

ORTHOFIX INTERNATIONAL N V
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
FERRARI LUIGI

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
ORTHOFIX INTERNATIONAL N V [OFIX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 10115 KINCEY AVENUE, SUITE 250
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 11/30/2011

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
 President, Orthopedics

HUNTERSVILLE, NC 28078

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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(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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | Price | | |
| | | | | Code | V | Amount | |
| Common Stock | 11/30/2011 | | M | A | 4,572 | \$ 28.95 | 4,572 D |
| Common Stock | 11/30/2011 | | M | A | 10,000 | \$ 25.01 | 14,572 D |
| Common Stock | 11/30/2011 | | M | A | 6,667 | \$ 23.58 | 21,239 D |
| Common Stock | 11/30/2011 | | S | D | 21,239 | \$ 34.25 | 0 D |

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) | \$ 28.95 | 11/30/2011 | | M | 4,572 | <u>(1)</u> 06/30/2018 | Common Stock | 4,572 |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 25.01 | 11/30/2011 | | M | 10,000 | <u>(2)</u> 06/30/2019 | Common Stock | 10,000 |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 23.58 | 11/30/2011 | | M | 6,667 | <u>(3)</u> 07/25/2019 | Common Stock | 6,667 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| FERRARI LUIGI 10115 KINCEY AVENUE SUITE 250 HUNTERSVILLE, NC 28078 | | | President, Orthopedics | |

Signatures

Peter F. Pastorelle, by power of attorney
12/02/2011

__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 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.

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 and second anniversaries of June 30, 2009, the grant date, and will further vest with respect to thirty three and one-third (33 1/3%) of the shares covered thereby on June 30, 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 and second anniversaries of July 25, 2009, the grant date, and will further vest with respect to thirty three and one-third percent (33 1/3%) of the shares covered thereby on July 25, 2012.
- (3) 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 and second anniversaries of July 25, 2009, the grant date, and will further vest with respect to thirty three and one-third percent (33 1/3%) of the shares covered thereby on July 25, 2012.

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