## FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
PRESIDIO MANAGEMENT GROUP VIII L L C				<u>P</u>		AtriCure, Inc. [ ATRC ]								Director Officer (give titl					(specify	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 2735 SAND HILL ROAD						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/13/2012									belov	N)		below)		
(Street)  MENLO PARK CA 94025  (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)      Form filed by One Reporting Person     X     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
		Tabl	e I - Nor	า-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	es Acc	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or	Bene	fic	ially	Owne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		ar)   E	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (	Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)		ies Acquired (A) or I Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
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Common Stock				06/13/2012		2			J <sup>(1)</sup>		350,000		D	(	(1) 1,5		502,444		I	Directly Held by USVP VIII <sup>(2)</sup>
Common Stock			06/13	06/13/2012				J <sup>(1)</sup>		2,579	)	D	(	(1)	1	1,873		I	Directly Held by AFF VIII <sup>(2)</sup>	
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)  2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security  (Instr. 3)  3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year)  (Month/Day/Year)		Date,	Date, Transaction Code (Insti		on of		6. Date Exercisable Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		е	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Inst and 4)		str. 3	Deri Sec	vative urity tr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Oi Fo Di (I)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
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2735 SAND HILL ROAD									
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(Last) 2735 SAND HILL	(First)	(Middle)
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>LIDDLE DAVID E</u>								
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MENLO PARK	CA	94025						
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MENLO PARK	CA	94025						
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#### **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Prorata distribution in kind from the partnership without consideration to its partners.

2. 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.

### Remarks:

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 06/13/2012 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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