FORM 4

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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]									elationship eck all appl Direct	icable)	ng Pe	erson(s) to Is	
(Last)	(Fi	rst) (3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/31/2006								2	Office below	r (give title)		Other (s	specify		
C/O ACME UNITED CORP															V	ice Presid	ent a	and CFO	
60 ROUND HILL ROAD						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									3. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)				
(Street)														Y Form	Form filed by One Reporting Person				
FAIRFIELD CT 06824														Form Perso	,	e tha	ın One Rep	orting	
(City)	(St	tate) (Zip)																
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transacti Date (Month/Day)						Execution Date,						rities Acquired (A) ed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			Securit Benefic Owned	cies For cially (D)		m: Direct or rect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
									Code	v	Amoun	ount (A) or (D)		Price				tr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
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)	Execution Date, if any		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		of I		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)			8. 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)	Beneficial Ownership
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		piration te	Title	Amo or Num of Shar	nber					
Employee Stock Option	\$15.15	07/31/2006			A		10,000		(1)	07.	/31/2016	Common Stock	10,0	000	\$15.15	48,500		D	

Explanation of Responses:

 $1.\ 2,\!500\ shares\ will\ vest\ on\ August\ 1,\ 2007,\ 2,\!500\ shares\ will\ vest\ on\ August\ 1,\ 2008,\ 2,\!500\ shares\ will\ vest\ on\ August\ 1,\ 2009\ and\ 2,\!500\ shares\ will\ vest\ on\ August\ 1,\ 2010.$

<u>/s/ Paul G. Driscoll</u> <u>08/03/2006</u>

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- * 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).

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