

AMCON DISTRIBUTING CO  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

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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 \*  
HINKEFENT ERIC J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
AMCON DISTRIBUTING CO [DIT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
ROUTE 5, BOX 445  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
10/25/2011

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
President - CNF and HFA

COWETA, OK 74429  
(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		
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	10/26/2011		M		700 A <u>(1)</u> 6,400	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	10/26/2011		F		223 D <u>(1)</u> 6,177	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. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	10/26/2011		M	700	(1)	(1)	Common Stock	700 (1)
Restricted Stock Units	(2)					(2)	(2)	Common Stock	1,400 (2)
Restricted Stock Units	(3)	10/25/2011		A	1,800 (3)	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	1,800 (3)

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HINKEFENT ERIC J ROUTE 5, BOX 445 COWETA, OK 74429			President - CNF and HFA	

## Signatures

Eric J. Hinkefent                      10/31/2011  
 \*\*Signature of                      Date  
 Reporting Person

## 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) Restricted Stock Unit ("RSUs") give the reporting person the right to receive, subject to being employed on the applicable vesting date, (i) cash equal to the per share Fair Market Value of common stock on the vesting date times the number of shares underlying the RSUs then vesting or (ii) common stock equal to the number of shares underlying the RSUs then vesting, as elected by the reporting person. Subject to earlier forfeiture under certain circumstances, the RSUs vest as to one-third of the 2,100 RSU award on November 26, 2010, October

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26, 2011 and October 26, 2012. On the October 26, 2011 vesting date RSUs were settled for 700 shares of common stock, of which 223 shares were withheld to pay taxes applicable to such settlement. The Fair Market Value of the shares withheld to pay taxes was determined to be \$54.75 per share as of that date, which was the closing price for the common stock on NYSE Amex Equities.

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- (2) RSUs then vesting or (ii) common stock equal to the number of shares underlying the RSUs then vesting, as elected by the reporting person. Subject to earlier forfeiture under certain circumstances, the RSUs vest as to one-third of the 1,400 RSU award on November 22, 2011, November 22, 2012, and November 22, 2013.

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- (3) RSUs then vesting or (ii) common stock equal to the number of shares underlying the RSUs then vesting, as elected by the reporting person. Subject to earlier forfeiture under certain circumstances, the RSUs vest as to one-third of the 1,800 RSU award on October 25, 2012, October 25, 2013, and October 25, 2014.

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