SEC Form 4

FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person[*] MEISSNER THOMAS P JR	2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol UNITIL CORP [UTL]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle) 6 LIBERTY LANE WEST	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/16/2009		Director		10% Owner
		X	Officer (give title below)		Other (specify below)
(Street) HAMPTON NH 03842	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)			Sr. Vice President	
(City) (State) (Zip)		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person ☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

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)	Price			
Common stock, no par value	02/16/2009		J[(1)]		438	A	$20.49	0	D	
Common stock, no par value	03/09/2009		J[(2)]		350	A	$18.25	11,760	D	
Common stock, no par value								739.31[(3)]	I	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)	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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

Explanation of Responses:

1. Shares granted pursuant to the Unitil Corporation Restricted Stock Plan on February 16, 2006. Shares represent 25% of total grant and vested on February 16, 2009. The terms of the Unitil Corporation Restricted Stock Plan specify valuation at the time of vesting. Vested shares are unrestricted and fully transferable by owner.

2. Shares granted pursuant to the Unitil Corporation Restricted Stock Plan on March 8, 2005. Shares represent 25% of total grant and vested on March 9, 2009. The terms of the Unitil Corporation Restricted Stock Plan specify valuation at the time of vesting. Vested shares are unrestricted and fully transferable by owner.

3. Shares are held in trust under the terms of the Unitil Corporation Tax Deferred Savings and Investment Plan.

/s/ Thomas P. Meissner, Jr.	03/10/2009
** 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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