

Alphatec Holdings, Inc.  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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 Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section  
 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

<p>1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *</p> <p>Â Nelson Dennis</p> <p>(Last) (First) (Middle)</p> <p>C/O ALPHATEC HOLDINGS, INC.,Â 5818 EL CAMINO REAL</p> <p>(Street)</p> <p>CARLSBAD,Â CAÂ 92008</p> <p>(City) (State) (Zip)</p>	<p>2. Date of Event Requiring Statement</p> <p>(Month/Day/Year)</p> <p>10/05/2016</p>	<p>3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</p> <p>Alphatec Holdings, Inc. [ATEC]</p>	<p>4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer</p> <p>(Check all applicable)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other                  (give title below) (specify below)                  VP, Finance and Controller</p>	<p>5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)</p>	<p>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person  <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person</p>
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Sock	556	D	Â
Restricted Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>	941	D	Â

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

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security	4. Conversion or Exercise	5. Ownership Form of	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	(Instr. 4) Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	(Instr. 5)
Non-qualified Stock Option	12/19/2013 <sup>(2)</sup>	12/19/2022	Common Stock	2,500	\$ 24.6	D	Â
Incentive Stock Option	01/04/2014 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/04/2023	Common Sock	6,250	\$ 20.64	D	Â
Incentive Stock Option	08/08/2014 <sup>(2)</sup>	08/08/2023	Common Stock	2,500	\$ 24.48	D	Â
Incentive Stock Option	07/30/2015 <sup>(2)</sup>	07/30/2024	Common Stock	3,750	\$ 17.04	D	Â

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Nelson Dennis C/O ALPHATEC HOLDINGS, INC. 5818 EL CAMINO REAL CARLSBAD, CA 92008	Â	Â	Â VP, Finance and Controller	Â

## Signatures

/s/ Eburn S. Garner, Esq.,  
Attorney-in-fact

11/09/2016

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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).
- (1) 833 of such shares of restricted common stock only vests upon a change of control of the company. 8 shares of such restricted common stock is fully vested.
- (2) The options vest over four years with 25% vesting on the anniversary of the grant date and the remaining 75% vesting in equal installments every three months for the three years thereafter.

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