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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, DC 20549

FORM 5

ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,  
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or  
Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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Form 3 Holdings Reported

Form 4 Transactions Reported

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person\*

Benkovic James  
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(Last) (First) (Middle)

1931 Black Rock Turnpike  
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(Street)

Fairfield CT 06825  
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(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Acme United Corporation (ACU)

3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an Entity (Voluntary)

4. Statement for Month/Year

December 31, 2002

5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Year)

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6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

Vice President of Sales

7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (check applicable line)

Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I -- Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of,  
or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Trans- action Date (mm/dd/yy)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (mm/dd/yy)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) ----- (A) or (D)	Price	5. Amo Sec Ben Own at of Fis (In
Common Stock	2/26/2001		A5	600	A	12,
Common Stock	2/26/2001		A5	300	A	12,
Common Stock	8/02/2001		A5	400	A	12,
Common Stock	1/23/2002		A5	600	A	12,
Common Stock	1/23/2002		A5	400	A	12,

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

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Table II -- Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned  
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conver- sion or Exer- cise Price of Deriv- ative Secur- ity	3. Trans- action Date (mm/dd/ yy)	3A. Deemed Execut- ion Date if any (mm/dd/ yy)	4. Trans- action Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) ----- (A) (D)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) ----- Date Expira- tion Date		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) ----- Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option	3.6250	1/24/1995		A5*	5,000	1/24/98	1/24/05	Common Stock
Stock Option	4.0000	6/25/1996		A5*	3,000	6/25/99	6/25/06	Common Stock
Stock Option	5.3750	1/27/1998		A5*	2,000	1/27/01	1/27/08	Common Stock
Stock Option	2.1250	1/26/1999		A5*	5,000	1/26/02	1/26/09	Common Stock
Stock Option	2.1250	6/22/1999		A5*	3,000	6/22/02	1/26/09	Common Stock
Stock Option	1.6250	1/25/2000		A5*	5,000	(a)	1/25/13	Common Stock
Stock Option	2.3750	4/21/2000		A5*	5,000	(b)	1/25/13	Common Stock
Stock Option	3.5600	10/10/2000		A5*	5,000	(c)	1/25/13	Common Stock
Stock Option	2.7500	5/07/2001		A5*	7,000	(d)	1/25/13	Common Stock
Stock Option	3.0500	11/12/2001		A5*	10,000	(e)	11/12/11	Common Stock

Explanation of Responses:

(a) 1,250 shares vested on January 25, 2000, 1,250 shares vested on January 25, 2001, 1,250 shares will vest on January 25, 2003. (b) 1,250 shares vested on April 21, 2000, 1,250 shares

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shares vested on April 21, 2002 and 1,250 will vest on April 21, 2003. (c) 1,250 shares vested on October 10, 2001, 1,250 shares vested on October 10, 2002 and 1,250 shares will vest on May 7, 2001, 1,750 shares vested on May 7, 2002, 1,750 shares will vest on May 7, 2003 (e) 2,500 shares vested on November 12, 2001, 2,500 shares vested on November 12, 2002, 2,500 shares and 2,500 will vest on November 10, 2004.

/s/ James Benkovic

February 10, 2003

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\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

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Date

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations.

See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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