone number, including

area code of registrant s principal executive offices)

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(Name, address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code, of agent for service)

#### **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

This Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 to the registrant s Registration Statement No. 333-32521 is being filed to convert such registration statement from Form S-3 to Form S-1, and simultaneously to remove from registration by means of such post-effective amendment the securities registered which remain unsold as a result of the termination of this offering.

Registration Statement No. 333-32521 relates to \$400,000,000 of securities registered on Form S-3 for issuance for cash from time to time as Debt Securities. Registration Statement No. 333-32521 originally was filed on Form S-3 on July 31, 1997.

The registrant is currently ineligible to file a registration statement on Form S-3 due to the untimely filing of its Forms 10-K and 10-Q. Accordingly this post-effective amendment is being filed on Form S-1.

The registrant has terminated the offering of securities registered pursuant to the Registration Statement No. 333-32521. Accordingly, the registrant hereby removes from registration by means of this post-effective amendment the securities registered which remain unsold as a result of the termination of this offering.

#### **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933 and Rule 478 thereunder, the registrant has duly caused this Post-Effective Amendment to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in the City of Chicago, State of Illinois, on September 5, 2007.

### UNITED STATES CELLULAR CORPORATION

By: /s/ LeRoy T. Carlson, Jr. LeRoy T. Carlson, Jr.

Chairman

Signature Page to Post Effective Amendment to Deregister Registration Statement No. 333-32521