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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * JOHNSTON RICHARD M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last) (First)

(Middle)

AtriCure, Inc. [ATRC]

(Check all applicable)

(Street)

CAMDEN PARTNERS HOLDINGS, LLC, 500 EAST PRATT STREET, SUITE 1200 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Month/Day/Year) 06/10/2015

_X__ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

BALTIMORE, MD 21202

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-I	Derivative :	Secur	ities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or			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)
Common Stock	06/10/2015		Code V M	Amount 3,333	(D)	Price \$ 14.17	3,333	D	
Common Stock	06/10/2015		M	6,666	A	\$ 8.04	9,999	D	
Common Stock	06/10/2015		M	6,667	A	\$ 9.3	16,666	D	
Common Stock	06/10/2015		M	3,334	A	\$ 15.96	20,000	D	
Common Stock	06/10/2015		J <u>(1)</u>	20,000	D	\$0	0	D	

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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 Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 14.17	06/10/2015		M	3,333	05/18/2012(2)	05/18/2021	Common Stock	3,333
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 8.04	06/10/2015		M	6,666	05/15/2013(3)	05/15/2022	Common Stock	6,666
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 9.3	06/10/2015		M	6,667	05/23/2014(4)	05/23/2023	Common Stock	6,667
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 15.96	06/10/2015		M	3,334	05/14/2015 <u>(5)</u>	05/14/2024	Common Stock	3,334

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Kelationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
JOHNSTON RICHARD M CAMDEN PARTNERS HOLDINGS, LLC 500 EAST PRATT STREET, SUITE 1200 BALTIMORE, MD 21202	X					

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Signatures

/s/ M. Andrew Wade as Attorney-in-Fact for Richard M. Johnston

06/11/2015

**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) Shares transferred to Camden Partners Holdings, LLC.
- (2) These options were granted on May 18, 2011 and are exercisable cumulatively at a rate of 33% per annum beginning one year from date of grant.
- (3) These options were granted on May 15, 2012 and are exercisable cumulatively at a rate of 33% per annum beginning one year from date of grant.
- (4) These options were granted on May 23, 2013 and are exercisable cumulatively at a rate of 33% per annum beginning one year from date of grant.
- (5) These options were granted on May 14, 2014 and are exercisable cumulatively at a rate of 33% per annum beginning one year from date of grant.

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