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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* HOLDEN RICHMOND Y JR						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ACME UNITED CORP [ACU] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)									eck all app X Direc	olicable) ctor		Owner	
(Last)	`	rst) (Middle)				04/23/2007									Offic belo	er (give title w)	Other below	(specify)	
C/O ACME UNITED CORP 60 ROUND HILL ROAD					4. If A	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)				
(Street) FAIRFIELD CT 06824															X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(S	tate) (Zip)																
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/						Exe if a	Deeme ecution ny onth/Da	Date,	, Transaction Dispos Code (Instr. and 5)			urities Ac sed Of (D)			Secur	icially d	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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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 Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year		4. Transaction Code (Instr 8)		n Number		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)			B. Price of Derivative Security Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		piration te	Title	Amo or Num of Shar	ber					
Stock Option	\$14.51	04/23/2007			A		2,500		04/24/2007	04	/23/2017	Common Stock	2,5	00	\$14.51	32,500	D		

Explanation of Responses:

/s/ Richmond Y. Holden, Jr. 04/24/2007

** Signature of Reporting Person Da

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

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