#### SHEEHY ROBERT J

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# FORM 4

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SHEEHY ROBERT J	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol UNITEDHEALTH GROUP INC [UNH]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
(Last) (First) (Middle)  C/O UNITEDHEALTH GROUP INCORPORATED, 9900 BREN ROAD EAST	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/29/2005	Director 10% Owner _X Officer (give title Other (specify below) CEO, UnitedHealthcare
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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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) Tal	ble I - Non-	-Derivative	Secur	ities Acquire	ed, Disposed of, o	or Beneficiall	y 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 or Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4	f (D)	uired (A) or	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)
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Ilisti. 3 aliu 4)		
Common Stock	04/29/2005		M	60,000	A	\$ 10	63,009	D	
Common Stock	04/29/2005		M	80,000	A	\$ 13.0625	143,009	D	
Common Stock	04/29/2005		S	140,000	D	\$ 93.0595	3,009	D	
Common Stock							580	I	by 401(k)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of actionDerivative Securities (Month/Day/Year)  8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securit	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sh
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 10	04/29/2005		M	60,000	<u>(1)</u>	10/16/2008	Common Stock	60,0
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 13.0625	04/29/2005		M	80,000	(2)	02/06/2008	Common Stock	80,0

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		

SHEEHY ROBERT J

C/O UNITEDHEALTH GROUP INCORPORATED

9900 BREN ROAD EAST

MINNETONKA, MN 55343

CEO,

UnitedHealthcare

#### **Signatures**

By: David J. Lubben For: Robert J. 04/29/2005 Sheehy

\*\*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) Performance-based grant vested over 3 year period on annual review of performance guidelines.
- (2) The option is exercisable as follows: 20,000 shares on 2/16/99; 15,000 shares on each of August 1, 2001, August 1, 2002, August 1, 2003, and February 6, 2004.

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