FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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* BOYNTON BRUCE P (Last) (First) (Middle) 68 JONSPIN ROAD					Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol UNIFIRST CORP [UNF] Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/25/2011									all appli Director Office below	icable) or r (give title	ng Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner Other (specifications) of Operations		wner
(Street) WILMINGTON MA 01887 (City) (State) (Zip)					If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) tive Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Benefi								5. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable .ine) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transacti Date (Month/Day)				ction ay/Year)	on 2A. Deemed Execution Date,			3. Transact	4. Secur		rities Acquired (A) ed Of (D) (Instr. 3,		or 4	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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. Transac Code (Ir 8)		n Number		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: y Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		Beneficial Ownership
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisabl		opiration	Title	Amoun or Number of Shares						
Stock Appreciation Right ⁽¹⁾	\$49.67	10/25/2011		A		8,000		10/25/2016	5 10)/25/2021	Common stock (\$0.10 par value)	8,000	;	\$0	8,000		D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. This stock appreciation right becomes fully vested and exercisable on the fifth anniversary of the grant date (10/25/2016) and must be settled in stock at the time of exercise.

Remarks:

/s/ David Whitman, Attorneyin-Fact 11/14/2011

** 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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