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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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may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

Form 3 Holdings Reported

Form 4 Transactions Reported

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person\*

Penisten Gary Dean  
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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)

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Acme United Corporation (ACU)

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

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4. Statement for Month/Year

December 31, 2002

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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)

Chairman

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	11/24/1999		A5*	47,287	A	101
Common Stock (Nathaniel D. Martin Ugma NY)	12/17/2002		*See below	500	D	101

Note: Transferred Trusteeship to his Aunt.

\* 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. 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	2.90	4/23/01		A5*	7,500	4/23/01	4/22/11	Common Stock 7,500
Stock Option	4.20	4/22/02		A5*	2,500	4/22/02	4/21/12	Common Stock 2,500

Explanation of Responses:

\* All transactions were reported to shareholders in the proxy statement for the year in which the

/s/ Gary D. Penisten

January 21, 2003

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

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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