#### KOBYLINSKI BRIAN

Form 4

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## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * KOBYLINSKI BRIAN			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol ACTUANT CORP [ATU]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an applicable)			
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner			
N86 W12500 WESTBROOK CROSSING			01/09/2012	_X_ Officer (give titleOther (specify below) Exec. VP - Industrial			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
MENOMONEE FALLS, WI 53051				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned							
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. SecurionAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	l (A) of (D) 4 and (A) or	)) 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Class A Common Stock	01/09/2012		Code V A	Amount 6,900 (1)	(D)	Price (2)	151,372	D	
Class A Common Stock							13,474 (3)	I	By 401(k)
Class A Common Stock							1,607	I	By Deferred Compensation Plan

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)

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of onDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) (4)	\$ 22.87	01/09/2012		A	18,000	<u>(5)</u>	01/09/2022	Class A Common Stock	18,000

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

KOBYLINSKI BRIAN N86 W12500 WESTBROOK CROSSING MENOMONEE FALLS, WI 53051

Exec. VP - Industrial

## **Signatures**

/s/ Eric Orsic, as Attorney-in-Fact 01/11/2012

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

# **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Restricted stock units granted under the Actuant Corporation 2009 Omnibus Incentive Plan.
- (2) Not applicable.
  - Represents the best estimate of the number of share equivalents held by the reporting person in the unitized stock fund of the Actuant
- (3) 401(k) Plan. The unitized stock fund consists of stock of Actuant and cash and other short term investments. The number of Actuant share equivalents fluctuates depending on the ratio of the number of shares of stock of Actuant in the fund to other investments.

(4) Option granted under the Actuant Corporation 2009 Omnibus Incentive Plan.

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(5) Fifty percent of the option becomes exercisable on 01/09/2015 and the balance becomes exercisable on 01/09/2017.

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