

UNIVERSAL CORP /VA/  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**ROPER HARTWELL H**

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
1501 N HAMILTON STREET  
(Street)

RICHMOND, VA 23230

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**UNIVERSAL CORP /VA/ [UVV]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
02/16/2007

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Vice President & CFO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**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)
Common Stock	02/16/2007	02/16/2007	M			58,470	A	\$ 47.28	0	D
Common Stock	02/16/2007	02/16/2007	M			65,897	A	\$ 48.21	0	D
Common Stock	02/16/2007	02/16/2007	M			31,475	A	\$ 43.08	0	D
Common Stock	02/16/2007	02/16/2007	M			17,500	A	\$ 46.34	0	D
Common Stock	02/16/2007	02/16/2007	I			7,467	D	\$ 54.4646	0	D

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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 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
					V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Options to buy Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 47.28	02/16/2007	02/16/2007	M		27,782	12/17/2004	12/02/2009	Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>	27,782
Options to buy Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 47.28	02/16/2007	02/16/2007	M		30,688	12/17/2004	11/20/2007	Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>	30,688
Options to buy Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 48.21	02/16/2007	02/16/2007	M		2,206	06/17/2005	12/02/2009	Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>	2,206
Options to buy Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 48.21	02/16/2007	02/16/2007	M		10,288	06/17/2005	12/15/2007	Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>	10,288
Options to buy Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 48.21	02/16/2007	02/16/2007	M		53,403	06/17/2005	12/05/2012	Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>	53,403
Options to buy Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 43.08	02/16/2007	02/16/2007	M		31,475	06/17/2004	12/02/2009	Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>	31,475
Options to buy Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 46.34	02/16/2007	02/16/2007	M		17,500	12/31/2005	05/23/2015	Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>	17,500

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ROPER HARTWELL H 1501 N HAMILTON STREET RICHMOND, VA 23230			Vice President & CFO	

## Signatures

Terri L. Marks, Power of Attorney for Hartwell H. Roper	02/20/2007
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         \*\*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).

(1) options issued under the Executive Stock Plan

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