

READING CHRISTOPHER J

Form 4

March 02, 2012

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 *
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2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
U S PHYSICAL THERAPY INC
/NV [USPH]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
1300 W. SAM HOUSTON PKWY
S., SUITE 300

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
02/28/2012

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

(Street)
HOUSTON, TX 77042

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

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		
Common Stock	02/28/2012		A		23,100 (1)	A \$ 0	63,323 (2) D

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)**

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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. Transaction 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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repor Trans (Instr
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
READING CHRISTOPHER J 1300 W. SAM HOUSTON PKWY S. SUITE 300 HOUSTON, TX 77042	X		Chief Executive Officer	

Signatures

/s/Christopher J.
Reading 03/02/2012

__Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

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Grant of 23,100 restricted shares under the 2003 Plan as amended, restated and adopted, with a four year quarterly vesting schedule as to
(1) the lapse of restrictions thereof with 1/16 equal portions (1,443 shares) vesting quarterly, with the first 1/16 vesting on March 31, 2012 and thereafter equal 1/16 portions on June 30, September 30 and December 31 with the final 1455 on December 31, 2015.

Includes 23,100 restricted shares as detailed in Footnote 1. Also includes 22,500 shares of common stock granted as restricted stock.
(2) Restrictions lapse in equal quarterly installments of 1,875 shares with the next installment on on March 31, 2012, and the final installment on December 31, 2014.

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