FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington,	D.C.	20549	

STATEMENT	OF CHANGES II	N 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 ]  3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)							Relationship heck all appli Direct X Office below	cable) or (give title	g Pers	son(s) to Iss 10% Ov Other (s below)	vner		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 55 WALLS DRIVE					01/26/2021								See Remarks					
(Street)	CLD C	Т	06824		4. 1						6. Lir	X Form filed by One Reporting Person				n		
(City)	(S	itate)	(Zip)			Form filed by More than One Reporting Person							ung					
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
Date				action 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Instr. 5)		ed (A) or tr. 3, 4 an	Benefici	es Form ally (D) o Following (I) (Ir		n: Direct r Indirect sstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)					
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D) Price		Transac	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(111541.4)
Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																		
Derivative   Conversion   Date   Execution Date,   Security   or Exercise   (Month/Day/Year)   if any				ransaction of ode (Instr. Derivative			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)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
				c	ode	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisab		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Employee Stock Option	\$32.64	01/26/2021			A		10,000		(1)	C	01/26/2031	Common Stock	10,000	\$32.64	171,30	00	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. 25% one day after first year anniversary of date of grant; 25% one day after second year anniversary of date of grant; 25% one day after third year anniversary of date of grant; 25% one day after fourth year anniversary of date of grant.

## Remarks:

Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

/s/ Paul G. Driscoll 01/29/2021

\*\* 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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