DRAUT ERIC JOHN

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Common

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08/24/2005

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * DRAUT ERIC JOHN			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol UNITRIN INC [UTR]				' 5	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) ONE EAST	(First) T WACKER DR	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/24/2005					(Check all applicable) _X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Executive Vice President & CFO			
				. If Amendment, Date Original iled(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)	Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative :	Secur	ities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			of (D)	Securities Ownership Inc Beneficially Form: Direct Be Owned (D) or Ov		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	08/24/2005			Code V M	Amount 9,845	(D)	Price \$ 25.37	72,430	D		
Common Stock	08/24/2005			M	2,378	A	\$ 36.9	74,808	D		
Common Stock	08/24/2005			M	11,249	A	\$ 37.82	86,057	D		

9,807

575

M

M

95,864

D

D

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Common Stock 08/24/2005 F 28,260 D \$ 68,179 D

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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 of TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Shares
Employee Stock Options (1)	\$ 25.37	08/24/2005		M		9,845	08/05/2005	02/05/2013	Common Stock	9,84
Employee Stock Options (1)	\$ 47.31	08/24/2005		A	7,080		02/24/2006	02/05/2013	Common Stock	7,08
Employee Stock Options (1)	\$ 36.9	08/24/2005		M		1,895	05/03/2004	05/03/2010	Common Stock	1,89
Employee Stock Options (1)	\$ 47.31	08/24/2005		A	1,642		02/24/2006	05/03/2010	Common Stock	1,64
Employee Stock Options (1)	\$ 36.9	08/24/2005		M		483	05/03/2004	05/03/2010	Common Stock	483
Employee Stock Options (1)	\$ 47.31	08/24/2005		A	417		02/24/2006	05/03/2010	Common Stock	417
Employee Stock Options (1)	\$ 37.82	08/24/2005		M		9,836	12/04/2002	05/05/2009	Common Stock	9,83
Employee Stock Options (1)	\$ 47.31	08/24/2005		A	8,640		02/24/2006	05/05/2009	Common Stock	8,64

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Employee Stock Options (1)	\$ 37.82	08/24/2005	M		1,413	12/04/2002	05/05/2009	Common Stock	1,41
Employee Stock Options (1)	\$ 47.31	08/24/2005	A	1,240		02/24/2006	05/05/2009	Common Stock	1,24
Employee Stock Options (1)	\$ 38.76	08/24/2005	M		837	06/03/2002	05/05/2009	Common Stock	837
Employee Stock Options (1)	\$ 47.31	08/24/2005	A	744		02/24/2006	05/05/2009	Common Stock	744
Employee Stock Options (1)	\$ 38.76	08/24/2005	M		414	06/03/2002	05/03/2010	Common Stock	414
Employee Stock Options (1)	\$ 47.31	08/24/2005	A	368		02/24/2006	05/03/2010	Common Stock	368
Employee Stock Options (1)	\$ 38.76	08/24/2005	M		5,568	06/03/2002	05/03/2010	Common Stock	5,56
Employee Stock Options (1)	\$ 47.31	08/24/2005	A	4,957		02/24/2006	05/03/2010	Common Stock	4,95
Employee Stock Options (1)	\$ 38.76	08/24/2005	M		2,358	06/03/2002	05/03/2010	Common Stock	2,35
Employee Stock Options (1)	\$ 47.31	08/24/2005	A	2,099		02/24/2006	05/03/2010	Common Stock	2,09
Employee Stock Options (1)	\$ 38.76	08/24/2005	M		630	06/03/2002	05/03/2010	Common Stock	630
Employee Stock Options (1)	\$ 47.31	08/24/2005	A	560		02/24/2006	05/03/2010	Common Stock	560
Employee Stock Options (1)	\$ 38.95	08/24/2005	M		575	06/06/2002	05/05/2009	Common Stock	575
Employee Stock Options (1)	\$ 47.31	08/24/2005	A	513		02/24/2006	05/05/2009	Common Stock	513

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

DRAUT ERIC JOHN

ONE EAST WACKER DRIVE X Executive Vice President & CFO

CHICAGO, IL 60601

Signatures

Eric J. Draut 08/25/2005

**Signature of Date

Reporting Person

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) Rights to buy.
- (2) Reporting person holds a total of 343,714 options under the Unitrin, Inc. 1990, 1997 and 2002 Stock Option Plans.

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