ACMAT CORP Form SC 13G/A February 07, 2005

# SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 20549

SCHEDULE 13G/A (Rule 13d-102)

INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN STATEMENTS FILED PURSUANT TO RULES 13d-1(b)(c), AND (d) AND AMENDMENTS THERETO FILED PURSUANT TO RULE 13d-2(b)

(Amendment No. 9 ) (1)

ACMAT CORPORATION					
(Name of Issuer)					
COMMON					
(Title of Class of Securities)					
004616207					
(CUSIP Number)					
(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)					
Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this					
Schedule is filed:					
[_] Rule 13d-1(b)					
[_] Rule 13d-1(c)					
[_] Rule 13d-1(d)					
(1) The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting					

person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

CUSIP No. 004616207 13G Page 2 of 5 Pages -----1. NAME OF REPORTING PERSONS I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY) First Manhattan Co. 2. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP\* (a) [\_] (b) [X] -----3. SEC USE ONLY 4. CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION New York \_\_\_\_\_ NUMBER OF 5. SOLE VOTING POWER SHARES \_\_\_\_\_\_ BENEFICIALLY 6. SHARED VOTING POWER 143,330 OWNED BY \_\_\_\_\_ EACH 7. SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER REPORTING \_\_\_\_\_\_ 8. SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER WITH 9. AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 165,763\*\* 10. CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES\* [-]-----11. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9 \_\_\_\_\_ 12. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON\* BD, IA, PN \_\_\_\_\_

\*SEE INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE FILLING OUT!

\*\* Includes 0 shares owned by family members of Senior Managing Directors of First Manhattan Co. which are being reported for informational purposes. First Manhattan Co. disclaims dispositive power as to 0 of such shares and beneficial ownership as to 0 of such shares. CUSIP No. 004616207 13G Page 3 of 5 Pages Item 1(a). Name of Issuer: ACMAT CORPORATION Item 1(b). Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices: 233 MAIN STREET NEW BRITAIN, CT 06050-2350 Item 2(a). Name of Person Filing: First Manhattan Co. \_\_\_\_\_\_ Item 2(b). Address of Principal Business Office, or if None, Residence: 437 Madison Avenue New York, NY 10022 \_\_\_\_\_ Item 2(c). Citizenship: U.S.A. Item 2(d). Title of Class of Securities: Common \_\_\_\_\_\_ Item 2(e). CUSIP Number: 004616207 Tt.em 3. If This Statement is Filed Pursuant to Rule 13d-1(b), or 13d-2(b) or (c), Check Whether the Person Filing is a: (a) [\_] Broker or dealer registered under Section 15 of the Exchange Act.

(b)	[_]	[_] Bank as defined in Section 3(a)(6) of the Exchange Act.			
(c)		[_] Insurance company as defined in Section 3(a)(19) of the Exchange Act.			
(d)		[_] Investment company registered under Section 8 of the Investment Company Act.			
(e)		[X] An investment adviser in accordance with Rule 13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(E);			
(f)		[_] An employee benefit plan or endowment fund in accordance with Rule 13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(F);			
(g)		[_] A parent holding company or control person in accordance wi Rule 13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G);			
(h)		[_] A savings association as defined in Section 3(b) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act;			
(i)	inv	[_] A church plan that is excluded from the definition of an investment company under Section 3(c)(14) of the Investment Company Act;			
(j)	[_] Group, in accordance with Rule 13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J).				
CUSIP No. 004616207 13G				Page 4 of 5 Pages	
Item 4.	Ownership				
			on regarding the aggregate s of the issuer identified		
(a)	Amount be	neficially owned:			
			165,763 **		
(b)	Percent	of class:	9.30%		
(c)	Number of	shares as to which	n such person has:		
	(i) So	le power to vote or	to direct the vote	0	
	(ii) S	hared power to vote	e or to direct the vote	143,330	
	(iii) S	ole power to dispos	se or to direct the dispos	sition of 0	
	(iv) S	hared power to disp disposition c	pose or to direct the	165 <b>,</b> 763	

Item 5. Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class.

If this statement is being filed to report the fact that as of the date hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the class of securities check the following  $[\ ]$ .

\_\_\_\_\_

Item 6. Ownership of More Than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person.

Not Applicable

\_\_\_\_\_

7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on by the Parent Holding Company or Control Person.

Not Applicable

Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group.

Not Applicable

Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group.

Not Applicable

\*\* Includes 0 shares owned by family members of Senior Managing Directors of First Manhattan Co. which are being reported for informational purposes. First Manhattan Co. disclaims dispositive power as to 0 of such shares and beneficial ownership as to 0 of such shares.

Page 5 of 5 Pages

Item 10. Certifications.

(a) The following certification shall be included if the statement is filed pursuant to Rule 13d-1(b):

"By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were acquired and are held in the ordinary course of business and were not acquired and not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having such purpose or effect."

(b) The following certification shall be included if the statement is filed pursuant to Rule 13d-1(c):

"By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having such purpose or effect."

#### SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief,  ${\tt I}$  certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

February 7, 2005

(Date)

/s/ Neal K. Stearns

(Signature)

Neal K. Stearns
Senior Managing Director

(Name/Title)

Note. Schedules filed in paper format shall include a signed original and five copies of the schedule, including all exhibits. See Rule 13d-7 for other parties for whom copies are to be sent.

Attention. Intentional misstatements or omissions of fact constitute federal criminal violations (see  $18\ U.S.C.\ 1001$ ).