FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* MORRISSEY RAYMOND J					<u>U1</u>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol UNITIL CORP [UTL]									(Check all ap Dire V Offi		olicable) etor er (give title	1	Person(s) to Issu 10% Owr Other (sp below)		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 6 LIBERTY LANE WEST					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/29/2005										Delov	elow) below) Vice President					
(Street) HAMPT()3842 Zip)		- 4. If -	4. If Amendment, Date of Origina					f Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						ual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
		Tabl	e I - No	n-Deriv	ative/	Sec	uritie	s Ac	quired	, Dis	sposed o	f, or	Ben	efic	ially	Owne	ed				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Da				Execution y/Year) if any		cution Date,		ction Instr.	4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		(A) or 3, 4 aı	4 and 5) Sec Ber Ow		ount of ities icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
									Code	v	Amount	(<i>A</i>	() or ()	Price	•	Repor Transa (Instr.	action(s) 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock, no par value. 04/29/2			/2005	005		J ⁽¹⁾		125		A	\$	\$26		0							
Common Stock, no par value. 05/12/2				/2005	005		J ⁽²⁾		125		A	\$27		3,222.074		D					
Common Stock, no par value. 03/31/2				/2005	005		J ⁽³⁾		114.198	3	A	\$29.885		5,450.911		I ⁽⁴⁾		Held in trust.			
	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) (Month/Day/Year) 3. Transaction Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year) 3. Transaction Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) Code (Instr. 8)			of Deriv	r osed) :. 3, 4	6. Date Expirati (Month/	on Da Day/Y			nstr. 3	ıt r		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Owner Form: Direct or Ind (I) (Ins	(D) rect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)					

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Shares granted pursuant to the Unitil Corporation Restricted Stock Plan on April 29, 2004. Shares represent 25% of total grant and vested on April 29, 2005. The terms of the Unitil Corporation Restricted Stock Plan specify valuation at time of vesting. Vested shares are unrestricted and fully transferable by owner. Total direct ownership remains the same as total reported on Form 4 filed March 14, 2005
- 2. Shares granted pursuant to the Unitil Corporation Restricted Stock Plan on May 12, 2003. Shares represent 25% of total grant and vested on May 12, 2005. The terms of the Unitil Corporation Restricted Stock Plan specify valuation at time of vesting. Vested shares are unrestricted and fully transferable by owner. Total direct ownership remains the same as total reported on Form 4 filed March 14, 2005
- 3. Shares were purchased between January 1 March, 31, 2005 at an average price of \$26.885 under the terms and conditions of the Unitil Corporation Tax Deferred Savings and Investment Plan.
- 4. Shares are held in trust under the terms of the Unitil Corporation Tax Deferred Savings and Investment Plan.

/s/ Raymond J. Morrissey 05/13/2005

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * 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).

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