

KORALESKI JOHN J
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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 *
KORALESKI JOHN J

(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)
02/05/2009

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)

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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	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock <u>(1)</u>	02/05/2009		A		10,576	A	\$ 0
Common Stock <u>(2)</u>	02/05/2009		A		21,156	A	\$ 0
Common Stock <u>(3)</u>					40,401.3914	I	(1)
Common Stock					8,448	I	by GRAT I
Common Stock					8,448	I	by GRAT II

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- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Retention unit award with a distribution ratio of 1:1. This award is payable only in shares of common stock with a four year vesting period from grant date.
Performance retention unit award with a distribution ratio of 1:1. This award is payable only in shares of common stock with a three year vesting period from the grant date. The amount of shares in column 4 is the maximum number of shares that the reporting person is eligible to receive. The actual number of shares paid out at vesting, if any, depends on applicable performance criteria being met.
- (3) 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.
- (4) Includes holdings in Union Pacific's Payroll-based and Tax-reduction stock ownership plans and 401(k) plan as of Transaction Date.
Represents shares held in the Koraleski Family Limited Partnership (FLP), of which the reporting person and his wife are the sole general partners and the reporting person, his wife, and his children are the sole limited partners. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- (6) This option becomes exercisable in three equal installments starting one year from the grant date.

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