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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Marks Sco	Symbo		nd Ticker or Trading [NE]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
	(First) UTH DAIRY D, SUITE 800	(Month	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/02/2013			Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below)		
SUGAR L		mendment, i Month/Day/Yo	Date Original ear)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip) Ta	able I - Non	-Derivative Securities Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly 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 on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

(A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

By Trust **Shares** 12/02/2013 J 8,460.64 D \$0 0 Ι (1)

Shares 36,261 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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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Marks Scott 13135 SOUTH DAIRY ASHFORD SUITE 800 SUGAR LAND, TX 77478

Sr. VP - Engineering

Signatures

/s/ Julie J. Robertson By Power of Attorney dated July 29, 2011

12/04/2013

**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).

Due to a Plan change which affected all participating employees, phantom units held in the Noble Drilling Corporation 401 (k)

Restoration Plan were automatically converted to shares and fully liquidated. These phantom units have previously been reported as shares in Table I. Phantom units held in the Noble Drilling Corporation 401 (k) Savings Plan were automatically converted and fully liquidated in a transaction that was not reportable on the Form 4.

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