#### FORM 4

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

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(Print or Type	e Responses)																			
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person LAMPEREUR ANDREW					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ACTUANT CORP [ATU]									_x_	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner					
13000 WEST SILVER SPRING DRIVE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/12/2010									X	X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)  Executive Vice President - CFO					
(Street)				4. I	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)									_X_ Fo	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
BUTLER,	W1 53007	(State)	(Zip)																	
		(Suite)	T													of, or Benef				
(Instr. 3) Date (Month/Day/Year) a			Exect	Execution Date, if			3. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)		on 4. Securities Acqu (A) or Disposed or (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Beneficia Reported	Amount of Securities eneficially Owned Following eported Transaction(s) nstr. 3 and 4)			6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
							Co	de	V	Amou	nt	(A) or (D)	Price					(I) (Instr. 4)		
Class A Co	Class A Common Stock 01/12/2010		01/12/2010		A			13,000 (1)	0	A	(2)	156,600	56,600			D				
Class A Common Stock													10,869	869 <sup>(3)</sup>			I	By 401(k)		
Class A Co	Class A Common Stock												731				I	By ESP	P	
Class A Common Stock													2,130 (4	)			I	By Defe Comper Plan		
Class A Co	Class A Common Stock											28,000			I B		By IRA			
Reminder: Re	eport on a se	parate line for ea	ch class of securitie	II - De	rivativ	e Sec	urities .	Acqu	Pe in a o	ersons this for current Dispose	rm ly v ed o	are novalid O	t req MB c	uired to re control nu	espond ι mber.	f informati unless the			SEC 147	74 (9-02)
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Employee Stock Option (right to buy) (5)	\$ 19.2	01/12/2010	0		A	2	14,400			<u>(6)</u>	01	/12/20		Class A Common Stock	44,400	\$ 0	44	4,400	D	

# **Reporting Owners**

	Relationships							
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
LAMPEREUR ANDREW 13000 WEST SILVER SPRING DRIVE BUTLER, WI 53007	X		Executive Vice President - CFO					

### **Signatures**

/s/ Eric Orsic, as Attorney-in-Fact	01/14/2010
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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).
- (1) Restricted stock 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 401(k) Plan. The unitized stock fund consists of stock (3) 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
- (4) Best estimate of shares held pursuant to Actuant Corporation Deferred Compensation Plan.
- (5) Options granted under the Actuant Corporation 2009 Omnibus Incentive Plan.
- (6) Fifty percent of the option becomes exercisable on 01/12/2013, and the balance becomes exercisable on 01/12/2015.

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