

MEIER BRADLEY I  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
MEIER BRADLEY I

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
UNIVERSAL INSURANCE HOLDINGS, INC. [UVE]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
01/15/2010

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
Chief Executive Officer

1110 WEST COMMERCIAL BOULEVARD, SUITE 10

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

FT. LAUDERDALE, FL 33309

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Stock	01/15/2010		M		131,357 (1)	A	\$ 1.06 (3) 14,448,786
Common Stock	01/15/2010		M		787,490 (2)	A	\$ 1.06 (3) 15,236,276

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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number of Shares
Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 1.06	01/15/2010		M	250,000 (1)	01/26/2000 01/15/2010	Common Stock	250,000	
Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 1.06	01/15/2010		M	1,500,000 (2)	01/26/2000 01/15/2010	Common Stock	1,500,000	

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MEIER BRADLEY I 1110 WEST COMMERCIAL BOULEVARD, SUITE 10 FT. LAUDERDALE, FL 33309	X	X	Chief Executive Officer	

## Signatures

/s/ Bradley I. Meier 01/19/2010

\*\*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) Amount reflects aggregate number of shares of Common Stock received after exercise of options to purchase 250,000 shares of Common Stock. The exercise was a "cashless exercise" that covered the cost required for the exercise of the options and the statutory tax liability associated with such exercise.
  - (2) Amount reflects aggregate number of shares of Common Stock received after exercise of options to purchase 1,500,000 shares of Common Stock. The exercise was a "cashless exercise" that covered the cost required for the exercise of the options and the statutory tax liability associated with such exercise.
  - (3) Table I does not include option holdings and other derivative securities which may have been included in prior Form 4s for Mr. Meier, which are now included in Table II.

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