FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* WEHRWEIN SVEN					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AtriCure, Inc. [ATRC]						(Ch	elationship of the control of the co	,		on(s) to Issu 10% Ow		
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(City)	(5		(Zip) ole I - Non-D) Derivativ	/e Se	curities	s Ac	guired. Di	sposed o	of, or Bei	neficiall	v Owned					
Date			Transactio ate lonth/Day/Y	Execution Date,		3. Transactio Code (Inst 8)	n Disposed	, (A) or		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 Dwnership Instr. 4)			
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	e (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date if any (Month/Day/Yea	Code (Ins				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Stock Option (right to	\$19.95	11/11/2016		A		50,000		11/11/2017 ⁽¹⁾	11/11/2026	Common Stock	50,000	(2)	50,000)	D		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Exercisable cumulatively at a rate of 25% per annum commencing on the anniversary of the date of grant.
- 2. Not applicable

Remarks:

/s/ M. Andrew Wade as

Attorney-In-Fact for Sven

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** Signature of Reporting Person Dat

11/14/2016

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * 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).

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