HOLDEN RICHMOND Y JR

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * HOLDEN RICHMOND Y JR			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	(Check an applicable)			
			(Month/Day/Year)	X Director 10% Owner			
C/O ACME WALLS DR		ORP, 55	09/04/2018	Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
	(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 _ Form filed by More than One Reporting			
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Person

FAIRFIELD, CT 06824

(State)

(City)

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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	09/04/2018		M	3,787	A	\$ 10.83	19,037	D	
Common Stock	09/04/2018		D	3,787	D	\$ 21.45	15,250	D	
Common Stock	09/04/2018		M	750	A	\$ 9.26	16,000	D	
Common Stock	09/04/2018		D	750	D	\$ 21.45	15,250	D	

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number action Derivative Securities 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		(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	\$ 10.83	09/04/2018		M		3,787	04/24/2012	04/23/2022	Common Stock	3,787
Employee Stock Option	\$ 9.26	09/04/2018		M		750	04/26/2011	04/25/2021	Common Stock	750

Reporting Owners

	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
HOLDEN RICHMOND Y JR							
C/O ACME UNITED CORP	X						
55 WALLS DR							

Signatures

FAIRFIELD, CT 06824

/s/ Richmond Y.
Holden Jr.

**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). Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure.

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