#### Alphatec Holdings, Inc. Form 3 December 16, 2016 **FORM 3** UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 OMB APPROVAL OMB Number: 3235-0104

### INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Rich Terry			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)		<ul><li>3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</li><li>Alphatec Holdings, Inc. [ATEC]</li></ul>				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	12/10/201	6	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	
C/O ALPHATEC SPINE, INC., 5818 EL CAMINO REAL (Street) CARLSBAD, CA 92008				(Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owne X Officer Other (give title below) (specify below)			Owner r	<ul> <li>6. Individual or Joint/Group</li> <li>Filing(Check Applicable Line)</li> <li>_X_ Form filed by One Reporting</li> <li>Person</li> <li> Form filed by More than One</li> <li>Reporting Person</li> </ul>	
					Chief Executive Officer		· · · ·		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)		Table I - N	Non-Deriva	tive Securit	ies Be	eneficially Owned	
1.Title of Secu (Instr. 4)	rity			2. Amount o Beneficially (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		ture of Indirect Beneficial ership : 5)	
Common Stock - Restricted Stock Units			Units	200,000 (1) (2)		D	Â		
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#### Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative	2. Date Exercisable and	3. Title and Amount of	4.	5.	6. Nature of Indirect
Security	Expiration Date	Securities Underlying	Conversion	Ownership	Beneficial
(Instr. 4)	(Month/Day/Year)	Derivative Security	or Exercise	Form of	Ownership
		(Instr. 4)	Price of	Derivative	(Instr. 5)
			Derivative	Security:	

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
ock Option	12/10/2017 <u>(3)</u>	12/10/2026	Common Sock	200,000	\$ 4.9	D	Â

# **Reporting Owners**

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Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
I O	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Rich Terry C/O ALPHATEC SPINE, INC. 5818 EL CAMINO REAL CARLSBAD, CA 92008	ÂX	Â	Chief Executive Officer	Â		
Signatures						
/s/ Ebun S. Garner, Esq., Attorney-in-fact	12/16/2	12/16/2016				

<u>\*\*</u>Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## **Explanation of Responses:**

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) Each restricted stock unit ("RSU") represents a contingent right to receive one share of the issuer's common stock.

(2) The RSUs vest over four years with 25% vesting on the anniversary of the date of grant and 25% vesting on each anniversary thereafter.

(3) The options vest over four years with 25% vesting on the anniversary of the grant date and the remaining 75% vesting in 36 installments every month for the three years thereafter.

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