FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Krell Elizabeth D						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AtriCure, Inc. [ ATRC ]								(Chec	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issue Check all applicable) X Director 10% Own				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 13005 HAWKINS CIRCLE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/14/2015									Offic belov	er (give title w)	Othe belov	r (specify v)	
(Street) HAGERSTOWN MD 21742  (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Forn Forn	ual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
		Tabl	e I - N	on-Deriv	ative/	Sec	uritie	s Ac	quirec	l, Di	sposed o	f, or E	Bene	icially	Owne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/						Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)  4. Securities Acquired (A) o Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a					Secur Benef Owne	icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
										v	Amount (A) or (D)		Pr	ice		action(s) 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 05/14/20						15		S		10,000(1)	) D	D \$21.			7,162	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)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security    Conversion of Exercise (Month/Day/Year)   Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)   Security   Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)   Security   Securi		4. Transa Code ( 8)			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  Date Exercisable Expiration Date		Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		Dei Sec (Ins	Price of ivative urity str. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)					

## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. These shares are the result of the reporting person's option exercise on May 11, 2015, which was previously reported on Form 4.
- 2. This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$21.55 to \$21.99 per share. The price reported above reflects the weighted average price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.

## Remarks:

<u>/s/ Elizabeth D. Krell</u> <u>05/18/2015</u>

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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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