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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)										
1. Name and Address of Reporting Perso HALL WILLIAM K	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ACTUANT CORP [ATU]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) _X_Director10% Owner			
(Last) (First) 6100 NORTH BAKER ROAD		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/10/2003						Officer (give title below)O	other (specify be	low)
(Street) MILWAUKEE, WI 53209	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 Person			
(City) (State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								
Title of Security 2. Transaction nstr. 3) Date (Month/Day/Y		Execution Date, if			(A) or Disposed of (D)		f(D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Ownership of Indire	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)

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

(<i>e.g.</i> , puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)															
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion		3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transact Code	ion	5.	ber ative ities ired sed) 3,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) ive ies ed ed 8,		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities		Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	Beneficial
				Code	V	,	,	Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Phantom Stock (1)		09/11/2003		А		224		<u>(1)</u>	(1)	Class A Common Stock	224	\$55.81	224	D	

Reporting Owners

	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
HALL WILLIAM K 6100 NORTH BAKER ROAD MILWAUKEE, WI 53209	Х						

Signatures

Kathryn M. Moore, As Attorney-In-Fact		09/11/2003
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**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).

(2) The phantom stock is converted 1 for 1 into shares of Class A Common Stock.

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⁽¹⁾ Pursuant to the Outside Directors' Compensation Plan, the phantom stock units are settled in stock generally following the director's termination of service.