Harris Bernard A Jr Form 4 December 11, 2009

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Harris Bernard A Jr

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Issuer

Symbol

U S PHYSICAL THERAPY INC

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

/NV [USPH]

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)

12/04/2009

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

3.

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

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Person

HOUSTON, TX 77059

3411 ERIN KNOLL CT

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

4. Securities

5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Beneficially (D) or Owned Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4) Reported

Form: Direct Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) (D) Price

Code V Amount

Common Stock

12/04/2009

S 6,700 D \$ 15 1,800 (1)

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)

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Harris Bernard A Jr				
3411 ERIN KNOLL CT	X			
HOUSTON, TX 77059				

Signatures

/s/ Bernard A.
Harris

**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) Of the 1800 shares held, 1500 shares was granted as restricted stock. Restrictions lapse as to 750 shares on December 31, 2009 and 750 shares on March 31, 2010.

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