FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Sachleben Mark  (Last) (First) (Middle)				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ACUITY BRANDS INC [ AYI ]  3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/24/2024								(Ch	eck all appli X Directo	cable) or (give title	g Pers	10% Ow Other (s below)	ner	
C/O ACUITY BRANDS, INC. 1170 PEACHTREE STREET, NE, SUITE 1200					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							Line	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person					
(Street)	ΓA G.	A	30309	309			Form filed by More than One Reporting Person  Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication											
(City) (State) (Zip)				Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10.														
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																	
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D			Execution Date		e, Transaction Disposed C Code (Instr. 5)		ties Acquired (A) or d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 an			es ally Following	Form (D) or	: Direct r Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership					
						Code V	Am	nount (A) or (D)		Price	Transac	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			Instr. 4)			
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 Dat if any (Month/Day/Ye	ate, Tr	ansaction ode (Instr.		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exerci Expiration Da (Month/Day/Yo	ate		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative (Instr. 3 and	f g Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4)	e es ally g	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Co	ode	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expira Date	ation	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Stock Units	(1)	01/24/2024			A		417 <sup>(2)</sup>		(2)	(2)	)	Common Stock	417	\$0 <sup>(3)</sup>	1,865	,	D	
Deferred Restricted Stock Units	(1)	01/24/2024			A		681 <sup>(4)</sup>		01/24/2025 <sup>(4)</sup>	(4)	)	Common Stock	681	\$0 <sup>(3)</sup>	681		D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 2. Stock Units are accrued under the Issuer's Amended and Restated 2012 Omnibus Stock Incentive Compensation Plan ("Stock Plan") and are payable in shares upon retirement in either lump sum or five annual installments. Accruals resulted from the Reporting Person's election to receive a portion of annual director fees payable on January 24, 2024 in the form of deferred stock units.
- 3. The number of DSUs received was calculated based on \$227.87, which was the average of the high and low sales prices of a share of the Issuer's common stock on the five trading dates immediately preceding
- 4. Deferred Restricted Stock Units (DSUs) issued pursuant to the Issuer's Amended and Restated 2012 Omnibus Stock Incentive Compensation Plan. The DSUs resulted from the Reporting Person's election to receive a portion of annual director fees in the form of a DSU. The DSUs will vest in full on the first anniversary of the grant date, or, if earlier, the date of the next subsequent annual meeting of the Issuer's stockholders following the grant date. Once vested, DSUs will be payable upon retirement in either lump sum or five annual installments.

## Remarks:

/s/ Chanda Kirchner, Attorneyin-Fact for Mark J. Sachleben

01/26/2024

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- $^{\star}$  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).

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