**UST INC** Form 4 August 02, 2006

### FORM 4

#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

UST INC [UST]

1(b).

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

KOHLBERGER RICHARD A

See Instruction

							(Cneck	an applicable,	)
(Last)	(First)	(Middle) 3. Dat	te of Earliest 7	Transaction					
C/O UST I	NC., 100 WEST	`	th/Day/Year) 1/2006			_	Director _X_ Officer (give to selow) Sr. V		Owner r (specify
	(Street)	4. If A	Amendment, D	ate Origina	al	$\epsilon$	. Individual or Joi	nt/Group Filin	g(Check
GREENWI	ICH, CT 06830	Filed(	Month/Day/Yea	ar)		-	Applicable Line) X_ Form filed by Or Form filed by Mo Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip) T	able I - Non-	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Code	4. Securit for Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of		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)
Common Stock	07/31/2006		M	18,000	A	\$ 30.4375	89,700	D	
Common Stock	07/31/2006		M	18,000	A	\$ 30.6563	107,700	D	
Common Stock	07/31/2006		M	18,000	A	\$ 28.3438	125,700	D	
Common Stock	07/31/2006		S	54,000	D	\$ 50.63	74,952 (1)	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  $(e.g., \, {\rm puts}, \, {\rm calls}, \, {\rm warrants}, \, {\rm options}, \, {\rm convertible} \, {\rm securities})$ 

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	iorDerivative Securities		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount Underlying Securition (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Sha
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 30.4375	07/31/2006		M		18,000	10/23/1998(2)	10/22/2007	Common Stock	18,0
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 30.6563	07/31/2006		M		18,000	09/24/1999 <u>(3)</u>	09/23/2008	Common Stock	18,0
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 28.3438	07/31/2006		M		18,000	05/03/2000(4)	05/02/2009	Common Stock	18,0

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
<b>Fg</b>	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
KOHLBERGER RICHARD A C/O UST INC. 100 WEST PUTNAM GREENWICH, CT 06830			Sr. Vice President					
Signatures								
Maria R. Sharpe, By Power of Attorney		08/02/2006						

2 Reporting Owners

\*\*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) Includes a total of 3,252 shares held in the UST Inc. Employees' Savings Plan as of this date.
- (2) Ratably over a three year period commencing 10/23/1998.
- (3) Ratably over a three year period commencing 09/24/1999.
- (4) Ratably over a three year period commencing 05/03/2000.

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