FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* GRANGER JOSEPH F							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol UNIVERSAL FOREST PRODUCTS INC [UFPI]										k all applic Directo	or (give title		10% Ow Other (s	ner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 2801 EAST BELTLINE NE							3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/06/2009												Sales &	below) Marketin	ng	
(Street) GRAND RAPIDS MI 49525					4. 1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)											Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(S	tate)																				
		Tak	le I - Noi	n-Deriv	/ativ	e Se	curitie	s Ac	quir	ed, D	isp	osed o	f, or	Ben	efic	ially	Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/E						ear)	2A. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da	, Tr	3. Transaction Code (Instr.) 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)				and Securities Beneficia Owned Fo		s ally ollowing	Form	: Direct Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
											,	Amount		(A) or (D)	Pric	ce	Reported Transacti (Instr. 3 a	ion(s)			Instr. 4)	
Common Stock																	3,083			I	oy 401(k) Plan	
Common Stock																	135			I 1	oy Trust	
Common Stock 01/06/)9				М		10,15	5	A (2)		(2)	28,418		D			
		•	Table II -									sed of, onvertil					Owned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Day	Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year				of Se Unde Deriv	7. Title and Amou of Securities Underlying Derivative Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)		1	3. Price of Derivative Security Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securitie Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4)	Owner Form: Direct or Indi (I) (Ins	Ownership	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Cod	Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerc	cisable		kpiration ate	Title		Amou or Numb of Share	er						
Phantom Stock	(1)	01/06/2009			М		10,155		01/02	2/2009	0:	1/02/2009		nmon ock	10,1	55	(2)	0		D		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. 1 for 1.
- 2. Reflects distribution of deferred stock units, each of which was the economic equivalent of one share of Common Stock of the Company.

/s/ Christina A. Holderman as attorney-in-fact for Joseph F.

01/07/2009

<u>Granger</u>

** 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).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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