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Form SC 13D/A  
March 04, 2003

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549

Schedule 13D

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934  
(Amendment No. 2)\*

UNITED RENTALS, INC.

(Name of Issuer)

COMMON STOCK, PAR VALUE \$.01 PER SHARE

(Title of Class of Securities)

911 363 109  
(CUSIP Number)

MICHAEL D. WEINER  
APOLLO MANAGEMENT IV, L.P.  
TWO MANHATTANVILLE ROAD  
PURCHASE, NEW YORK 10577  
(914) 694-8000

(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person  
Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications)

Copy to:

FEBRUARY 28, 2003  
(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of This Statement)

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but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes)

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1. Name of Reporting Persons  
Apollo Investment Fund IV, L.P.

S.S. or I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons

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2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group\*

(a) [ ]

(b) [X]

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3. SEC Use Only

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4. Source of Funds\*  
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5. Check Box if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings is Required Pursuant to  
Items 2(d) or 2(e)  
[ ]

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6. Citizenship or Place of Organization  
Delaware

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Number of  
Shares  
Beneficially  
Owned by  
Each  
Reporting  
Person  
With

7. Sole Voting Power  
15,712,349

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8. Shared Voting Power

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9. Sole Dispositive Power  
15,712,349

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10. Shared Dispositive Power

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11. Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person  
15,712,349

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12. Check Box if the Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares\*  
[X]

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13. Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (11)  
17.1%

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14. Type of Reporting Person\*  
PN

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1. Name of Reporting Persons  
Apollo Overseas Partners IV, L.P.

SS. or I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons

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2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group\*

(a)

(b)

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3. SEC Use Only

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4. Source of Funds\*  
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5. Check Box if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings is Required Pursuant to  
Items 2(d) or 2(e)

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6. Citizenship or Place of Organization  
Cayman Islands

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7. Sole Voting Power  
849,284

Number of  
Shares  
Beneficially  
Owned by  
Each  
Reporting  
Person  
With

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8. Shared Voting Power

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9. Sole Dispositive Power  
849,284

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10. Shared Dispositive Power

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11. Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person  
849,284

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12. Check Box if the Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares\*

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13. Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (11)  
.9%

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14. Type of Reporting Person\*  
PN

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1. Name of Reporting Persons  
Apollo Advisors IV, L.P.

SS. or I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons

2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group\*

(a)

(b)

3. SEC Use Only

4. Source of Funds\*  
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5. Check Box if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings is Required Pursuant to  
Items 2(d) or 2(e)

6. Citizenship or Place of Organization  
Delaware

7. Sole Voting Power

Number of  
Shares  
Beneficially  
Owned by  
Each  
Reporting  
Person  
With

8. Shared Voting Power

16,561,633

9. Sole Dispositive Power

10. Shared Dispositive Power

16,561,633

11. Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person  
16,561,633

12. Check Box if the Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares\*

13. Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (11)  
18.0%

14. Type of Reporting Person\*  
PN

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1. Name of Reporting Persons  
Apollo Management IV, L.P.

SS. or I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons

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2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group\*

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4. Source of Funds\*  
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5. Check Box if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings is Required Pursuant to  
Items 2(d) or 2(e)

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6. Citizenship or Place of Organization  
Delaware  
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7. Sole Voting Power

Number of	-----
Shares	8. Shared Voting Power
Beneficially	16,561,633
Owned by	-----
Each	9. Sole Dispositive Power
Reporting	-----
Person	10. Shared Dispositive Power
With	16,561,633

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11. Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person  
16,561,633  
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12. Check Box if the Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares\*

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13. Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (11)  
18.0%  
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14. Type of Reporting Person\*  
PN  
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This Amendment No. 2 filed on March 4, 2003 amends and supplements, as provided herein, the following Items of the Statement on Schedule 13D (the "Schedule 13D") of Apollo Investment Fund IV, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership ("AIFIV"), Apollo Overseas Partners IV, L.P., an exempted limited partnership registered in the Cayman Islands ("Overseas IV"), and Apollo Advisors IV, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership ("Advisors IV"), filed on October 29, 2001 with respect to the shares of common stock, par value \$0.01 per share ("Common Stock") of United Rentals, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Issuer"). Apollo Management IV, L.P. (together with AIFIV, Overseas IV and Advisors IV, the "Reporting Persons"), a Delaware limited partnership is the manager of Overseas IV and AIFIV. Unless otherwise indicated, all capitalized terms used but not defined herein have the meanings set forth in the Schedule 13D.

Responses to each item below are incorporated by reference into each other

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item, as applicable.

### ITEM 3. SOURCE AND AMOUNT OF FUNDS AND OTHER CONSIDERATION.

Item 3 of the Schedule 13D is hereby amended and supplemented with the following:

On February 28 and March 3, 2003, AIFIV and Overseas IV (collectively, the "Purchasers") purchased in ordinary course secondary market transactions an aggregate of 768,800 shares of Common Stock at per share purchase prices ranging from \$8.55 to \$8.75 (the "Transactions"). The purchases were financed with cash on hand.

### ITEM 4. PURPOSE OF THE TRANSACTION.

Item 4 of the Schedule 13D is hereby amended and supplemented with the following:

The Purchasers entered into the Transactions in the ordinary course based on the market price of the Common Stock and the Purchasers' expectations of the future price of the Common Stock. The Purchasers entered into the Transactions described in this statement as an investment in the Issuer. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Reporting Persons retain the right to change their investment intent, to propose one or more possible transactions to the Issuer's board, to acquire additional shares of preferred stock or Common Stock from time to time or to sell or otherwise dispose of all or part of the shares of Common Stock, in any manner permitted by law.

### ITEM 5. INTEREST IN SECURITIES OF THE ISSUER

Item 5 of the Schedule 13D is hereby amended and restated in its entirety as follows:

(a) The Reporting Persons beneficially own an aggregate of 1,228,300 shares of Common Stock as of the date hereof. The Reporting Persons beneficially own an aggregate of 300,000 shares of the Series C Preferred. Each share of Series C Preferred Stock is initially convertible into 40 shares of Common Stock as described in Item 4, or an aggregate of 12,000,000 shares of Common Stock. The Reporting Persons beneficially own an aggregate of 100,000 shares of the D-1 Preferred. Each share of D-1 Preferred is initially convertible into 33-1/3 shares of Common Stock as described in Item 4, or an aggregate of 3,333,333 shares of

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Common Stock.

Assuming the conversion of all of the shares of Series C Preferred and D-1 Preferred owned by the Reporting Persons, as of the date hereof, the Reporting Persons would beneficially own in the aggregate 16,561,633 shares of Common Stock of United Rentals, representing approximately 18.0% of the outstanding Common Stock of United Rentals, assuming conversion of all of the shares of Series C Preferred and D-1 Preferred owned by the Reporting Persons. Beneficial ownership of such shares was acquired as described in Item 3 and Item 4 to the Schedule 13D. See also the information contained on the cover pages to this Schedule 13D which is incorporated herein by reference.

(b) See the information contained on the cover pages to this Schedule 13D which is incorporated herein by reference.

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(c) On February 28 and March 3, 2003, the Purchasers purchased 768,800 shares of Common Stock in the following amounts and per share prices:

Trading Date	Total Shares	Price
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2/28/03	200	\$8.62
2/28/03	800	\$8.63
2/28/03	200	\$8.64
2/28/03	14,600	\$8.65
2/28/03	18,000	\$8.66
2/28/03	3,800	\$8.67
2/28/03	1,000	\$8.68
2/28/03	552,900	\$8.70
2/28/03	400	\$8.71
2/28/03	900	\$8.74
2/28/03	27,200	\$8.75
3/03/03	7,300	\$8.55
3/03/03	8,800	\$8.60
3/03/03	132,700	\$8.68

The Purchases were financed with cash on hand.

(d) Not applicable.

(e) Not applicable.

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SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of their knowledge and belief, the undersigned certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Dated: March 4, 2003

APOLLO INVESTMENT FUND IV, L.P.

By: Apollo Advisors IV, L.P.,  
its General Partner

By: Apollo Capital Management IV, Inc.,  
its General Partner

By: /s/ MICHAEL D. WEINER

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Name: Michael D. Weiner  
Title: Vice President, Apollo Capital  
Management IV, Inc.

APOLLO OVERSEAS PARTNERS IV, L.P.

By: Apollo Advisors IV, L.P.,  
its Managing General Partner

By: Apollo Capital Management IV, Inc.,  
its General Partner

By: /s/ MICHAEL D. WEINER

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Name: Michael D. Weiner

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Title: Vice President, Apollo Capital  
Management IV, Inc.

APOLLO ADVISORS IV, L.P.

By: Apollo Capital Management IV, Inc.,  
its General Partner

By: /s/MICHAEL D. WEINER  
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Name: Michael D. Weiner

Title: Vice President, Apollo Capital  
Management IV, Inc.

APOLLO MANAGEMENT IV, L.P.

By: AIF IV Management, Inc.,  
its General Partner

By: /s/ MICHAEL D. WEINER  
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Name: Michael D. Weiner

Title: Vice President, AIF IV  
Management, Inc.

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