ACME UNITED CORP

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * HOLDEN RICHMOND Y JR

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

ACME UNITED CORP [ACU]

(Check all applicable)

C/O ACME UNITED CORP, 60

(Street)

(First)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)

12/05/2008

ROUND HILL ROAD

4. If Amendment, Date Original

3.

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Middle)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

FAIRFIELD, CT 06824

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) any (Month/Day/Year)

Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of 5. Amount of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Owned Indirect (I) Ownership **Following** (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported

D

(A) or Code V Amount (D)

Transaction(s) Price

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Common 12/05/2008 Stock

S 1,271 D 10,001

4. Securities Acquired

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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									of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10%
Owner Officer Other

HOLDEN RICHMOND Y JR C/O ACME UNITED CORP 60 ROUND HILL ROAD FAIRFIELD, CT 06824

X

Signatures

/s/ Richmond Y.
Holden, Jr.
12/08/2008

**Signature of Reporting Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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