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### FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

obligations may continue. *See* Instruction 1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

Collar Mark A Issuer Symbol AtriCure, Inc. [ATRC] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) \_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title \_ Other (specify 382 BISHOPSBRIDGE DR. 01/18/2018

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person \_\_Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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CINCINNATI, OH 45255

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(City)	(State)	Table Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securiti	ies Ac	quired	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D)			Securities	Ownership	Indirect	
(Instr. 3)		any	Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Beneficially	Form: Direct	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned	(D) or	Ownership
							Following	Indirect (I)	(Instr. 4)
					(A)		Reported	(Instr. 4)	
					or		Transaction(s)		
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common	01/18/2018		M	25,000	٨	\$	62.767	Ъ	
Stock	01/16/2016		M	25,000	А	13.31	63,767	D	
Common									Hold by
Common							5,300	I	Held by
Stock									spouse (1)

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

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I	. Title of Derivative Security Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of ionDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		Expiration Date Underlyi		7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
					Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share
(	Stock Option right to	\$ 13.31	01/18/2018		M	25	5,000	02/06/2009(2)	02/06/2018	Common Stock	25,000

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
<b>F</b>	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Collar Mark A							
382 BISHOPSBRIDGE DR.	X						
CINCINNATI, OH 45255							

# **Signatures**

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/s/ M. Andrew Wade as Attorney-in-Fact for Mark A. Collar

01/22/2018 \*\*Signature of Reporting Person

#### **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 disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities, except as to his pecuniary interest therein.
- The option was granted on February 6, 2008 and is exercisable cumulatively at a rate of 25% per annum beginning one year from date of grant.

Date

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