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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* WARD STEVENSON E III						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ACME UNITED CORP [ACU]									Relationsheck all ap	plicable)	ng Person(s)	o Issuer Owner
(Last)	(Fin	,	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/02/2005											Officer (give title below)		er (specify w)		
C/O ACME UNITED CORP 1931 BLACK ROCK TURNPIKE						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									e)		p Filing (Ched	
(Street) FAIRFIE	Street) FAIRFIELD CT 06825														X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(Sta	ate) (Z	Zip)															
		Tabl	e I - N	lon-Deriv	ative S	Secu	ıritie	s Acc	uired,	Dis	posed of	f, or	Bene	eficia	ly Own	ed		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/					//Year)	Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired (Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3)						Secu Bene Own	nount of rities ficially ed wing	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	
		Code	v	Amount	(A (C				i) or	Price	Repo Tran		(111301. 4)	(1134: 4)				
Common Stock 05/02/20					005			S		3,500		D	\$16.7	2	13,200	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)	Title of 2. 3. Transaction 3A. Deemed erivative Conversion Date Execution Date ecurity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			tion Date,	4. Transac Code (Ir 8)		of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) o Dispo	r osed) r. 3, 4	Date Exercisal	n Da	sable and te Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Ir 3 and 4)		str.	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transactior (Instr. 4)	Ownersh Form: Direct (D or Indire (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership	

Explanation of Responses:

/s/ Stevenson E. Ward, III 05/03/2005

** 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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