

U S PHYSICAL THERAPY INC /NV

Form 4

November 26, 2014

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

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**READING CHRISTOPHER J**

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) (First) (Middle)  
**1300 W. SAM HOUSTON PKWY  
S., SUITE 300**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
**11/25/2014**

☐ Director ☐ 10% Owner  
☒ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)  
**Chief Executive Officer**

(Street)  
**HOUSTON, TX 77042**

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

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

(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)
Common Stock	11/25/2014		S	10,241 D	\$ 39 (1)	113,916 (2) (3) 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)**

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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. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				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
READING CHRISTOPHER J 1300 W. SAM HOUSTON PKWY S. SUITE 300 HOUSTON, TX 77042	X Chief Executive Officer

## Signatures

/s/ Christopher J  
Reading 11/26/2014

\*\*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 price reported is a weighted average price. The shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$39.00- \$39.05, both inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to U.S. Physical Therapy, Inc., any of its shareholders or the staff of the Securities & Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote to this Form 4.

(2) Includes 24,375 restricted shares under the 2003 Plan as amended, restated and adopted, with a four year quarterly vesting schedule as to the lapse of restrictions thereof with 1/16 equal portions (1,875 shares) vesting quarterly, with the next 1/16 vesting on January 1 2015 and thereafter equal 1/16 portions on July 1, October 1 and January 1, each year until all such shares shall have vested, which shall be January 1, 2018. Includes 20,700 restricted shares with a four year quarterly vesting schedule as to the lapse of restrictions thereof with 1/16 equal portions (2,300 shares) vesting quarterly with the next 1/16 vesting on January 1, 2015 and thereafter equal portions on April 1, July 1, October 1 and January 1 of each year until all such shares shall have vested, which shall be January 1, 2017. Also includes the final installment of 1,875 shares that will lapse on December 31, 2014.

(3) Also includes 7,227 shares of common stock granted as restricted stock. Restrictions lapse in equal quarterly installments of 1,443 shares with the next installment on December 31, 2014 and the final installment of 1,445 shares on December 31, 2015.

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