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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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See Instruction

Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **GAMBEE STEPHEN M**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

UMPQUA HOLDINGS CORP

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

[UMPQ]

(Check all applicable)

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

_X__ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner _ Other (specify

ONE SW COLUMBIA STREET, **SUITE 1200**

(Street)

02/12/2008

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

PORTLAND, OR 97258

(City)	(State) (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. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d of (D)	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)
Common Stock	02/12/2008		J	1,029	A	(1)	3,252 (2)	I	by Deferred Comp Pln
Common Stock	02/12/2008		P	2,000	A	\$ 15.98	11,300	I	by OR Enviro Ind.
Common Stock							628	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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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/		Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

GAMBEE STEPHEN M ONE SW COLUMBIA STREET, SUITE 1200 X PORTLAND, OR 97258

Signatures

By: Steven L. Philpott, Attorney in Fact For: Stephen M.

Gambee

02/13/2008

**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).
- (1) Not required.
- (2) Holdings reported include shares acquired pursuant to the Issuer's Director Compensation Plan.

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