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* OLSCHAN BRIAN S (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O ACME UNITED CORP 60 ROUND HILL ROAD (Street) FAIRFIELD CT 06824 | | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ACME UNITED CORP [ACU] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/19/2010 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Pe Check all applicable) Director X Officer (give title below) Pres, Chief Operati 5. Individual or Joint/Group Filinine) X Form filed by One Rep Form filed by More tha | | | | 10% C Other below) ons Office g (Check A | Owner (specify er Applicable |
|--|--|-----------|------|---|--|--|--|------|--|--|---|---------------|--|-----------------------|---|--------------------------------------|--|--|---|------------------------------|
| (City) | (\$ | state) (a | Zip) | | | Person | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transacti Date (Month/Day | | | | | | Execution D | | | Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. and 5) | | rities Acquired (A ed Of (D) (Instr. 3 | | | 3, 4 Sec Bei Ow | | Amount of ecurities eneficially wned | | vnership n: Direct r ect (I) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | | | | | | Code | v | Amount | | (A) or (D) | Price | • | Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | (Instr. 4) | | (111501. 4) | |
| Common | Stock | | 010 | | | | M | | 1,700 | D \$ | | \$10 | .65 | 61,800 | | D | | | | |
| Common Stock 08/18/2 | | | | | | 2010 | | | | | 100 | D \$ | | \$10 | .65 | 61,700 | | | 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) | ative Conversion or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) 3) Price of Derivative Security Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | | | ransaction of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration Exercisable Date | | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instrance 3 and 4) Amount or Numb of Title Share: | | nstr. | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | | 0. wnership orm: irect (D) r Indirect) (Instr. | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |

Explanation of Responses:

<u>/s/ Brian S. Olschan</u> <u>08/19/2010</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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