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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* JOHNSEN WALTER C						Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ACME UNITED CORP [ACU] Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)									neck al	onship of Report Il applicable) Director	ing Pe	erson(s) to 1	
(Last)	(Fir	rst) (Middle)				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/02/2010									X	Officer (give title below)		Other (specify below)	
C/O ACME UNITED CORP															C	EO and Chair	man	of the Bo	ard
60 ROUND HILL ROAD					4. If A	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)				
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day)						Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired Disposed Of (D) (Instr. and 5)						S B O	. Amount of ecurities eneficially wned ollowing	Forr (D) o	wnership m: Direct or rect (I) tr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
									Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	R	eported ransaction(s) nstr. 3 and 4)	(,	(111541. 4)
Common Stock 09/02/20						010			S		70,00	0	D	\$9.95		401,972		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)	erivative Conversion Date Execution Date Conversion Conversi			tion Date,	Code (Ir	Transaction of Code (Instr. B) Derivation (A) or Disposor of (D) (Instr. and 5)			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration Exercisable Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr 3 and 4) Amoun or Numbo of Title Shares			8. Pric of Deriva Securi (Instr.	derivative Securities ty Beneficiall	y [0]	IO. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect I) (Instr.	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Explanation of Responses:

<u>/s/ Walter C. Johnsen</u> <u>09/02/2010</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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