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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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(Print or Type Responses)

CARLSON WALTER CD Syn UN			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol UNITED STATES CELLULAR CORP [USM]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) 30 N. LASA	(First) (M:	(Month/Da	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/07/2006			_X_ Director Officer (giv below)		Owner er (specify		
CHICAGO,	(Street) IL 60602		ndment, Dat th/Day/Year)	_			6. Individual or J Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by Form filed by Person		erson	
(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	e I - Non-Do	erivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	lly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi onAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	l (A) o l of (D))	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 Shares	03/07/2006		A	16	A	<u>(1)</u>	3,872	D		

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Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	ofNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			Amou Under Securi (Instr.	rlying	Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
reporting owner runner runners	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
CARLSON WALTER CD 30 N. LASALLE ST. STE. 4000 CHICAGO, IL 60602	X						

Signatures

Julie D. Mathews, by power of atty 03/08/2006

**Signature of Reporting Person Description

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- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Shares acquired pursuant to a compensation plan for non-employee directors.

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