UTSTARCOM INC

Form 4

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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 Add LU HONG LI | | ting Person * | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol UTSTARCOM INC [UTSI] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | | |
|-------------------------------|----------|---------------|---|--|--|--|
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction | (Check all applicable) | | |
| 1275 HARBO PARKWAY, | | | (Month/Day/Year) 11/30/2007 | _X Director 10% Owner _X Officer (give title Other (specify below) CEO | | |
| | (Street) | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check | | |
| ALAMEDA, | CA 94502 | | Filed(Month/Day/Year) | Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | |

| (City) | (State) | (Zip) Tab | le I - Non- | Derivative S | ecurit | ies Acc | quired, Disposed | of, or Benefic | ially Owned | |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|---|--------------|-----------|-----------|--|---|---|--|
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) | | | of (D) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | Code V | Amount | or (D) | Price | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | (Instr. 4) | | |
| Common Stock | 11/30/2007 | | M | 117,000 | A | \$0 | 2,518,425 | D | | |
| Common Stock | 11/30/2007 | | A | 40,000 | A | \$0 | 2,558,425 | D | | |
| Common stock | 11/30/2007 | | F | 54,346 | D | \$ 2.9 | 2,504,079 | D | | |
| Common stock | 11/30/2007 | | A | 133,543 | A | \$ 0 | 2,637,622 | D | | |
| Common stock | | | | | | | 229,000 | I (4) | By partnership | |

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| Common stock | 115,927 | I (5) | By trust |
|--------------|---------|-------|-------------|
| Common stock | 14,073 | I (6) | By trust |
| Common stock | 5,332 | I | By daughter |
| Common stock | 5,332 | I | By son |
| | | | |

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 Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of iorDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amoun Underlying Securiti (Instr. 3 and 4) | |
|---|---|---|---|---|--|---------|--|--------------------|---|-----------------------|
| | Security | | | Code V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amor Numl Share |
| Share Purchase Rights (right to buy) | \$ 0 | 11/30/2007 | | M | | 117,000 | <u>(1)</u> | <u>(1)</u> | Common Stock | 117. |
| Restricted Stock Units | <u>(2)</u> | 11/30/2007 | | A | 267,086 | | (3) | (3) | Common Stock | 267 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|
| • | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | |
| LU HONG LIANG | | | | | | |
| 1275 HARBOR BAY PARKWAY | X | | CEO | | | |
| SUITE 100 | Λ | | CLO | | | |
| ALAMEDA, CA 94502 | | | | | | |

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Signatures

By Thomas Savage, as Attorney-in-Fact on behalf of Hong Liang Lu

12/04/2007

**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).
- On February 1, 2007, UTSI's Compensation Committee of the Board determined that, based on the reporting person's level of satisfaction of certain performance criteria for UTSI's fiscal year ending December 31, 2006, the reporting person will be eligible to receive 117,000 shares of UTSI's Common Stock at a later date to be determined by the Compensation Committee, subject to compliance with applicable law. On November 26, 2007, the Compensation Committee approved the issuance of the shares effective November 30, 2007.
- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of UTStarcom common stock.
 - Total number of shares earned shall be based on management performance objectives for fiscal year 2007 as approved by the Compensation Committee in April 2007 on the date that the Compensation Committee determines, in its sole discretion, that such MBOs have been achieved, with the Compensation Committee's determination to be made as soon as administratively practicable following the
- 2007 fiscal year end, subject to the grantee remaining a "service provider" (as defined in the 2006 Equity Incentive Plan) through such date. Following the determination of the number of shares earned, the shares shall vest 50% on February 29, 2008 and 50% on February 27, 2009.
- (4) Shares registered in the name of The Lu Family Limited Partnership of which the reporting person is a general partner
- (5) Shares registered in the name of the Lu Charitable Remainder Trust of which the reporting person is the trustee
- Shares registered in the name of The Lu Family Trust of which the reporting person is a trustee and of which the reporting person and his
- (6) spouse are beneficiaries. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership except to the extent of his and his spouse's pecuniary interest therein.

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