

STRICKLAND JEFFERY  
Form 4  
August 14, 2009

# FORM 4

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

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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|--|----------|----------|---|--|
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *<br><b>STRICKLAND JEFFERY</b> |          |          | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol<br><b>ATRION CORP [ATRI]</b> | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer<br><br>(Check all applicable)<br><br><input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below)<br><b>Vice President and CFO</b> |
| (Last)   | (First)  | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)<br><b>08/13/2009</b>           | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person<br><input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person  |
|  | (Street) |          | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)                            |  |
| (City)   | (State)  | (Zip)    |   |  |

**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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | Code V Amount (A) or (D) Price                                    |   |  |                                   |
| Common Shares                   | 06/03/2009                           |  | G                              | V 300 D \$ 0  | 22,099  | D  |                                   |
| Common Shares                   | 06/04/2009                           |  | G                              | V 150 D \$ 0  | 21,949  | D  |                                   |
| Common Shares                   | 08/13/2009                           |  | S                              | 282 D \$ 131.02   | 21,667  | D  |                                   |
| Common Shares                   | 08/13/2009                           |  | S                              | 11 D \$ 131.21  | 21,656  | D  |                                   |
| Common Shares                   | 08/13/2009                           |  | S                              | 100 D \$ 132.01   | 21,556  | D  |                                   |

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|               |            |   |     |   |           |                              |   |
|---------------|------------|---|-----|---|-----------|------------------------------|---|
| Common Shares | 08/13/2009 | S | 100 | D | \$ 132.25 | 21,456                       | D |
| Common Shares | 08/13/2009 | S | 300 | D | \$ 132.61 | 21,156                       | D |
| Common Shares | 08/13/2009 | S | 207 | D | \$ 133    | 20,949                       | D |
| Common Shares | 08/13/2009 | S | 200 | D | \$ 133.01 | 20,749                       | D |
| Common Shares | 08/13/2009 | S | 200 | D | \$ 133.02 | 20,549                       | D |
| Common Shares | 08/13/2009 | S | 258 | D | \$ 133.09 | 20,291                       | D |
| Common Shares | 08/13/2009 | S | 100 | D | \$ 133.15 | 20,191                       | D |
| Common Shares | 08/13/2009 | S | 87  | D | \$ 133.16 | 20,104                       | D |
| Common Shares | 08/13/2009 | S | 100 | D | \$ 133.86 | 20,004                       | D |
| Common Shares | 08/13/2009 | S | 100 | D | \$ 133.9  | 19,904                       | D |
| Common Shares | 08/13/2009 | S | 108 | D | \$ 134.1  | 19,796                       | D |
| Common Shares | 08/13/2009 | S | 50  | D | \$ 134.11 | 19,746                       | D |
| Common Shares | 08/13/2006 | S | 39  | D | \$ 134.15 | 19,707                       | D |
| Common Shares | 08/13/2009 | S | 13  | D | \$ 134.16 | 19,694                       | D |
| Common Shares | 08/13/2009 | S | 34  | D | \$ 134.2  | 19,660                       | D |
| Common Shares | 08/13/2009 | S | 100 | D | \$ 134.21 | 19,560                       | D |
| Common Shares | 08/13/2009 | S | 300 | D | \$ 134.22 | 19,260                       | D |
| Common Shares | 08/13/2009 | S | 163 | D | \$ 134.31 | 19,097                       | D |
| Common Shares | 08/13/2009 | S | 100 | D | \$ 134.4  | 18,997                       | D |
| Common Shares | 08/13/2009 | S | 6   | D | \$ 134.53 | 18,991                       | D |
|               | 08/13/2009 | S | 42  | D |           | 18,949 <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u> | D |

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Common Shares \$ 134.61

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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 6) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|---|
|  |  |                                      |  | Code                           | V (A) (D)   | Date Exercisable   | Expiration Date   | Title                                      | Amount or Number of Shares  |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships |           |                        |       |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|------------------------|-------|
|                                | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                | Other |
| STRICKLAND JEFFERY             |               |           | Vice President and CFO |       |

## Signatures

Jeffery Strickland 08/14/2009  
 \*\*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) 12,199 of these shares are indirectly held in the Strickland Family Trust.
- (2) All of the sale transactions reported in this Form 4 are transactions which have been effected pursuant to a Rule 10b-5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person.

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