

BUTLER ERIC L
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 BUTLER ERIC L

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 1400 DOUGLAS STREET
 (Street)

OMAHA, NE 68179

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 UNION PACIFIC CORP [UNP]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 12/14/2012

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)
 EVP MKTG & SALES

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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | Price | | |
| Common Stock | 12/14/2012 | | M | 27,000 | A \$ 43.03 | 104,234 | D |
| Common Stock | 12/14/2012 | | F | 9,317 | D \$ 124.69 | 94,917 | D |
| Common Stock | 12/14/2012 | | F | 7,675 | D \$ 124.69 | 87,242 | D |
| Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ | 12/18/2012 | | S | 1,500 | D \$ 125.82 | 85,742 | D |
| Common Stock ⁽²⁾ | | | | | | 1,658.4373 | I (1) |

Common
Stock

214.7256 I

by
Managed
Account

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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|---|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) <u>(3)</u> | \$ 43.03 | 12/14/2012 | | M | 27,000 | 01/26/2007 ⁽³⁾ 01/26/2016 | Common Stock |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| BUTLER ERIC L 1400 DOUGLAS STREET OMAHA, NE 68179 | | | EVP MKTG & SALES | |

Signatures

By: Trevor L. Kingston, Attorney-in-Fact For: Eric L. Butler 12/18/2012

__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) This transaction was made pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on November 19, 2012.
- (2) Represents conversion of restricted stock units to fully vested stock units with a distribution ratio of 1:1 - Payable only in shares of common stock at termination of employment or a date certain.

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(3) This option became exercisable in three equal installments starting one year from the grant date.

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