Alphatec Holdings, Inc. Form 4

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August 06, 2009

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **DESAI ROHIT M**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

OMB

Number:

Expires:

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Estimated average

burden hours per

Issuer

(First) (Last)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Alphatec Holdings, Inc. [ATEC]

(Check all applicable) X_ Director 10% Owner

Other (specify

7. Nature of

Indirect

OMB APPROVAL

3235-0287

January 31,

2005

0.5

(Month/Day/Year) 08/04/2009

DESAI CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, INC., 410 PARK

(Street)

AVENUE--SUITE 800

4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

Officer (give title

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Applicable Line)

below)

NEW YORK, NY

Security

(Instr. 3)

(City) (State) (Zip) 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

3. 4. Securities (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of 6. Ownership Securities Form: Direct Beneficially (D) or Indirect Beneficial Owned Following

Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 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)

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 1. Title of 5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction of Derivative Expiration Date Derivative Conversion

7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	any (Me	y Ionth/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8))	Securities Acquires (A) or Disposes (D) (Instr. 3, and 5)	d d of	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and	4)
				Code V	J	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
NQ Stock Option	\$ 5.11							01/31/2009	01/31/2018	Common Stock	15,000
NQ Stock Option	\$ 4.78							07/31/2009	07/31/2018	Common Stock	7,500
NQ Stock Option	\$ 4.45	08/04/2009		A		7,500		08/04/2010(2)	08/04/2019	Common Stock	7,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
DESAI ROHIT M DESAI CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, INC. 410 PARK AVENUESUITE 800 NEW YORK, NY	X						

Signatures

/s/ Ebun S. Garner, Esq., Attorney-in-fact 08/06/2009

**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) Exercise price per share
- (2) The options vest in three equal tranches over three years.

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