

Gottsegen Jonathan Mark
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Gottsegen Jonathan Mark

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O UNITED RENTALS,
 INC., FIVE GREENWICH OFFICE
 PARK

(Street)

GREENWICH, CT 06831

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

UNITED RENTALS INC /DE [URI]

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

03/11/2010

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
 SVP & General Counsel

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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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)	
			Code	V	Amount or Price			
Common Stock ⁽¹⁾	03/11/2010		A		15,000 ⁽¹⁾	A	\$ 0 32,000	D
Common Stock	03/15/2010		F		2,124	D	\$ 8.26 29,876	D
Common Stock	03/15/2010		S		3,543	D	\$ 8.26 26,333	D
Common Stock	03/15/2010		M		13,334	A	\$ 3.375 39,667	D
Common Stock	03/15/2010		F		2,956	D	\$ 8.26 36,711	D

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Common Stock 03/15/2010 S 10,378 D \$ 8.26 26,333 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)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option - Right to Buy	\$ 8.315	03/11/2010		A	40,000	(2) 03/10/2020	Common Stock 40,000
Stock Option - Right to Buy	\$ 3.375	03/15/2010		M	13,334	(3) 03/12/2019	Common Stock 13,334

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Gottsegen Jonathan Mark C/O UNITED RENTALS, INC. FIVE GREENWICH OFFICE PARK GREENWICH, CT 06831			SVP & General Counsel	

Signatures

/s/ Jonathan M. Gottsegen 03/15/2010

**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) These shares comprise an award of restricted stock units granted to Mr. Gottsegen. Subject to acceleration in certain circumstances, 5,000 of the units are scheduled to vest on each of March 11, 2011, March 11, 2012 and March 11, 2013. Units are settled for shares of common stock on a one-for-one basis upon vesting.
- (2) The option is exercisable in three installments, 13,333 of the option shares become exercisable on each of March 11, 2011 and March 11, 2012 and 13,334 of the option shares become exercisable on March 11, 2013.
- (3) In connection with an option award granted to Mr. Gottsegen on March 13, 2009 and originally reported on March 17, 2009, an initial 13,334 of the option shares became exercisable on March 13, 2010.

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