

Ascent Capital Group, Inc.
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Meyers Michael R

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 ASCENT CAPITAL GROUP,
 INC., 5251 DTC PARKWAY,
 SUITE 1000
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 11/29/2016

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 Senior Vice President & CFO

GREENWOOD
 VILLAGE, CO 80111
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Series A Common Stock	11/29/2016		A		20,000	<u>A</u> (1)	\$ 0
					66,933	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 Owned Following Reporting Transaction (Instr. 6)
				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
Meyers Michael R ASCENT CAPITAL GROUP, INC. 5251 DTC PARKWAY, SUITE 1000 GREENWOOD VILLAGE, CO 80111			Senior Vice President & CFO	

Signatures

/s/ William E. Niles,
attorney-in-fact
11/29/2016

**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).
- Represents an award of restricted stock units that will vest pursuant to the following schedule: (a) 20% of the restricted stock units will vest December 31, 2016; (b) 7.5% of the restricted stock units will vest on each of March 31, 2017, June 30, 2017, September 30, 2017, and December 31, 2017; and (c) 12.5% of the restricted stock units will vest on each of March 31, 2018, June 30, 2018, September 30, 2018, and December 31, 2018. These restricted stock units will be settled in shares of our Series A Common Stock on the applicable vesting dates.

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