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Form 4

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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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See Instruction 1(b).

Common

Common

Stock

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * CROSS LESLIE H			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Alphatec Holdings, Inc. [ATEC]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
			(Month/Day/Year)	X Director 10% Owner			
C/O ALPHATEC SPINE, 5818 EL CAMINO REAL			03/09/2012	X Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
				Chairman and CEO			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)			
				X Form filed by One Reporting Person			
CARLSBAD, CA 92008				Form filed by More than One Reporting			

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Form: Direct Beneficial Code Beneficially (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned (D) or Ownership Following Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Reported (Instr. 4) (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common 03/09/2012 P 59,181 59,181 (4) D 1.999 Stock Restricted Common $200,000^{(1)}$ D Stock Restricted

 $34,965 \stackrel{(2)}{=}$

 $30,000 \frac{(3)}{}$

D

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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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	isable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transac	ctionNumber	Expiration Da	ate	Amour	nt of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underl	ying	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8	Derivative	e		Securit	ties	(Instr. 5)
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr.	3 and 4)	
	Security				Acquired					
					(A) or					
					Disposed					
					of (D)					
					(Instr. 3,					
					4, and 5)					
									Amount	
							Expiration Date	or Title Number of		
				Code	V (A) (D)				Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
reporting owner runner runners	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
CROSS LESLIE H C/O ALPHATEC SPINE 5818 EL CAMINO REAL CARLSBAD, CA 92008	X		Chairman and CEO		

Signatures

/s/ Ebun S. Garner, Esq., Attorney-in-fact 03/13/2012

**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) Consists of 200,000 shares of restricted common stock. All such shares will vest on the anniversary of the date of issuance if certain stock performance measures are achieved.
- (2) Consists of 34,965 shares of restricted common stock. All such shares will vest on the anniversary of the date of issuance if certain stock performance measures are achieved.
- (3) Consists of 30,000 shares purchased in the open market.
- (4) Consists of 59,181 shares purchased in the open market.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

Reporting Owners 2

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