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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

Name and Address of Reporting Pe ROSSI RONALD	Symbol	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol UST INC [UST] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/03/2006					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) _X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Delow)			
(Last) (First) (Mi C/O UST INC., 100 WEST PUTNAM AVENUE	(Month/Da									
(Street) GREENWICH, CT 06930		ndment, Date th/Day/Year)	e Original			6. Individual or Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by Form filed by Person	•	erson		
(City) (State) (Z	Cip) Table	e I - Non-De	erivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securion Acquired 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 Stock 05/03/2006		A	1,693	A	\$0	18,772 (1)	D			
Common Stock						2,750	I	By Spouse		

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1. Title of Derivative	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transacti	5. orNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration D		7. Title Amount		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Tear)	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of	(Month/Day/		Underly Securiti (Instr. 3	ying ies	Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
F • · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
ROSSI RONALD C/O UST INC. 100 WEST PUTNAM AVENUE GREENWICH, CT 06930	X						

Signatures

Maria R. Sharpe, by Power of Attorney 05/04/2006

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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 54 shares held in the UST Dividend Reinvestment Plan and 87 Phantom shares resulting from dividend reinvestment under a deferred compensation plan as of this date.

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