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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(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) ((Mo	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/07/2006				_X_ Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) President & Coo		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-	Derivative	Secur	rities Acqu	ired, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, any (Month/Day/Ye	Code	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Amount (D) Price			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	08/07/2006	08/07/2006	M	4,000 (1)	A	\$ 12.69	16,933 (2)	D	
Common Stock	08/07/2006	08/07/2006	M	15,111	A	\$ 22.95	32,044	D	
Common Stock	08/07/2006	08/07/2006	S	4,000	D	\$ 54.6934	28,044	D	
Common Stock	08/07/2006	08/07/2006	S	15,111	D	\$ 54.6934	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed o (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
Employee Stock Options	\$ 12.69	08/07/2006	08/07/2006	M	4,000	05/10/2002	04/14/2010	Common Stock	4,000
Employee Stock Options	\$ 22.95	08/07/2006	08/07/2006	M	15,111	12/31/2003	12/31/2013	Common Stock	15,111

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 08/08/2006

**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 19,111 shares (the "Shares") are pursuant to the 10b5-1 Plan adopted by the reporting person on August 4, 2006.
- (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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