ACME UNITED CORP

Form 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **MURPHY SUSAN H**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

ACME UNITED CORP [ACU]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

09/28/2016

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

C/O ACME UNITED CORP, 55

(Street)

WALLS DR

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

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

below)

FAIRFIELD, CT 06824

(City) (State) (Zip) 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

09/28/2016

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Acquired Execution Date, if

Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially (D) or Owned **Following**

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

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(9-02)

any (Month/Day/Year)

(Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Reported (A) Transaction(s) or

Amount (D) Price

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Common Stock

Security

(Instr. 3)

G 2,400

9,603

D

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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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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)		ate	7. Title Amoun Underly Securiti (Instr. 3	unt of erlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title N	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
1 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
MURPHY SUSAN H C/O ACME UNITED CORP 55 WALLS DR FAIRFIELD, CT 06824	X							

Signatures

/s/ Susan H.
Murphy

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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