MILLIGAN GEORGE D

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading MILLIGAN GEORGE D Issuer Symbol UNITED FIRE & CASUALTY CO (Check all applicable) [UFCS] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction _X__ Director 10% Owner __ Other (specify Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) 118 SECOND AVENUE SE, P.O. 01/03/2012 **BOX 73909** (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting **CEDAR RAPIDS, IA 52407-3909**

(City)	(State)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned					
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any	3. Transaction Code	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially	6. Ownership Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8) Code V	(A) or Amount (D) Price	Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	01/03/2012	01/06/2012(1)	P(2) V(3)	\$ 2 (4) A 20.566 (5)	7,187 <u>(6)</u>	D	

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)

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Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transact Code (Instr. 8)	orNumber of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	:		Amou Under Securi (Instr.	lying	Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address Director 10% Owner Officer Other MILLIGAN GEORGE D 118 SECOND AVENUE SE X P.O. BOX 73909 **CEDAR RAPIDS, IA 52407-3909**

Signatures

/s/ George D. Milligan by Dianne M. Lyons, Attorney-in-Fact

01/09/2012 Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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 deemed execution date of this transaction is based on a report of the Company's Dividend Reinvestment Plan administor and transfer **(1)** agent.
- Shares acquired through participation in Company's Dividend Reinvestment Plan. **(2)**
- This transaction is exempt under Rule 16a-11 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and is voluntarily reported. **(3)**
- Represents the approximate number of shares acquired by the administrator of the Company's Dividend Reinvestment Plan for the reporting person, based on a statement of the administrator.
- (5) The price per share is based on a statement provided by the Company's Dividend Reinvestment Plan administrator.
- The total number of securities beneficially held directly by the reporting person fillowing the reported transaction includes: 6,942 shares held by Mr. Milligan in two separate brokerge accounts and 245 shares held of record by Mr. Milligan directly.

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