## FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Lucky James L</u>						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol AtriCure, Inc. [ ATRC ]									heck al I	ionship of Reporting all applicable) Director Officer (give title		10% (	Owner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 6217 CENTRE PARK DRIVE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/15/2011									A 1	below) `			′ I
(Street) WEST CHESTE			15069		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								ne) <mark>X</mark>	vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person				
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)					Execution Date		n Date,	Code (Instr.						d Se	ecurities   I eneficially ( wned Following (		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amount	0	(A) or (D)	Price	Tr	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 06/15/2					/2011			S		3,000	3,000 D \$		\$13	.5	52,826		D		
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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. Deemec Execution I if any (Month/Day	Date, Transacti Code (Ins					6. Date E. Expiratio (Month/D	n Dat	е	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)			8. Price Derivat Securit (Instr. 5	tive de ty Se 5) Be Ov Fo Re Tra	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
	Code V (A)		(A)		Date Expiration of			or Nun of	nber										

**Explanation of Responses:** 

/s/ James L. Lucky

06/16/2011

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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