

ASTRO MED INC /NEW/

Form 4

April 12, 2016

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
PETRARCA STEPHEN M

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**C/O ASTRO-MED, INC., 600 E
GREENWICH AVENUE**

(Street)

W WARWICK, RI 02893

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
ASTRO MED INC /NEW/ [ALOT]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
04/08/2016

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
____X____ Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ Form filed by More than One Reporting
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)	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)
Common Stock	04/08/2016		M	900	A \$ 0	12,138	D
Common Stock	04/08/2016		F	292	D \$ 13.48	11,846	D
Common Stock						3,571	I
							Held in Employee Stock Ownership Plan

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)

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. Pr Deriv Secu (Instr	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Unit	(1)	04/08/2016		M		900		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	900
Restricted Stock Unit	(1)	04/08/2016		J(3)		1,800 (4)		(3)(4)	(3)(4)	Common Stock	1,800

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
PETRARCA STEPHEN M C/O ASTRO-MED, INC. 600 E GREENWICH AVENUE W WARWICK, RI 02893	Vice President

Signatures

/s/ Margaret V. Boericke, by power of attorney 04/12/2016

 **Signature of Reporting Person

 Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of ALOT common stock.

(2) The restricted stock units vested on April 8, 2016.

(3) The restricted stock units were forfeited by the reporting person pursuant to the terms of the award granted on April 3, 2013.

(4)

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Represents the forfeiture of restricted stock units granted to the reporting person on April 3, 2013 that were eligible to vest based on certain financial performance objectives. Upon grant, the target vesting amount was reported in Table II of Form 4. On April 8, 2016, the Issuer determined that, based on the Issuer's performance over the applicable performance period, 900 restricted stock units would vest and 1,800 restricted stock units would be forfeited.

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