FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  SMITH LOUIS A						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol UNIVERSAL FOREST PRODUCTS INC [ UFPI ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  X Director 10% Owner			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 3022 HALL STREET SE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/01/2003								Office below	r (give title )	Other ( below)	specify
(Street) GRAND RAPIDS M		I .	49506			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								i. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(City) (State) (Zip)		(Zip)														
		Tab	le I - Non-l	Deriva	ative	Sec	uritie	es Ad	cquired, D	ispos	sed o	of, or Be	eneficia	lly Owne	d		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)					Execution Date			Code (In	str. 5)	spose	(A) o	str. 3, 4 an	d Securit Benefic Owned Reporte Transac	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially (D) Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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 Da if any (Month/Day/Y	ate, Tr	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				C	ode	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expira Date	ation	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Def. St. Unit	\$0 <sup>(1)</sup>	08/01/2003			Α		216		(2)	(2)	)	Common Stock	216	\$22.65	11,103	D	

## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The security converts to common stock on a one-for-one basis.
- 2. Shares issuable upon termination of service as a director.

Christina A. Holderman as
Attorney in Fact for Louis A. 08/01/2003
Smith

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

 $Reminder: \ Report \ on \ a \ separate \ line \ for \ each \ class \ of \ securities \ beneficially \ owned \ directly \ or \ indirectly.$ 

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