NILES WILLIAM E

Form 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * NILES WILLIAM E

(First)

(Street)

(Middle)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Exec VP/Gen Counsel/Secretary

Issuer

Ascent Capital Group, Inc.

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

[ASCMA]

(Month/Day/Year)

12/04/2017

Director 10% Owner

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

ASCENT CAPITAL GROUP. INC., 5251 DTC PARKWAY,

SUITE 1000

(Last)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Person

GREENWOOD VILLLAGE, CO 80111

> (City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of 4. Securities Acquired (A) 5. Amount of 7. Nature of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 6. Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transactiomr Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Direct (D) Ownership Following or Indirect (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) Of (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Series A \$ S Common D 12.0604 50,817

12/04/2017 1.954 D (1) Stock

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

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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer Other Director 10% Owner

NILES WILLIAM E ASCENT CAPITAL GROUP, INC. 5251 DTC PARKWAY, SUITE 1000 GREENWOOD VILLLAGE, CO 80111

Exec VP/Gen Counsel/Secretary

Signatures

/s/ William E.

Niles 12/05/2017

Date **Signature of 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).

The price reported is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$11.69 to \$12.22, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer, or the staff of the Securities and

Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in this footnote.

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