

ACETO CORP  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Shackley Nicolas I

(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)  
09/09/2015

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT

6. 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. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction 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) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| COMMON STOCK                    | 09/09/2015                           |  | A                              | (A)<br>or<br>(D)<br>A   | 6,265<br>(1)<br>\$ 24.19<br>(2)   | 28,479 (3)   | D   |
| COMMON STOCK                    | 09/09/2015                           |  | D                              | (A)<br>or<br>(D)<br>D   | 2,468<br>(4)<br>\$ 22.1981  | 26,011   | D   |
| COMMON STOCK                    | 09/09/2015                           |  | A                              | (A)<br>or<br>(D)<br>A   | 2,004<br>(1)<br>\$ 22.14  | 28,015   | D   |
| COMMON STOCK                    | 09/10/2015                           |  | S                              | (A)<br>or<br>(D)<br>D   | 737 (4)<br>\$ 21.9606   | 27,278   | 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 Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 5) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|--|
|  |  |                                      |  | Code                           | V (A) (D)   | Date Exercisable   | Expiration Date   | Title                                      | Amount or Number of Shares                                       |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |           |                       |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|-----------------------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer               | Other |
| Shackley Nicolas I<br>4 TRI HARBOR COURT<br>PORT WASHINGTON, NY 11050 |               |           | SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT |       |

## Signatures

N. SHACKLEY 09/09/2015

\_\_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) Represents vesting of Performance Restricted Stock Units (Based on financial and total shareholder return performance of the Company) from grant of July 2, 2012.
- (2) Reflects Share price on day of vesting (July 2, 2015).
- (3) Includes deduction of 54 shares which were inadvertently included in the reporting person's Form 4 filed on July 2, 2015
- (4) 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.

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