FORM 4

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

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  DRISCOLL PAUL G						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ACME UNITED CORP [ ACU ]										all app	licable) tor	1	Person(s) to Issue		
(Last)	(Fir	st) (N	/liddle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/05/2004										X	Officer (give title below)			Other (specify below)		
C/O ACN													Vice President & CFO								
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		Tabl	e I - No	on-Deriv	ative S	ecu	ritie	s Acq	uired, C	)isp	osed o	f, or	Bene	ficia	ally (	Owne	ed				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transact Date (Month/Day						Execution Date,			Transaction Dispose Code (Instr. and 5)			rities Acquired ed Of (D) (Instr.			3, 4 Se Be		Securities   F Beneficially ( Owned   I		ship rect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code V		Amount	:	(A) or (D) Pric		Repo ce Trans			(Instr. 4)		(111501. 4)					
ACME UNITED CORPORATION 03/05/2 COMMON STOCK						2004			P		750	A		\$5.	.69	2,150		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)	v Conversion Date Execution Date, or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			4. Transact Code (In 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Inst 3 and 4)			8. Pr of Deriv Secu (Inst	vative rity	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Owner Form: Direct or Ind (I) (Ins 4)	(D)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
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Explanation of Responses:

<u>/s/ Paul G. Driscoll</u> <u>03/08/2004</u>

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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