

Kuyper Dirk  
Form 4  
January 05, 2011

**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Kuyper Dirk

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O ALPHATEC HOLDINGS,  
INC., 2051 PALOMAR AIRPORT  
ROAD, SUITE 100

(Street)

CARLSBAD, CA 92011

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol

Alphatec Holdings, Inc. [ATEC]

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

11/04/2010

4. If Amendment, Date Original  
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner  
☒ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

President and CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)

☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting  
Person

**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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price

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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transaction	5. Number of Derivative	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date	7. Title and Amount Underlying Security
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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)				
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Share
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 4.37						09/19/2008 <sup>(1)</sup>	06/19/2018	Common Stock	150,000
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 1.28						03/06/2010 <sup>(2)</sup>	03/06/2019	Common Stock	50,000
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 4.45						08/04/2010 <sup>(2)</sup>	08/05/2019	Common Stock	50,000
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 2.31	11/04/2010	A		200,000		11/04/2011 <sup>(4)</sup>	11/04/2020	Common Stock	200,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Kuyper Dirk C/O ALPHATEC HOLDINGS, INC. 2051 PALOMAR AIRPORT ROAD, SUITE 100 CARLSBAD, CA 92011	X		President and CEO	

## Signatures

/s/ Eburn S. Garner, Esq.,  
Attorney-in-fact

01/05/2010

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) The options vest in 16 equal tranches beginning on the date that is three months after the grant date and every three months thereafter.
- (2) The options vest in four equal installments over four years.
- (3) Exercise price per share.
- (4) 25% of the options vest on the anniversary of the date of grant, thereafter, The options vest in 12 tranches beginning on the date that is three months thereafter.

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