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

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See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * HADEED FRED T			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) (M	Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/15/2005					Director 10% Owner Softicer (give title Other (specify below) EVP& CFO			
(Cir.)	(Street)	(7: ₀)	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Fil Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting I Form filed by More than One F Person					One Reporting Pe More than One Re	erson eporting		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Acc	quired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution any	med on Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or Di (D) (Instr. 3,	ispose	d of	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	12/15/2005	12/15/2	2005	M	2,944 (1)	A	\$ 17.1	3,944	D		
Common Stock	12/15/2005	12/15/2	2005	S	2,944	D	\$ 70.5	1,000	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)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of ionDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and An Underlying Se (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Employee Stock Options	\$ 17.1	12/15/2005	12/15/2005	M		2,944	01/02/2003	01/02/2013	Common Stock
Year-End Employee Stock Options	\$ 71.24	12/15/2005	12/15/2005	M	105,000		12/15/2006(2)	12/15/2015	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			

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Signatures

/s/ Paul A. Mahon under Power of Attorney 12/16/2005

**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 2,944 shares are pursuant to the 10b5-1 Plan adopted by the reporting person on March 12, 2004.
- (2) This stock option award vests in one-third increments on each of 12/15/2006, 12/15/2007, and 12/15/2008.

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