GRANO JOSEPH J JR Form SC 13G January 10, 2005

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13G

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No.)*

United Energy Corp.

(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share

(Title of Class of Securities)

910900208

(CUSIP Number)

May 14, 2002

(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:

- o Rule 13d-1(b)
- ý Rule 13d-1(c)
- o Rule 13d-1(d)

^{*}The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person s initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be filed for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Act) or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

CUSIP No. 910900208

| 1. | Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only) |
|----|---|
| | Joseph J. Grano, Jr. |

- 2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)
 - (a) ý (b) o
- 3. SEC Use Only
- 4. Citizenship or Place of Organization U.S.A.

| | 5. | Sole Voting Power 2,300,000 |
|--------------|----|-----------------------------|
| Number of | | |
| Shares | 6. | Shared Voting Power |
| Beneficially | | 0 |
| Owned by | | |
| Each | 7. | Sole Dispositive Power |
| Reporting | | 2,300,000 |
| Person With | | |
| | 8. | Shared Dispositive Power |
| | | 0 |

- 9. Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 2,300,000
- 10. Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o
- 11. Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9)
- 12. Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions) IN

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| (a) | Name of Issuer |
|----------------------------|---|
| | United Energy Corp. |
| (b) | Address of Issuer s Principal Executive Offices |
| | 600 Meadowlands Parkway |
| | Secaucus, New Jersey, 07094 |
| | |
| (a) | Name of Person Filing |
| | Joseph J. Grano, Jr. |
| (b) | Address of Principal Business Office or, if none, Residence |
| | Joseph J. Grano, Jr. |
| | 375 Park Avenue, Suite 2008 |
| | New York, NY 10152 |
| (c) | Citizenship |
| | United States of America |
| (d) | Title of Class of Securities |
| | Common Stock, \$0.01 par value |
| (e) | CUSIP Number |
| | 910900208 |
| If this statement is filed | d pursuant to §§240.13d-1(b) or 240.13d-2(b) or (c), check whether the person filing is |
| a: | |
| Not applicable | |
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| | (b) (a) (b) (c) (d) (e) If this statement is filed a: |

Ownership Provide the following information regarding the aggregate number and percentage of the class of securities of the issuer identified in Item 1. Amount beneficially owned: (a) 2,300,000 (1) Percent of class: (b)

9.3% (2)

Item 4.

(c) Number of shares as to which the person has:

> (i) Sole power to vote or to direct the vote

2,300,000 (1)

(ii) Shared power to vote or to direct the vote

(iii) Sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of

2,300,000 (1)

(iv) Shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of

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⁽¹⁾ Consists of 1,100,000 shares of Common Stock, 700,000 shares of Common Stock issuable upon the exercise of a stock option and 500,000 shares of Common Stock issuable upon the exercise of a warrant.

(2) Based on 22,417,767 Shares of Common Stock issued and outstanding as reported in the Form 10-Q of the Issuer filed on November 15, 2004, plus 1,200,000 shares of Common Stock issuable upon the exercise of the warrant and stock option held by Mr. Grano.

Item 5. Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class

If this statement is being filed to report the fact that as of the date hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the class of securities, check the following O.

Item 6. Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person

Not applicable.

Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being

Reported on By the Parent Holding Company or Control Person

Not applicable.

Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group

Not applicable.

Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group

Not applicable.

Item 10. Certification

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

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Signature

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

January 6, 2005 Date

/s/ Joseph J. Grano, Jr. Signature

Joseph J. Grano, Jr. Name/Title

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