FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Wade M. Andrew						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AtriCure, Inc. [ATRC]									Check	all app	licable)		Owner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 6217 CENTRE PARK DRIVE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2014									X	belov	v) ``	belo	Other (specify below) nancial Officer	
(Street) WEST CHESTER OH 45069						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(51		Zip) 	n-Deriv	ative	Sec	curitie	s Arr	nuired	Dis	posed o	of or	r Ben	efici:	ally	Owne	-d			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Da					action	ction 2A. Deemed Execution Dat		ied n Date,	3. Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3,) or 5. A 4 and Sec Ber Ow		ount of ities icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
										v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price			action(s) 3 and 4)		(msu. 4)	
Common Stock 12/31/2									A V		423(1)		A	\$15.7(2)		52,014		D		
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. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da	Date, Transa Code (of Deriv Secul Acqu (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instr	of		xercis in Dat lay/Ye		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		str. 3			9. Number o derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Shares acquired pursuant to the AtriCure, Inc. 2008 Employee Stock Purchase Plan for the period ended December 31, 2014.
- 2. Closing price on December 31, 2014 was \$19.96.

Remarks:

<u>/s/ M. Andrew Wade</u> <u>01/02/2015</u>

** Signature of Reporting Person

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