AtriCure, Inc. Form 4 May 13, 2015

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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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

(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

(City)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Krell Elizabeth D

> (First) (Middle)

(Zip)

13005 HAWKINS CIRCLE

HAGERSTOWN, MD 21742

(Street)

(State)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol AtriCure, Inc. [ATRC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 05/11/2015

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

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

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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)	Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	05/11/2015		M	10,000	A	\$ 7.99	17,162	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	2.	3. Transaction Date		4.	5. Number of		6. Date Exercisable and		7. Title and Amount o	
Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code Securities (Mon		Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year	·)	Underlying S (Instr. 3 and		
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share
Stock Option (right to	\$ 7.99	05/11/2015		M		10,000	06/21/2007(1)	06/21/2016	Common Stock	10,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
FB	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Krell Elizabeth D							
13005 HAWKINS CIRCLE	X						
HAGERSTOWN, MD 21742							

Signatures

buy)

/s/ Jeanette Yacucci as Attorney-In-Fact for Elizabeth D.
Krell 05/13/2015

**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).
- These options were granted on June 21, 2006 and are exercisable cumulatively at a rate of 25% per annum beginning one year from date of grant.

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