

MCGRODDY JAMES  
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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 \*  
MCGRODDY JAMES

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3520 KRAFT ROAD, SUITE 300

(Street)

NAPLES, FL 34105

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
ACI WORLDWIDE, INC. [ACIW]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
12/11/2017

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)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	12/11/2017		M		30,000	A	\$ 9.6667
							76,896
Common Stock	12/11/2017		S		30,000	D	\$ 22.4041
							46,896 <sup>(2)</sup>
							<u>(1)</u>
Common Stock	12/13/2017		M		30,000	A	\$ 14.3033
							76,896
Common Stock	12/13/2017		S		30,000	D	\$ 22.4
							46,896
Common Stock	12/13/2017		M		30,000	A	\$ 13.2033
							76,896

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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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 9.6667	12/11/2017		M	30,000	(3) 06/15/2021	Common Stock	30,000
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 13.2033	12/13/2017		M	30,000	(3) 06/14/2022	Common Stock	30,000
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 14.3033	12/13/2017		M	30,000	(3) 06/11/2023	Common Stock	30,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MCGRODDY JAMES 3520 KRAFT ROAD SUITE 300 NAPLES, FL 34105	X			

## Signatures

By: Dennis Byrnes, Attorney in Fact For: James C. McGroddy

12/13/2017

\*\*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) The sale price ranged from \$22.4 to \$22.45, with a weighted average sale price of \$22.404092. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.

(2) The reporting person engaged in the transactions reported herein, and the gift described below, as part of his personal estate planning. Mr. McGroddy's beneficial ownership of the securities herein is 46,896 shares. The beneficial ownership reflects a charitable gift of 12,000 shares on November 21, 2017, which transaction will be reported on an Annual Statement of Beneficial Ownership of Securities on Form 5.

(3) The options were granted pursuant to the ACI Worldwide, Inc. 2005 Equity and Performance Incentive Plan, as amended.

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