FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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. Name and Address of Reporting Person* PRESIDIO MANAGEMENT GROUP VIII L L C						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AtriCure, Inc. [ATRC]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director X 10% Owner					
Last) (First) (Middle) 2735 SAND HILL ROAD				06/0	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/06/2012								belov		below)			
Street) MENLO PARK CA 94025					4. If								6. Indiv Line)	Form filed by One Reporting Person				
(City)	(St		Zip)															
		Tabl	e I - No	on-Deriv	ative	Sec	uritie	s Acc	quired	l, Dis	sposed o	f, or B	enefi	cially	Owne	ed		
. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transact Date (Month/Day					Execution Date,		Date,	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) o Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a		and 5) Secui Bener Owne		ficially ed Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Pric	ce		ted action(s) 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 06/06/2				2012	012			J (1)		350,000	D		(1)		352,444	I	Directly Held by USVP VIII ⁽³⁾	
Common Stock 06/06/				2012	012			J (1)		2,579	D		(1)		4,452	I	Directly Held by AFF VIII ⁽³⁾	
Common Stock 06/07/2				2012	112		S		3,279	D	\$9	\$9.444(2)		8,374	I	Directly Held by EP VIII- A ⁽³⁾		
Common Stock 06/07/2				2012	012			s		1,759	D	\$9	.444 ⁽²⁾	9,858		I	Directly Held by EP VIII- B ⁽³⁾	
		Та	ble II -								osed of,				wned			
Title of 2. 3. Transaction 3A. Deemed Execution Date or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any		4. Transa	5. Number of Operivative		6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		isable and			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)			Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
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. Name an	d Address of	Reporting Person*																

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US VENTURE PARTNERS VIII L P

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Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Prorata distribution in kind from the partnership without consideration to its partners.
- 2. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$9.67 to \$9.20, inclusive. The reporting persons undertake to provide the issuer, any security holder of the issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in this footnote to this Form 4
- 3. Presidio Management Group VIII, LLC ("PMG VIII") is the general partner of US Venture Partners VIII, L.P. ("USVP VIII"), USVP Entrepreneur Partners VIII-A, L.P. ("EP VIII-A"), USVP Entrepreneur Partners VIII-B, L.P. ("EP VIII-B"), and USVP VIII Affiliates Fund, L.P. ("AFF VIII"), and Irwin Federman, Winston S. Fu, Steven M. Krausz, David E. Liddle, Jonathan D. Root, Christopher Rust, Casey M. Tansey and Philip M. Young, the managing members of PMG VIII, may be deemed to share voting and dispositive power over the shares held by USVP VIII, EP VIII-B, and AFF VIII. Such persons and entities disclaim beneficial ownership of shares held by USVP VIII, EP VIII-B, and AFF VIII except to the extent of any pecuniary interest therein.

Remark: This report is one (1) of two (2) reports each on a separate Form 4; however, these forms are related to the same transaction being filed by the reporting persons.

Michael P. Maher - Attorney in 06/07/2012 Fact for each reporting person

** 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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