BUFFETT WARREN E

Form 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

08/22/2006

Stock

See Instruction

BERKSHI	RE HATHAWA	Symbo	CORP [USG]	Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) 1440 KIEW	(First) VIT PLAZA	(Mont	e of Earliest Transaction n/Day/Year) //2006	DirectorX 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)		
(Street)			mendment, Date Original Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person		
OMAHA, N	NE 68131			_X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip) T	able I - Non-Derivative Securities Acq	uired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Dat (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Securities Ownership Indirect Beneficially Form: Beneficial Owned Direct (D) Ownership Following or Indirect Reported (I) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common	00/00/0006		390,200 \$	15,959,292 See		

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. Transac Code (Instr. 3	etion 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Amor Unde Secur	rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code	V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
Transporting of the France of France of State of	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
BERKSHIRE HATHAWAY INC 1440 KIEWIT PLAZA OMAHA, NE 68131		X				
BUFFETT WARREN E 1440 KIEWIT PLAZA OMAHA, NE 68131		X				
OBH INC 1440 KIEWIT PLAZA OMAHA, NE 68131		X				
NATIONAL INDEMNITY CO 3024 HARNEY ST. OMAHA, NE 68131		X				

Signatures

/s/ Marc D. Hamburg on behalf of Berkshire Hathaway Inc.	08/24/2006
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Warren E. Buffett	08/24/2006
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Mark Millard on behalf of National Indemnity Co.	08/24/2006
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Marc D. Hamburg on behalf of OBH, Inc.	08/24/2006
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

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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).
- (1) These shares are owned by National Indemnity Company ("NICO"), a subsidiary of Berkshire Hathaway Inc. ("Berkshire").
 - As Berkshire and OBH, Inc. ("OBH"), a subsidiary of Berkshire, are each in the chain of ownership of NICO, each of Berkshire and OBH may be deemed presently to both beneficially own and have a pecuniary interest in all shares of USG Corporation ("USG") common
- (2) stock presently owned by NICO. Warren E. Buffett, as controlling shareholder of Berkshire, may be deemed presently to beneficially own, but only to the extent he has a pecuniary interest in, the shares of USG common stock presently owned by NICO. Mr. Buffett disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

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