#### U S PHYSICAL THERAPY INC /NV

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### FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading READING CHRISTOPHER J Issuer Symbol U S PHYSICAL THERAPY INC (Check all applicable) /NV [USPH] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction \_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) 1300 W. SAM HOUSTON PKWY 03/19/2015 Chief Executive Officer S., SUITE 300 (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting HOUSTON, TX 77042 (State) (Zip) (City) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Direct Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned (D) or Ownership

Following Indirect (I) Reported (Instr. 4) (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price \$ Common 03/19/2015 S 22,600 48.12 D D  $119,157 \frac{(2)}{2}$ Stock (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)

(Instr. 4)

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### **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

\*\*Signature of Reporting

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).
- The price reported is a weighted average price. The shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$48.00 \$48.78, 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.

Includes 40,000 restricted shares granted under the 2003 Plan as amended, restated and adopted with a four year quarterly vesting scheduled as to the lapse of restrictions thereof with 1/16 equal portions (1,250 shares) vesting quarterly, with the next 1/16 vesting on April 1, 2015 and thereafter equal 1/16 portions on April 1, July 1, October 1, each year until all such shares shall have vested, which shall be January 1, 2019. Also includes 46, 684 shares of common stock which were granted as restricted stock under the company's equity plans for which restrictions have not lapsed. Restrictions lapse as to 1,443 shares on each of March 31, 2015, June 30, 2015, September 30, 2015 and 1455 on December 31, 2015; 4175 shares on each of January 1, April 1, July 1, and October 1, of each year beginning April 1, 2015 and ending January 1, 2017; and 1875 shares on each of April 1, 2017, July 1, 2017, October 1, 2017 and January

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