DECONCINI MICHAEL J

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(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * DECONCINI MICHAEL J | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol UNISOURCE ENERGY CORP [UNS] | | | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | |
|---|---|-------|--|---|--------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------|--|--|-------------------|--|
| (Last) 88 E. BRO | (Last) (First) (Middle) 88 E. BROADWAY, HQE910 | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/08/2012 | | | | | Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Senior Vice President | | |
| (Street) TUCSON, AZ 85701 | | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) | | | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | Tabl | e I - Non-I | Derivative | Secui | rities Acq | uired, Disposed o | f, or Beneficial | lly Owned | |
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | | Date, if | 3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securion(A) or D (Instr. 3, | ispose 4 and (A) or | ed 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) | | |
| Common Stock | 03/08/2012 | | | M | 8,137 | A | \$ 17.84 | 35,269 | D | | |
| Common Stock | 03/08/2012 | | | S | 8,137 | D | \$ 37 | 27,132 | D | | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | 6,271.99 | I | By 401(k) Plan | |

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 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. 5. Number Transaction Derivati Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | 6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day) | ate | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---------|---|--------------------|---|--|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 17.84 | 03/08/2012 | | M | 8,137 | <u>(1)</u> | 05/09/2013 | Common Stock | 8,137 |

Reporting Owners

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

DECONCINI MICHAEL J 88 E. BROADWAY HQE910 TUCSON, AZ 85701

Senior Vice President

Signatures

Diana K. Durako, Attorney in Fact 03/09/2012

**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) The options vested in 3 equal installments on May 9, 2004, 2005 and 2006.

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