## 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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(Print or Type	e Responses)																
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * ARZBAECHER ROBERT C					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				
(Last) (First) (Middle) N86 W12500 WESTBROOK CROSSING					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/16/2013							X	X_Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) President and CEO				
(Street)				4. If Ame	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				
MENOMO	ONEE FAI	LS, WI 5305	51									Fo	rm filed by N	More than One I	Reporting Person		
(City)		(State)	(Zip)				Table I	- No	n-Deriva	tive Secu	urities	Acquired, l	Disposed	of, or Benef	ficially Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		Date (Month/Day/Year)	A. Deemed Execution Date, if any Month/Day/Year		if (	(Instr. 8)		tion 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		of (D)	5. Amount of Secu Beneficially Owne Reported Transacti (Instr. 3 and 4)		d Following	6. Ownersh Form: Direct (D	Indirect Beneficia Ownershi	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
							Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	e			(I) (Instr. 4)	(IIIour 1)	
Class A Co	ommon St	ock	04/16/2013				M		80,000	A	\$ 15.9	559,382	2		D		
Class A Co	ommon St	ock	04/16/2013				S <sup>(1)</sup>		80,000	D	\$ 30 (2)	479,382	479,382		D		
Class A Common Stock											60,000	60,000		Ι	By Family Limited Partnerships		
Class A Co	ommon St	ock										36,546	(3)		I	By 401	(k)
Class A Co	ommon St	ock										11,900			I	By IRA	
Class A Co	ommon St	ock										2,200			I	By Fam	ily (4)
Class A Co	ommon St	ock										2,400			I	By Spo	use
Class A Common Stock		ock										33,817	<u>(5)</u>		I	By Defo Compe	
Reminder: Re	eport on a se	parate line for ea	nch class of securities	I - Derivati	ive Se	ecuri	ities Acqu	P in a ired	ersons v this for current	m are n ly valid d of, or l	ot red OMB Benefi	quired to re control nu	espond ( mber.		on contained form display		74 (9-02)
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)  2. Conversion or Exercise or Exercise Derivative Security		Date		Code	if Transaction of Code S (Instr. 8) A		of Derivative		(Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		Derivative I Security (Instr. 5)	Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	of Indirect Beneficial
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Dat Exe	e ercisable	Expiration Date	on	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) (6)	\$ 15.91	04/16/201	3	М			80,000		<u>(7)</u>	10/21/2	2013	Class A Common Stock	80,000	\$ 0	0	D	

# **Reporting Owners**

	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
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ARZBAECHER ROBERT C			
N86 W12500 WESTBROOK CROSSING	X	President and CEO	
MENOMONEE FALLS, WI 53051			

### **Signatures**

/s/ Eric Orsic, as Attorney-in-Fact	04/17/2013
**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) The sale reported on this Form 4 was effected pursuant to a 10b5-1 trading plan.
- The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. The shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$30.00 to \$30.06 inclusive. The reporting person undertakes (2) to provide Actuant Corporation, any securityholder of Actuant Corporation, or the Staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, separate prices within the range set forth in footnote (2) to this Form 4.
- 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 other investments.
- (4) Owned by daughters.
- (5) Best estimate of shares held pursuant to the Actuant Corporation Deferred Compensation Plan.
- (6) Option granted under the Actuant Corporation 2002 Stock Option Plan.
- (7) Fifty percent of the option became exercisable on 10/21/2005 and the balance became exercisable on 10/21/2008.

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