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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Scodari Joseph C			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Acurx Pharmaceuticals, Inc. [ACXP]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner						
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O ACURX PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.,, 259 LIBERTY AVENUE		`	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/01/2021							Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)					
(Street) STATEN ISLAND, NY 10305			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						_X_1	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) X. Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
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Reporting Owners

	Relationships				
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Scodari Joseph C C/O ACURX PHARMACEUTICALS, INC., 259 LIBERTY AVENUE STATEN ISLAND, NY 10305	X				

Signatures

/s/ Kostantinos Skordalos, Power of Attorney For: Joseph C. Scodari	07/06/2021
**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) This stock option award is related to service on the Issuer's board of directors granted pursuant to the Issuer's Director Compensation Policy. 1/36th of the shares granted shall become vested and exercisable as of each monthly anniversary from July 1, 2021, such that all shares subject to this stock option shall be fully vested and exercisable by July 1, 2024.

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