

UNITED FIRE GROUP INC  
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**FORM 5**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**ANNUAL 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

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Quass Mary K.  
  
(Last) (First) (Middle)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
UNITED FIRE GROUP INC  
[UFCS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
  
(Check all applicable)

118 SECOND AVENUE SE, P.O. BOX 73909  
  
(Street)

3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year)  
12/31/2014

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

CEDAR RAPIDS, IA 52407-3909  
  
(City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting  
  
(check applicable line)

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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 at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock				(A) or (D) Price	9,488 (1)	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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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)	8. F. Der Sec (Instr. 3)	
					(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 39.13	Â	Â	Â	Â Â	Â <u>(2)</u>	02/17/2016	Common Stock	2,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 31.05	Â	Â	Â	Â Â	Â <u>(2)</u>	05/17/2016	Common Stock	1,333
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 29.28	Â	Â	Â	Â Â	Â <u>(2)</u>	11/16/2017	Common Stock	2,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 33.78	Â	Â	Â	Â Â	Â <u>(2)</u>	05/21/2018	Common Stock	3,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 22.46	Â	Â	Â	Â Â	Â <u>(3)</u>	05/19/2020	Common Stock	2,727
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 20.4	Â	Â	Â	Â Â	Â <u>(4)</u>	02/18/2021	Common Stock	2,727
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 21.095	Â	Â	Â	Â Â	Â <u>(5)</u>	05/16/2022	Common Stock	2,145
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 28.925	Â	Â	Â	Â Â	Â <u>(6)</u>	05/15/2023	Common Stock	1,755

## Reporting Owners

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

## Signatures

Mary K. Quass by Michael T. Wilkins,  
Attorney-in-Fact

02/13/2015

\*\*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).
- The number of securities beneficially held directly by the Reporting Person includes: 8,202 shares held by the Reporting Person
- (1) individually and 1,286 shares of restricted stock issued to the Reporting Person under the Issuer's 2005 Non-Qualified Non-Employee Stock Option and Restricted Stock Plan which vest, subject to certain conditions, on May 21, 2017.
  - (2) All options currently exercisable.
  - (3) 2,182 options currently exercisable. Remaining options become vested and exercisable on 05/19/2015.
  - (4) 1,636 options currently exercisable. Remaining options become vested and exercisable in equal installments on 02/18/2015 and 02/18/2016, respectively.
  - (5) 858 options currently exercisable. Remaining options become vested and exercisable in equal installments on 05/16/2015, 05/16/2016 and 05/16/2017, respectively.
  - (6) 351 options currently exercisable. Remaining options become vested and exercisable in equal installments on 05/15/2015, 05/15/2016, 05/15/2017 and 05/15/2018, respectively.

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