ARNOLD DANIEL C

Form 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Addi ARNOLD DA	•	ng Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol U S PHYSICAL THERAPY INC /NV [USPH]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) 1001 FANNIN	(First) STREET, S	(Middle) SUITE 720	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/06/2012	_X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)		
HOUSTON, T	(Street) X 77002		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
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(City)	(State)	Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securitin(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	of (D)	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)
Common Stock	12/06/2012		M	10,000	A	\$ 12.51	114,435 (1)	D	
Common Stock	12/06/2012		M	7,500	A	\$ 18.04	121,935 (1)	D	
Common Stock	12/06/2012		M	10,000	A	\$ 15	131,935 (1)	D	
Common Stock	12/06/2012		M	2,500	A	\$ 14.17	134,435 (1)	D	
Common Stock	12/06/2012		M	5,000	A	\$ 18.8	139,435 (1)	D	

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Common 27.29 119,654 (1) 12/06/2012 F 19,781 D D Stock (2)

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. Tit Deriv Secu (Instr	vative rity	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	Secu Acqu or Di (D)	rities uired (A) isposed of r. 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
					Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Dire Rigl Buy		\$ 12.51	12/06/2012		M		10,000	11/30/2012	06/02/2014	Common Stock	10,000
Dire Righ Buy		\$ 18.04	12/06/2012		M		7,500	11/30/2012	06/21/2014	Common Stock	7,500
Dire Righ Buy		\$ 15	12/06/2012		M		10,000	11/30/2012	06/21/2014	Common Stock	10,000
Dire Rigl Buy		\$ 14.17	12/06/2012		M		2,500	11/30/2012	10/20/2014	Common Stock	2,500
Dire Rigl Buy		\$ 18.8	12/06/2012		M		5,000	11/30/2012	11/15/2015	Common Stock	5,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
ARNOLD DANIEL C	X						
1001 FANNIN STREET							

Reporting Owners 2 SUITE 720 HOUSTON, TX 77002

Signatures

/s/ Daniel C. 12/07/2012

**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) Includes 1,625 shares of common stock granted as restricted stock pursuant to the Company's Amended and Restated 2003 Stock Incentive Plan. Restrictions lapse in quarterly installments as follows: 812 shares on December 31, 2012 and 813 on March 31, 2013.
- (2) Surrender of shares in connection with cashless exercise
- (3) Granted pursuant to the Company's 2003 Stock Incentive Plan, which complies with Rule 16b-3.

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