PLUMMER WILLIAM B

Form 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * PLUMMER WILLIAM B

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Symbol

UNITED RENTALS INC /DE [URI]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

Director 10% Owner

C/O UNITED RENTALS. INC.. FIVE GREENWICH OFFICE 02/16/2012

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)

EVP, CFO

PARK

(Street)

02/16/2012

Stock

4. If Amendment, Date Original

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

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

Person

Issuer

GREENWICH, CT 06831

(City)	(State) (Table Table	e I - Non-D	erivative Securities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficiall	ly 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 on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code V	(A) or Amount (D) Price	Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)

(3)

D

Amount Common 6,364 02/16/2012 \$0 84,999 D A Stock (1)

F

Common 5,125 02/16/2012 90,124 Α (2) Stock Common 1.757

88,367

D

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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	2.	3. Transaction Date		4. 5. Number		6. Date Exercisable and		7. Title and Amount of	
Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities (Month/Day/Year) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			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	\$ 41.25	02/16/2012		A	9,602	<u>(4)</u>	02/16/2022	Common Stock	9,602

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

PLUMMER WILLIAM B C/O UNITED RENTALS, INC. FIVE GREENWICH OFFICE PARK GREENWICH, CT 06831

EVP, CFO

Signatures

/s/ Jonathan M. Gottsegen, attorney-in-fact

02/21/2012

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

shares of common stock on a one-for-one basis upon vesting.

- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- These shares comprise an award of restricted stock units granted to the reporting person. Subject to acceleration in certain circumstances, (1) one-third of the units are scheduled to vest on each of February 16, 2013, February 16, 2014 and February 16, 2015. Units are settled with
- (2) Represents shares delivered upon vesting of performance-based restricted stock units. Units are settled with shares of common stock on a one-for-one basis.
- (3) Securities disposed of represent shares surrendered for tax purposes in connection with the vesting and settlement of performance-based restricted stock units.

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The option is exercisable in three installments. 3,201 of the option shares become exercisable on each of February 16, 2013 and February 16, 2015 and 3,200 of the option shares become exercisable on February 16, 2014.

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