Alphatec Holdings, Inc. Form 4 August 07, 2008

FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Kuyper Dirk

> (Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O ALPHATEC HOLDINGS. INC., 2051 PALOMAR AIRPORT

ROAD, SUITE 100

(Street)

(State)

CARLSBAD, CA 92011

(Zip)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Alphatec Holdings, Inc. [ATEC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

07/02/2008

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

_X__ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

President and CEO

6. Ownership 7. Nature of

Beneficial

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

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Issuer

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of

Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (D) Beneficially (D) or (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Price (D) Amount Common

07/02/2008 Stock

(City)

1. Title of

15,445 \$0 F D (1)

(1)

649,815

D

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Deletionship

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
. 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Kuyper Dirk							
C/O ALPHATEC HOLDINGS, INC.	X		President and CEO				
2051 PALOMAR AIRPORT ROAD, SUITE 100	Λ		President and CEO				
CARLSBAD, CA 92011							

Signatures

/s/ Ebun S. Garner, Esq., Attorney-in-fact 08/07/2008

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) The reporting person elected to satisfy tax withholding obligations upon vesting of restricted common stock by having the issuer withhold a number of vested shares equal to that of the reporting person's tax liability.

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