## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <sup>*</sup> ESTATE OF ALDO A CROATTI					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol UNIFIRST CORP [ UNF ]										5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director X 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle)				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/20/2004											ficer (give title low)		Other below)	(specify	
68 JONSPIN ROAD (Street)				4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Lir	ie)	,					
WILMINGTON MA 01887														rm filed by Mor erson	re tha	an One Rep	oorting		
(City)	(St	ate) (Z	Zip)																
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) Date (Month/Day/				//Year)	Execution Date,			3. Transact Code (In 8)	ties Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			Sec Ben Owr	mount of urities leficially ned lowing	For (D) Indi	Ownership m: Direct or irect (I) str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
									Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	or	Price	Rep Tra	oorted nsaction(s) tr. 3 and 4)	(1113	u. <del>.</del> ,	(1130.4)
Common Stock / \$.10 par value 09/20/20					004	04		S		200	1	>	\$ <mark>28</mark> .	26	7,242		D		
	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)	tive Conversion Date Execution Date, or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			4. Transac Code (Ir 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) Amoun or		str.	8. Price of Derivativ Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transactior (Instr. 4)	, I , I , ()	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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Explanation of Responses:

## Marie Croatti, Executrix, by power of attorney 09/20/2004

\*\* 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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