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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Farrell Breege A

Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last)

(First) (Middle)

Unum Group [UNM] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

(Month/Day/Year) 02/21/2017

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Director 10% Owner _X__ Officer (give title _ Other (specify

EVP, Chief Investment Officer

below)

1 FOUNTAIN SQUARE

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

CHATTANOOGA, TN 37402

(Street)

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially 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)	ransaction Disposed of Ode (Instr. 3, 4 and Instr. 8)		ed (A)	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 Stock	02/21/2017		A	3,682.965 (1)	(D)	\$ 0	63,395 (2) (3)	D			
Common Stock	02/21/2017		F	1,058 (4)	D	\$ 48.56	62,337 (5)	D			

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	onNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amoun	t of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underly	ying	Security	Secui
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securit	ies	(Instr. 5)	Bene
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr. 3	3 and 4)		Own
	Security				Acquired						Follo
	•				(A) or						Repo
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					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
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						Exercisable	Date	Title Number of			
				C + V	(A) (D)						
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Other Director 10% Owner Officer

Farrell Breege A 1 FOUNTAIN SQUARE CHATTANOOGA, TN 37402

EVP, Chief Investment Officer

Signatures

/s/ Jullienne, J. Paul, Attorney-in-Fact

02/23/2017

**Signature of Reporting Person 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).
 - Represents shares of common stock earned from a target number of performance share units awarded on February 25, 2014 ("2014
- (1) PSUs"). The shares were earned upon the vesting of the 2014 PSUs and the certification of the levels of achievement of the performance metrics measured over the three-year performance period ended December 31, 2016.
- Includes 16,120 restricted stock units, which may be settled, on a 1-for-1 basis, only in shares of common stock ("stock-settled RSUs"), **(2)** and 47,275 shares of common stock. Fractional amounts have been rounded to the nearest whole number.
- Beneficial ownership amount accounts for the exempt acquisitions of 315.864 stock-settled RSUs pursuant to the reinvestment of **(3)** dividends since the date of the reporting person's prior Form 4.
- Shares withheld to satisfy tax withholding obligation applicable to the vesting of the earned 2014 PSUs.
- Includes 16,120 stock-settled RSUs and 46,217 shares of common stock. Fractional amounts have been rounded to the nearest whole **(5)** number.

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