MAHON PAUL A Form 4

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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MAHON PAUL A			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol UNITED THERAPEUTICS CORP [UTHR]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First) (N	Middle)	3. Date of (Month/D) 02/17/20	-					Director 10% Owner Sofficer (give title Other (specify below) EVP & General Counsel			
(CL)	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - No	n-D	erivative	Secui	rities Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deem Execution any (Month/Da	Date, if	Code (Instr.	8)	4. Securin(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	ispose	d of (D)	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)	
Common Stock	02/17/2005	02/17/20	005	M	·	721 (1)	A	\$ 13.9	12,721	D		
Common Stock	02/17/2005	02/17/20	005	M		1,279	A	\$ 14.125	14,000	D		
Common Stock	02/17/2005	02/17/20	005	S		2,000	D	\$ 43.84	12,000	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)	Execution Date, if Transaction uny Code S Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (I			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (E))	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Options	\$ 13.9	02/17/2005	02/17/2005	M	72	21	06/14/2002	06/14/2012	Common Stock	721
Employee Stock Options	\$ 14.125	02/17/2005	02/17/2005	M	1,2	79	01/02/2001	01/02/2011	Common Stock	1,279

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MAHON PAUL A

EVP & General Counsel

Signatures

/s/ Paul A. 02/22/2005 Mahon

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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) The exercise of stock options and the corresponding sale of 2,000 shares reported on this Form 4 are pursuant to the 10b5-1 Plan adopted by the reporting person on March 12, 2004.

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