FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* ADCOCK J MICHAEL					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol UNIT CORP [UNT]										5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
(Last)					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/09/2004										C Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)						
(Street) SHAWNEE OK 74804 (City) (State) (Zip)														Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ne) X Formfiled by One Reporting Person Formfiled by More than One Reporting Person							
		Table I -	Non-Derivati	ve Seo	curit	ties Ao	cqui	ired,	, Dis	posed	of,	or B	eneficia	ally Owne	d						
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) Date (Month/Day/				Execution Date,			Tr	Transaction Dispos Code (Instr. and 5)			urities Acquired (A) or sed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned		Ownership Form: Direct (D) or		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
						Cd	ode	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		(Instr. 4)				
Common Stock 07/09/200					14			S		10,000)	D	\$31.66	66 197,491 I		By Trus		rust			
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		Tab	le II - Derivat (e.g., pu												əd						
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. Num of Deriv a Securi Acquir (A) or Dispos of (D) (Instr. and 5)	ative ities red sed 3, 4	Expiration (Month/Da				Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		11. Natur of Indired Beneficia Ownersh (Instr. 4)		
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date		Expira	ation		Amount or Number of Shares								

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

By: By Mark E. Schell under 07/13/2004 <u>POA</u>

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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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