

ORTHOFIX INTERNATIONAL N V

Form 4

May 07, 2012

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Lee Brad

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O ORTHOFIX
INTERNATIONAL NV, 3451
PLANO PARKWAY

(Street)

LEWISVILLE, TX 75056

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading
Symbol

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V [OFIX]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
05/03/2012

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title ____ Other (specify
below) below)
President, Sports Medicine GBU

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
____X____ Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	05/03/2012		M		2,617	A	\$ 23.58	9,098	D
Common Stock	05/03/2012		M		18,000	A	\$ 28.95	27,098	D
Common Stock	05/03/2012		S		2,617	D	\$ 40.452	24,481	D
Common Stock	05/03/2012		S		18,000	D	\$ 40.452	6,481	D

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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)

1. 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 23.58	05/03/2012		M	2,617	<u>(1)</u> 07/25/2019	Common Stock	2,617
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 28.95	05/03/2012		M	18,000	<u>(2)</u> 06/30/2018	Common Stock	18,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
Lee Brad C/O ORTHOFIX INTERNATIONAL NV 3451 PLANO PARKWAY LEWISVILLE, TX 75056	President, Sports Medicine GBU

Signatures

Peter F. Pastorelle, by power of attorney 05/07/2012

__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 option vested with respect to thirty three and one-third (33 1/3%) of the shares covered thereby on each of the first and second anniversaries of July 25, 2009, and will further vest with respect to the thirty three and one-third (33 1/3%) of the shares covered thereby

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July 25, 2012.

- (2) The option vested with respect to thirty three and one-third percent (33 1/3%) of the shares covered thereby on each of the first, second, and third anniversaries of June 30, 2008, the grant date.

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