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# FORM 4

#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Smart Jill |          |          | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Accenture plc [ACN] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer   |  |  |  |
|--|----------|----------|--|--|--|--|--|
| (Last)   | (First)  | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction  | (Check all applicable)   |  |  |  |
|  |          |          | (Month/Day/Year)   | Director 10% Owner   |  |  |  |
| C/O ACCENTURE, 161 N. CLARK<br>STREET                |          |          | 12/31/2012   | X Officer (give title Other (spe<br>below) below)  Chief Human Resources Office                      |  |  |  |
|  | (Street) |          | 4. If Amendment, Date Original   | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  |  |  |  |
| CHICAGO, IL  | 60601    |          | Filed(Month/Day/Year)  | Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |  |  |  |
| (City)   | (State)  | (Zip)    | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acq                                | uired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owne   |  |  |  |

| (City)                               | (State)                              | (Zip) Tab   | le I - Non-I                            | Derivative   | Secur  | ities Acqu  | uired, Disposed of   | f, or Beneficial   | ly Owned |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|---|--------------|--|-------------|--|--|----------|
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3.<br>Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | on(A) or Dis | urities Acquired Disposed of (D) 3, 4 and 5)  (A) or |             | 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: Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) |          |
| Class A ordinary shares              | 12/31/2012                           |   | A                                       | 35,000       |  | \$ 0 (1)    | 102,385  | D  |          |
| Class X ordinary shares              | 12/31/2012                           |   | J(2)                                    | 35,000       | D  | \$ 0 (3)    | 163,000  | D  |          |
| Class A ordinary shares              | 01/01/2013                           |   | A                                       | 9,855        | A  | \$ 0        | 112,240  | D  |          |
| Class A ordinary                     | 01/01/2013                           |   | F                                       | 1,464        | D  | \$<br>65.95 | 110,776  | D  |          |

shares

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.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | Code   | 5. Number of iorDerivative 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. P<br>Der<br>Sec<br>(Ins |
|---|---|---|---|--------|--|--|--------------------|---|-------------------------------------|----------------------------|
|   |   |   |   | Code V | (A) (D)  | Date<br>Exercisable                                      | Expiration<br>Date | Title   | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of Shares |                            |
| Class I<br>common<br>shares of<br>Accenture<br>SCA  | <u>(4)</u>  | 12/31/2012                              |   | D      | 35,000   | <u>(4)</u>   | <u>(4)</u>         | Class A ordinary shares                                       | 35,000                              | \$                         |

## **Reporting Owners**

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Smart Jill

C/O ACCENTURE 161 N. CLARK STREET CHICAGO, IL 60601

Chief Human Resources Officer

### **Signatures**

/s/ Kathryn Lloyd, Attorney-in-Fact for Jill Smart

01/02/2013

\*\*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) Shares delivered as the redemption price for Accenture SCA Class I common shares.
- (2) Reflects the redemption of Accenture plc Class X ordinary shares by and at the election of Accenture plc.

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- (3) Redemption price per share equal to par value of \$0.0000225.
- Accenture SCA is a subsidiary of Accenture plc. Subject to certain contractual restrictions, Accenture SCA is obligated, at the option of the Reporting Person, to redeem any outstanding Accenture SCA Class I common shares at a redemption price per share generally equal to the market price of an Accenture plc Class A ordinary share at the time of the redemption, subject to an adjustment. Accenture SCA may, at its option, pay the redemption price with cash or by delivering Accenture plc Class A ordinary shares.
- (5) Accenture elected to pay the redemption price for this transaction by delivering Accenture plc Class A ordinary shares.

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