FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* HOPE RICHARDS JUDITH              |  |  |   |                           | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol UNION PACIFIC CORP [ UNP ] |   |             |                                      |                     |   |                    | (Ch             | Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     X Director 10% Owner  |   |                                     |   |  |                                       |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) PAUL HASTINGS JANOFSKY & WALKER 875 15TH STREET NW |  |  |   | 01/                       | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/27/2005                   |   |             |                                      |                     |   |                    |                 | Office<br>below  | er (give title                                      | - Fili-                             | Other (s<br>below)                                  | pecify   |                                       |
| Street) WASHINGTON DC 20005  |  |  |   | - 4. 11                   | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)                      |   |             |                                      |                     |   |                    | Lin             | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |   |                                     |   |  |                                       |
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|  |  | Tab  | le I - Nor  | ı-Deriv                   | ative   | Sec   | curitie     | s Ac                                 | quired, I           | Disp  | osed c             | of, or Be       | neficial   | ly Owne   | d                                   |   |  |                                       |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)              |  |  |   | Execu<br>Day/Year) if any |   | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>f any<br>Month/Day/Year) |             | Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5) |                     | rities Acquired (A) o<br>ed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a             |                    | Benefi          | es For<br>ially (D)<br>Following (I) (   |   | n: Direct<br>r Indirect<br>istr. 4) | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership |  |                                       |
|  |  |  |   |                           |   |   |             |                                      | v                   | Amount  | (A) or<br>(D) Prio |                 | Transa   | saction(s)<br>r. 3 and 4)                           |                                     |   | Instr. 4)  |                                       |
|  | Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) |  |   |                           |   |   |             |                                      |                     |   |                    |                 |  |   |                                     |   |  |                                       |
| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)                        | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security  | 3. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution I<br>if any<br>(Month/Day | Date,                     |   | Transaction<br>Code (Instr.                               |             | of                                   |                     | 6. Date Exercisable ar<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |                    |                 | d<br>f<br>g<br>Security<br>nd 4)   | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) |                                     | e<br>s<br>Illy                                      | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|  |  |  |   |                           | Code  | v   | (A)         | (D)                                  | Date<br>Exercisable |   | xpiration<br>ate   | Title           | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares   |   |                                     |   |  |                                       |
| Non-<br>Qualified<br>Stock<br>Option<br>(right to<br>buy)                  | \$59.12  | 01/27/2005                                 |   |                           | A   |   | 3,050       |                                      | 01/27/2006          | 5 01  | 1/27/2015          | Common<br>Stock | 3,050  | \$0   | 3,050                               | )   | D  |                                       |

Explanation of Responses:

<u>By: Laura A. Heisterkamp,</u> <u>Attorney-in-Fact For: Judith R. 01/28/2005</u> <u>Hope</u>

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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