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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>KANGAS EDWARD A</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>ONE FINANCIAL PLAZA</u> (Street) <u>HARTFORD CT 06101</u> (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>UNITED TECHNOLOGIES CORP /DE/ [UTX]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>12/10/2008</u>	
	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially 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 Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			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	(A) or (D)	Price			

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date						Title
Phantom Stock Unit	\$0 ⁽¹⁾	12/10/2008		A		2,603.6242		(1)	(1)	Common Stock	2,603.6242	\$48.01	2,603.6242	D	
Restricted Stock Units	\$0 ⁽²⁾	12/10/2008		A		2,082.8994		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	2,082.8994	\$48.01	2,082.8994	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- Consists of Phantom Stock Units acquired by the reporting person in respect of his/her annual retainer for services as a non-employee director under a company program that provides for payment of all or a portion of the retainer in deferred stock units. Upon termination of services on the Board of Directors, all such Phantom Stock Units are payable in cash as a lump sum or in installments, at the election of the director.
- Consists of a one-time grant of deferred Restricted Stock Units awarded on the date of election. Vesting occurs over a five year period. Upon termination of services on the Board of Directors, all such deferred Restricted Stock Units are payable in cash.

Remarks:

/s/ Charles F. Hildebrand as 12/12/2008

Attorney-in-Fact

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

* 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).

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