FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Washington, B.C. 20045

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			or Section 30(n) of the investment Company Act of 1940						
	ess of Reporting Perso	on <sup>*</sup>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ULTRALIFE BATTERIES INC [ ULBI ]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
BARRELLA JOSEPH N					Director	10% Owner			
(Last) 2000 TECHNO	(First) LOGY PARKWAY	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/20/2004	X	Officer (give title below) Sr VP New Business	Other (specify below)  Development			
(Street) NEWARK	NY	14513	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indi Line)	vidual or Joint/Group Filin Form filed by One Rep Form filed by More tha	orting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)			Person	IT Offer Reporting			

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 Disposed Of			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code	v	Amount	mount (A) or (D)		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				
Common Stock, \$.10 par value	05/20/2004		M		500	A	\$10	65,000	D			
Common Stock, \$.10 par value	05/20/2004		S		500	D	\$19.54	64,500	D			
Common Stock, \$.10 par value	05/20/2004		М		500	A	\$12.38	65,000	D			
Common Stock, \$.10 par value	05/20/2004		S		500	D	\$19.54	64,500	D			
Common Stock, \$.10 par value	05/20/2004		М		4,000	A	\$4.96	68,500	D			
Common Stock, \$.10 par value	05/20/2004		S		4,000	D	\$19.54	64,500	D			
Common Stock, \$.10 par value	05/20/2004		М		1,000	A	\$5.18	65,500	D			
Common Stock, \$.10 par value	05/20/2004		S		1,000	D	\$19.54	64,500	D			
Common Stock, \$.10 par value	05/20/2004		М		500	A	\$14.38	65,000	D			
Common Stock, \$.10 par value	05/20/2004		S		500	D	\$19.54	64,500	D			
Common Stock, \$.10 par value	05/20/2004		М		1,482	A	\$3.15	65,982	D			
Common Stock, \$.10 par value	05/20/2004		S		1,482	D	\$19.54	64,500	D			
Common Stock, \$.10 par value	05/20/2004		S		5,000	D	\$19.54	59,500	D			
Common Stock, \$.10 par value	05/20/2004		S		10,000	D	\$20.875	49,500	D			

# 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. Transa Code ( 8)		of Deri Sec Acq (A) ( Disp of (I	erivative (Month/Day/Year) curities quired ) or sposed (D) str. 3, 4		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				
Common Stock (Right to Buy)	\$10	05/20/2004		M			500	06/30/2003	06/30/2010	Common Stock, \$.10 par value	500	\$0	1,000 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	
Common Stock (Right to Buy)	\$12.38	05/20/2004		M			500	12/31/2003	12/31/2010	Common Stock, \$.10 par value	500	\$0	1,000 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	
Common Stock (Right to Buy)	\$4.96	05/20/2004		М			4,000	04/25/2004	04/25/2009	Common Stock, \$.10 par value	4,000	\$0	4,000 <sup>(3)</sup>	D	

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				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Common Stock (Right to Buy)	\$5.18	05/20/2004		M			1,000	04/21/2003	04/21/2010	Common Stock, \$.10 par value	1,000	\$0	500 <sup>(4)</sup>	D	
Common Stock (Right to Buy)	\$14.38	05/20/2004		М			500	09/30/2003	09/30/2010	Common Stock, \$.10 par value	500	\$0	1,000 <sup>(5)</sup>	D	
Common Stock (Right to Buy)	\$3.15	05/20/2004		M			1,482	04/16/2004	04/16/2008	Common Stock, \$.10 par value	1,482	\$0	9,000 <sup>(6)</sup>	D	

### **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Vests as follows: 500 shares on 6/30/04 and 500 shares on 6/30/05.
- 2. Vests as follows: 500 shares on 12/31/04 and 500 shares on 12/31/05.
- 3. Vest as follows: 4000 shares on 4/25/05.
- 4. Vests as follows: 500 shares on 4/21/05.
- 5. Vests as follows: 500 shares on 9/30/04 and 500 shares on 9/30/05.
- 6. Vests as follows: 9000 shares on 4/16/05.

### Remarks:

Robert W. Fishback by Authority of Joseph N. Barrella

05/24/2004

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- $^{\star}$  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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