

UNITED THERAPEUTICS CORP

Form 4

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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 \*  
JEFFS ROGER

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) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
10/19/2006

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
President & COO

(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

(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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D) Price		
Common Stock	10/19/2006	10/19/2006	M		2,942 (1) \$ 14.125	15,875 (2)	D
Common Stock	10/19/2006	10/19/2006	M		558 \$ 15.69	16,433	D
Common Stock	10/19/2006	10/19/2006	S		2,942 \$ 57.4189	13,491	D
Common Stock	10/19/2006	10/19/2006	S		558 \$ 57.4189	12,933	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)	Amount or Number of Shares
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title	
Employee Stock Options	\$ 14.125	10/19/2006	10/19/2006	M	2,942	01/01/2001 01/01/2011	Common Stock	2,942
Employee Stock Options	\$ 15.69	10/19/2006	10/19/2006	M	558	12/15/2000 12/15/2010	Common Stock	558

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
JEFFS ROGER	X		President & COO	

## Signatures

/s/ Paul A. Mahon under Power of Attorney  
10/20/2006

\*\*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) The exercise of stock options and the corresponding sale of 3,500 shares (the "Shares") are pursuant to the 10b5-1 Plan adopted by the reporting person on February 28, 2005.

(2) Includes 1,158 shares held by a family limited liability company of which the reporting person and his spouse are managing members.

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