

ROTH DOUGLAS A  
Form 4  
September 06, 2017

**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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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
ROTH DOUGLAS A

(Last) (First) (Middle)

4 TRI HARBOR COURT

(Street)

PORT WASHINGTON, NY 11050

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
ACETO CORP [ACET]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
09/01/2017

4. If Amendment, Date Original  
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

Sr. Vice President & CFO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
\_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ 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<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A)<br>or Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------------|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|---|---|
| COMMON<br>STOCK                       | 09/01/2017                              |   | A                                    | (A)<br>or<br>(D)<br>Amount<br>(1)<br>29,900                             | Price<br>\$ 10.67  | 104,303   | D   |
| COMMON<br>STOCK                       | 09/01/2017                              |   | A                                    | (2)<br>7,783  | \$ 10.67   | 112,086   | D   |
| COMMON<br>STOCK                       | 09/06/2017                              |   | S                                    | (3)<br>6,500  | (4)<br>\$ 10.4691  | 105,586   | 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)

| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number<br>of<br>Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired<br>(A) or<br>Disposed<br>of (D)<br>(Instr. 3,<br>4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and<br>Amount of<br>Underlying<br>Securities<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Number of<br>Derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following the<br>Reported<br>Transaction<br>(Instr. 10) |
|---|--|---|---|--------------------------------------|--|--|---|---|--|
|   |  |   |   | Code                                 | V (A) (D)  | Date<br>Exercisable  | Expiration<br>Date  | Title   | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares   |

## Reporting Owners

### Reporting Owner Name / Address

### Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ROTH DOUGLAS A  
4 TRI HARBOR COURT  
PORT WASHINGTON, NY 11050

Sr. Vice President & CFO

## Signatures

/s/ Douglas Roth

09/01/2017

\_\_\_\_\_  
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) Grant of restricted stock pursuant to long term incentive plan.
- (2) Represents vesting of Performance Restricted Stock Units (based upon financial and total shareholder return performance of the Company) from grant of July 2, 2014.
- (3) Automatic sale under Rule 10b5-1 to cover the Reporting Person's tax obligation in connection with the vesting of an equity award(s) granted previously.

The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$10.33 to \$10.55. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Aceto, any security holder, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth above.

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