U-Store-It Trust Form 4 April 05, 2005

FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * AMSDELL BARRY L

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Middle)

U-Store-It Trust [YSI] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Officer (give title

X_ Director

(Check all applicable)

C/O U-STORE-IT TRUST, 6745

(Street)

(First)

ENGLE ROAD, SUITE 300

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

10% Owner

Other (specify

(Instr. 4)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Month/Day/Year)

03/18/2005

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(Instr. 4)

below)

CLEVELAND, OH 44130

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) Ownership

(A)

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

or

Code V Amount (D) Price

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

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number of **Transaction**Derivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)				
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount of Number of Shares
Limited Partnership Units of U-Store-It, L.P.	<u>(1)</u>	03/18/2005		J <u>(2)</u>	293,197	03/18/2006	(3)	Common Shares	293,19
Limited Partnership Units of U-Store-It, L.P.	<u>(1)</u>					10/27/2005	(3)	Common Shares	337,756
Limited Partnership Units of U-Store-It, L.P.	Ш					10/27/2005	(3)	Common Shares	187,249
Limited Partnership Units of U-Store-It, L.P.	<u>(I)</u>					10/27/2005	(3)	Common Shares	604,510

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
. 9	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
AMSDELL BARRY L C/O U-STORE-IT TRUST 6745 ENGLE ROAD, SUITE 300 CLEVELAND, OH 44130	X					
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Signatures

/s/ Nick Katzakis,
Attorney-in-Fact
04/05/2005

**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) Units of U-Store-It, L.P. are redeemable for an equal number of shares of the Issuer's common stock or, at the election of the Issuer, cash equal to the fair market value of such shares.

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- On March 18, 2005, in connection with U-Store-It, L.P.'s (the Issuer's operating partnership) exercise, pursuant to an option agreement dated as of October 27, 2004, of its option to purchase the Orlando II, FL and the Boyton Beach II, FL facilities from Rising Tide
- (2) Development, LLC, a company owned indirectly by the reporting person, U-Store-It, L.P. issued Class A units of limited partnership interest to Rising Tide Development, LLC. The average closing price of the Issuer's common shares for the 10 consecutive trading days immediately preceding the closing date of the purchase of the option facilities (\$17.17) was used to determine the number of securities issued.
- (3) These limited partnership units have no expiration date.
 - The reporting person has a 50% pecuniary interest in the units owned by Rising Tide Development, LLC, Amsdell Holdings I, Inc.,
- (4) Amsdell & Amsdell general partnership and the trust. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

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