

MORGAN DONALD E III  
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**FORM 4**

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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 \*  
Brigade Leveraged Capital Structures Fund Ltd.

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O INTERTRUST CORP SVCS (CAYMAN) LTD, 190 ELGIN AVENUE, GEORGE TOWN

(Street)

GRAND CAYMAN, E9 KY1-9007

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
Ascent Capital Group, Inc. [ASCMA]

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

\_\_\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_X\_ 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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Series A Common Stock	12/11/2017		S		860,000	D	\$ 11
					860,000	I (1)	
Series A Common Stock					43,000	I (2)	

See Footnote (1)

See Footnote (2)

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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 Owned Beneficially (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
Brigade Leveraged Capital Structures Fund Ltd. C/O INTERTRUST CORP SVCS (CAYMAN) LTD 190 ELGIN AVENUE, GEORGE TOWN GRAND CAYMAN, E9 KY1-9007		X		
BRIGADE CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LP 399 PARK AVENUE 16TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022		X		
MORGAN DONALD E III C/O BRIGADE CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LP 399 PARK AVENUE, 16TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022		X		
Brigade Capital Management GP, LLC 399 PARK AVENUE 16TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022		X		

## Signatures

Brigade Leveraged Capital Structures Fund Ltd., By: /s/ Donald E. Morgan, III, Director 12/13/2017  
\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

Brigade Capital Management, LP, /s/ Donald E. Morgan, III, Managing Member of its General Partner 12/13/2017

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<u>  </u> Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Donald E. Morgan, III	12/13/2017
<u>  </u> Signature of Reporting Person	Date
Brigade Capital Management GP, LLC, /s/ Donald E. Morgan, III, Managing Member	12/13/2017
<u>  </u> 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).

The reported securities are directly owned by Brigade Leveraged Capital Structures Fund Ltd. (the "Fund") and may be deemed beneficially owned by Brigade Capital Management, LP, the investment manager of the Fund, Brigade Capital Management GP, LLC, the general partner of Brigade Capital Management, LP, and Donald E. Morgan, III, the managing member of Brigade Capital

- (1) Management GP, LLC, each a Reporting Person. Brigade Capital Management, LP, Brigade Capital Management GP, LLC and Mr. Morgan each disclaim beneficial ownership of the reported securities except to the extent of their pecuniary interest therein, and this report shall not be deemed to be an admission that each Reporting Person is the beneficial owner of the securities for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or for any other purpose.

The reported securities are directly owned by another private investment fund and may be deemed beneficially owned by Brigade Capital Management, LP, the investment manager of such other fund, Brigade Capital Management GP, LLC, the general partner of Brigade Capital Management, LP, and Donald E. Morgan, III, the managing member of Brigade Capital Management GP, LLC, each a Reporting

- (2) Person. Brigade Capital Management, LP, Brigade Capital Management GP, LLC and Mr. Morgan each disclaim beneficial ownership of the reported securities except to the extent of their pecuniary interest therein, and this report shall not be deemed to be an admission that each Reporting Person is the beneficial owner of the securities for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or for any other purpose.

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