**Unum Group** Form 4 February 27, 2017

# FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Arnold Timothy Gerald |            |          | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Unum Group [UNM] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)                             |  |  |  |
|---|------------|----------|---|--|--|--|--|
| (Last)  | (First)    | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction                                     | (Check an applicable)  |  |  |  |
| 1 FOUNTAIN  | SQUARE     |          | (Month/Day/Year)<br>02/23/2017                                      | Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below)  EVP, President & CEO, Colonial        |  |  |  |
|   | (Street)   |          | 4. If Amendment, Date Original                                      | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  |  |  |  |
| CHATTANOC   | OGA, TN 37 | 7402     | Filed(Month/Day/Year)   | Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |  |  |  |

| (City)                               | (State)                                 | (Zip) Tabl  | e I - Non-D                             | Perivative Secu                                   | rities Acq  | uired, Disposed o  | f, or Beneficial   | ly Owned  |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|---|---|-------------|--|--|---|
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3.<br>Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securities A on(A) or Dispose (Instr. 3, 4 and | ed of (D)   | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|                                      |   |   | Code V                                  | (A) or Amount (D)                                 |             | Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4)                   | `  | ,   |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 02/23/2017                              |   | F                                       | 922 (1) D   | \$<br>48.65 | 17,305 (2)   | D  |   |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 02/24/2017                              |   | F                                       | 522 (3) D   | \$<br>48.48 | 16,783 <u>(4)</u>  | D  |   |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 02/25/2017                              |   | F                                       | 437 <u>(5)</u> D                                  | \$<br>48.48 | 16,346 <u>(6)</u>  | D  |   |
| Common<br>Stock                      |   |   |   |   |             | 583.26   | I  | By 401(k) plan  |

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)

| 1. Title of Derivative | 2. Conversion                                     | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) |                      | 4.                 | 5.<br>onNumber | 6. Date Exerc<br>Expiration D |                    | 7. Titl         |  | 8. Price of Derivative | 9. Nu<br>Deriv  |
|------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|----------------|-------------------------------|--------------------|-----------------|--|------------------------|---|
| Security (Instr. 3)    | or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | (Month/Day/Tear)                     | any (Month/Day/Year) | Code<br>(Instr. 8) | of             | (Month/Day/e                  |                    | Under<br>Securi | rlying                                 | Security (Instr. 5)    | Secur<br>Bene<br>Owne<br>Follo<br>Repo<br>Trans<br>(Instr |
|                        |   |                                      |                      | Code V             | (A) (D)        | Date<br>Exercisable           | Expiration<br>Date | Title           | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares |                        |   |

## **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Arnold Timothy Gerald 1 FOUNTAIN SQUARE CHATTANOOGA, TN 37402

EVP, President & CEO, Colonial

# **Signatures**

/s/ Jullienne, J. Paul,

Attorney-in-Fact 02/27/2017

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- 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).
- Shares withheld to satisfy tax withholding obligation applicable to the vesting of 2,719.284 stock-settled RSUs (as defined in footnote (2) **(1)**
- Includes 9,900 restricted stock units, which may be settled, on a 1-for-1 basis, only in shares of common stock ("stock-settled RSUs"), **(2)** and 7,405 shares of common stock. Fractional amounts have been rounded to the nearest whole number.
- Shares withheld to satisfy tax withholding obligation applicable to the vesting of 1,554.552 stock-settled RSUs.
- Includes 8,345 stock-settled RSUs and 8,438 shares of common stock. Fractional amounts have been rounded to the nearest whole **(4)** number.
- Shares withheld to satisfy tax withholding obligation applicable to the vesting of 1,269.679 stock-settled RSUs.

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(6) Includes 7,076 stock-settled RSUs and 9,270 shares of common stock. Fractional amounts have been rounded to the nearest whole number.

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