

UNITED DEFENSE INDUSTRIES INC  
Form 15-12B  
June 24, 2005

UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

**FORM 15**

Certification and Notice of Termination of Registration under Section 12(g) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Suspension of Duty to File Reports Under Section 13 and 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Commission File Number: 001-16821

**United Defense Industries, Inc.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**1525 Wilson Boulevard, Suite 700, Arlington, Virginia, (703) 312-6100**

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code, of registrant's principal executive offices)

**Common Stock, \$.01 Par Value**

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Title of each class of securities covered by this Form)

**None**

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Titles of all other classes of securities for which a duty to file reports under section 13(a) or 15(d) remains)

Please place an X in the box(es) to designate the appropriate rule provision(s) relied upon to terminate or suspend the duty to file reports:

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| Rule            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Rule            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| 12g-4(a)(1)(i)  |                                     | 12h-3(b)(1)(i)  |                                     |
| Rule            | <input type="checkbox"/>            | Rule            | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| 12g-4(a)(1)(ii) |                                     | 12h-3(b)(1)(ii) |                                     |
| Rule            | <input type="checkbox"/>            | Rule            | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| 12g-4(a)(2)(i)  |                                     | 12h-3(b)(2)(i)  |                                     |
| Rule            | <input type="checkbox"/>            | Rule            | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| 12g-4(a)(2)(ii) |                                     | 12h-3(b)(2)(ii) |                                     |
|                 |                                     | Rule 15d-6      | <input type="checkbox"/>            |

Approximate number of holders of record as of the certification or notice date:

One

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, United Defense Industries, Inc. has caused this certification/notice to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned duly authorized person.

United Defense Industries, Inc.

Dated: June 24,  
2005

By: /s/ David V.  
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David V. Kolovat