U-Store-It Trust Form 4 January 25, 2008

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

(City)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MARTIN TIMOTHY M

(First)

(State)

C/O U-STORE-IT TRUST, 50

PUBLIC SQUARE, SUITE 2800

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

U-Store-It Trust [YSI]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

01/23/2008

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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

SVP & Chief Accounting Officer

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(Zip)

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6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

Issuer

CLEVELAND, OH 44113

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative Se	ecurit	ties Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if			4. Securities on Acquired (A) or			5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	1		<i>'</i>	Beneficially Owned Following	(D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V		(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Shares	01/23/2008		A	8,825 (1)	A	\$0	21,427	D	
Common Shares							2,363	I	By 401(k) Plan

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 orDerivative 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.43	01/23/2008		A	171,964	(2)	01/22/2018	Common Shares	171,964

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MARTIN TIMOTHY M C/O U-STORE-IT TRUST 50 PUBLIC SQUARE, SUITE 2800 CLEVELAND, OH 44113

SVP & Chief Accounting Officer

Signatures

Kathleen A. Weigand, Attorney-in-Fact 01/25/2008

**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).
- These common shares represent restricted shares issued under the Company's 2007 Equity Incentive Plan and are subject to risk of (1) forfeiture. The common shares vest ratably over a three-year period, one-third per year on each of the first three anniversaries of the grant date, provided the reporting person remains employed by the Company.
- (2) The stock options vest ratably over a three-year period, one-third per year on each of the first three anniversaries of the grant date, provided the reporting person remains employed by the Company.

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