FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* HOPE RICHARDS JUDITH						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>UNION PACIFIC CORP</u> [UNP]						heck all appl	icable) or	Person(s) to Is	wner
(Last) (First) (Middle) PAUL HASTINGS JANOFSKY & WALKER 1299 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE NW					3. Date 01/02		iest Tra	nsaction (Mor	ith/Day/Yea		Office below	r (give title)	Other (below)	specify	
(Street) WASHIN	NGTON DO		20004 Zip)	_	4. If An	nendme	ent, Date	e of Original F	iled (Month	Day/Year)	6. Lir	ne) X Form	filed by One R	iling (Check Ap Reporting Perso than One Repo	on
	`		e I - Non-D	Deriva	tive S	ecurit	ies A	cquired, D	isposed	of, or Be	eneficia	Ily Owne	d		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						Execution Date,			4. Secondistr. 5)	ed Of (D) (In	str. 3, 4 an	d Securit Benefic Owned Reporte Transac	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially (I) Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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/Yea	Co	Transaction Code (Instr		ivative curities quired or posed D) str. 3, 4	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and 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)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Co	ode V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Phantom Stock ⁽¹⁾	\$0	01/02/2004		1	A	183	3	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	183	\$0	4,722	D	

${\bf Explanation\ of\ Responses:}$

- 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.

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** 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).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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