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Check if no lo	this box	STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSH SECURITIES							Expires:	January 31, 2005		
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(Print or Type Responses)												
1. Name and NEFF PET	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol UST INC [UST]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer						
(Last) (First) (Middle)				of Earliest '	-	ı		(Check all applicable)				
C/O UST INC., 100 WEST PUTNAM AVENUE				/Day/Year) 2005		-		X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)				
				. 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				
GREENW	VICH, CT 06830							Person	ore than One Re	porting		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Ta	ble I - Non	-Derivativ	e Secu	rities Acqu	iired, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	ly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution any	3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Transaction Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
				Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)				
common stock	03/15/2005			М	1,500	А	\$ 28.2813	9,170	D			
common stock	03/15/2005			М	1,500	А	\$ 28.25	10,670	D			
common stock	03/15/2005			М	1,500	А	\$ 15.5313	12,170	D			
common stock	03/15/2005			М	10,000	А	\$ 15.0625	22,170	D			
common stock	03/15/2005			М	1,500	А	\$ 29.5	23,670	D			

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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. 5. Number of TransactiorDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (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
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 28.2813	03/15/2005		М	1,500	11/06/1998	05/05/2008	Common Stock	1,500
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 28.25	03/15/2005		М	1,500	11/05/1999	05/04/2009	Common Stock	1,500
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 15.5313	03/15/2005		М	1,500	11/03/2000	05/02/2010	Common Stock	1,500
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 15.0625	03/15/2005		М	10,000	01/10/2001	07/09/2010	Common Stock	10,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 29.5	03/15/2005		М	1,500	11/02/2001	05/01/2011	Common Stock	1,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

NEFF PETER J C/O UST INC. 100 WEST PUTNAM AVENUE GREENWICH, CT 06830

Signatures

Maria R. Sharpe, by Power of Attorney

**Signature of Reporting Person

03/16/2005

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) Includes a total of 799 shares held in the UST Dividend Reinvestment Plan as of this date.

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