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# 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                       | ddress of Reporting F<br>E JOHN W                   | Person <sup>*</sup> | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol<br><u>UNIVERSAL FOREST PRODUCTS INC</u> [<br>UFPI] |       | ionship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer<br>all applicable)<br>Director 10% Owner    |                       |  |
|-------------------------|---|---------------------|--|-------|--|-----------------------|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) |   | (Middlo)            |  |       | Officer (give title below)   | Other (specify below) |  |
|                         | (Last) (First) (Middle)<br>2801 EAST BELTLINE, N.E. |                     | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)<br>01/04/2008                                 |       | 201011)  | 201011)               |  |
| (Street)<br>GRAND       |   |                     | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)                                       | Line) | vidual or Joint/Group Fil  |                       |  |
| RAPIDS                  | MI  | 49525               |  |       | Form filed by One Reporting Person<br>Form filed by More than One Reportir<br>Person |                       |  |
| (City)                  | (State)   | (Zip)               |  |       |  |                       |  |

## Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | Code (Instr. |   |        |               |         | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned Following<br>Reported | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership |  |
|---------------------------------|--|---|--------------|---|--------|---------------|---------|---|---|---|--|
|                                 |  |   | Code         | v | Amount | (A) or<br>(D) | Price   | Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4)  |   | (Instr. 4)  |  |
| Common Stock                    | 01/04/2008                                 |   | A            |   | 300(1) | A             | \$27.73 | 14,300  | D   |   |  |
| Common Stock                    |  |   |              |   |        |               |         | 26,150  | Ι   | by Trust  |  |

## Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transa<br>Code (<br>8) |   | 5. Number<br>of<br>Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired<br>(A) or<br>Disposed<br>of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4<br>and 5) |     | 6. Date Exerc<br>Expiration Da<br>(Month/Day/Y | 7. Title and<br>Amount of<br>Securities<br>Underlying<br>Derivative<br>Security (Instr. 3<br>and 4) |       | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Number of<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 4) | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |
|---|---|--|---|------------------------------|---|---|-----|--|---|-------|---|--|--|--|
|   |   |  |   | Code                         | v | (A)   | (D) | Date<br>Exercisable                            | Expiration<br>Date  | Title | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares              |  |  |  |

Explanation of Responses:

1. Shares issued pursuant to Director Stock Grant Program.

### /s/ Christina A. Holderman, as

attorney-in-fact for John W. **Garside** 

\*\* 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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