# FORM 4

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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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	pe Responses													
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * YOST LARRY D			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ACTUANT CORP [ATU]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)X_ Director 10% Owner					
	(Last) (First) (Middle) 100 NORTH BAKER ROAD			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/09/2006					-	Officer (g	give title below)	Oth	er (specify belo	w)
(Street) MILWAUKEE, WI 53209			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
	(City) (State) (Zip)			Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acq					ties Acquire	uired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned				
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#### **Reporting Owners**

	Relationships				
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
YOST LARRY D 6100 NORTH BAKER ROAD MILWAUKEE, WI 53209	X				

### **Signatures**

/s/ Eric Orsic, As Attorney-In-Fact	03/10/2006
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) Pursuant to the Outside Directors' Deferred Compensation Plan, the phantom stock units are settled in stock generally following the director's termination of service
- (2) The phantom stock is converted 1 for 1 into shares of Class A Common Stock.

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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