UNIVERSAL CORP /VA/

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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. Num of Deriv Secur Acqu (A) o Dispo of (D (Instr 4, and	vative rities ired or cosed of cosed of cosed of cosed of coses.	6. Date Exercis Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Y	e	7. Title and Amount o Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share
stock appreciation rights (2)	\$ 62.66	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	05/24/2008	05/24/2017	Common stock	7,200
stock appreciation rights (2)	\$ 51.32	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	05/28/2009	05/28/2018	Common stock	4,600
stock appreciation rights (2)	\$ 35.3	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	05/27/2010	05/27/2019	Common stock	10,000
stock appreciation rights (2)	\$ 39.71	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	06/08/2011	06/08/2020	Common stock	5,600
stock appreciation rights (2)	\$ 37.86	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	06/07/2012	06/07/2021	Common stock	7,600

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
PEEBLES ROBERT 9201 FOREST HILL AVENUE RICHMOND, VA 23235	Â	Â	Vice President & Controller	Â		

Signatures

Robert M. Peebles, by Terri L. Marks, Power of Attorney 05/03/2012

**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).

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includes 8,750 restricted stock units and 1,118 dividend units on the restricted stock units. The restricted stock units and the dividend units vest on the fifth anniversary of the award date, however payment will be delayed until termination of service if the individual is a covered employee under code section 162(m) on the date if vesting.

(2) after a 12 month period of the grant date, 1/3 of total shares is exercisable for each anniversary date after that for 3 such periods.

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