FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(rini of Type Responses)											
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person Grissom Sheri	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ACTUANT CORP [ATU]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director10% Owner				
(Last) (First) 13000 W. SILVER SPRING DRIV		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/31/2011						X_Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) VP Human Resources			
(Street) BUTLER, IL 53007	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						ired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Ow	, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned		
1. Title of Security 2. Transaction (Instr. 3) Date (Month/Day/Year)		Execution Date, if any	3. Transact Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Ownership Form:	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)	
Class A Common Stock								38,794	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)														
Security	Conversion	Date (Month/Day/Year)	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Transaction of Derivative Code Securities		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities		Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	Beneficial		
				Code	v	(A)		Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Phantom Stock ⁽¹⁾	(2)	03/31/2011		А		106.1		(1)	(1)	Class A Common Stock	106.1	\$ 29	315.79	D	
Phanton Stock ⁽¹⁾	<u>(2)</u>	04/29/2011		А		166.26		(1)	(1)	Class A Common Stock	166.26	\$ 27.76	482.05	D	

Reporting Owners

	Relationships							
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Grissom Sheri 13000 W. SILVER SPRING DRIVE BUTLER, IL 53007			VP Human Resources					

Signatures

/s/ Eric Orsic, as Attorney-in-Fact	05/03/2011
Signature of Reporting Person	Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

- (1) Pursuant to the Actuant Corporation Deferred Compensation Plan, the phantom stock units are settled in stock generally following the participant's termination of employment.
- (2) The phantom stock is converted 1 for 1 into shares of Class A Common Stock.

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