FOSTER CHARLES H JR

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * FOSTER CHARLES H JR

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

UNIVERSAL CORP /VA/ [UVV]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

1501 N HAMILTON STREET

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

(Check all applicable)

11/30/2004

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Director

Officer (give title

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

RICHMOND, VA 23230

(State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

(City)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

SEC 1474

(9-02)

10% Owner

Other (specify

(A) or

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Reported

Code V Amount (D) Price

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., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amount of 4 Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionDerivative **Expiration Date Underlying Securities** Security or Exercise Code Securities (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and 4) (Instr. 3) Price of (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or

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Derivative Disposed of (D) Security (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) Code V (A) **Expiration Title** (D) Date Amount or Exercisable Number of Date Shares Deferred Common (1) stock (1) 11/30/2004 18,4881 (1) (1) 18.4881 Α Stock (1) units

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

FOSTER CHARLES H JR

1501 N HAMILTON STREET X RICHMOND, VA 23230

Signatures

Terri L. Marks, Power of Attorney for Charles H. Foster, Jr.

**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).

the deferred stock units were acquired under the Universal Corporation Outside Directors' Deferred Income Plan on a periodic basis

(1) during the month ended November 30, 2004. Each deferred unit will be settled in cash based upon a fixed day payout election or upon death, disability or termination of service, or earlier pursuant to the terms of the plan.

12/01/2004

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