

GOLDSBERRY RONALD E
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
GOLDSBERRY RONALD E

(Last) (First) (Middle)
2759 TURTLE RIDGE DRIVE
(Street)
BLOOMFIELD HILLS, MI 48302
(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Unum Group [UNM]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
05/15/2009

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Stock	05/15/2009		A		87 ⁽¹⁾ A \$ 16.43	38,103 ⁽²⁾	D
Common Stock	05/15/2009		A		10 ⁽³⁾ A \$ 16.27	38,113 ⁽⁴⁾	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)

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities 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)	8. Price or Value of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
Unum Corp Deferred Comp Plan Dividend	\$ 0 ⁽⁵⁾	05/15/2009		A	37.92	⁽⁶⁾ ⁽⁷⁾	Common Stock	37.92 \$ 16

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
GOLDSBERRY RONALD E 2759 TURTLE RIDGE DRIVE BLOOMFIELD HILLS, MI 48302		X		

Signatures

Parrott, Christopher, A., Attorney in fact
 Date: 05/19/2009

**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).
- (1) All are deferred share rights
- (2) Includes 19,122 deferred share rights; 2,087 restricted stock units (includes dividend equivalent rights); and 16,894 shares held outside any plan.
- (3) All are dividend equivalent rights.
- (4) 19,122 deferred share rights, 2,097 restricted stock units (includes dividend equivalent rights), and 16,894 shares held outside any plan. Balance prior to transaction brought forward from 2/20/09 report
- (5) Conversion is one for one.
- (6) Exercisable at termination.
- (7) Not applicable.
- (8) Derivatives beneficially owned.

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