### ORTHOFIX INTERNATIONAL N V

Form 4

August 21, 2012

## FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,

obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(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

OMB

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Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Month/Day/Year)

08/17/2012

10% Owner Director X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below) President, Orthopedics

C/O ORTHOFIX **INTERNATIONAL N.V., 3451** 

PLANO PARKWAY

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

LEWISVILLE, TX 75056

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	Derivative (	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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit or(A) or Dis (Instr. 3,	sposed 4 and 5 (A)	of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
_			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	08/17/2012		M	4,323	A	\$ 25.01	20,156	D	
Common Stock	08/17/2012		S	4,323	D	\$ 41.4	15,833	D	
Common Stock	08/17/2012		M	4,487	A	\$ 28.95	20,320	D	
Common Stock	08/17/2012		S	4,487	D	\$ 41.4	15,833	D	
	08/20/2012		M	10,460	A		26,293	D	

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Common Stock				\$ 28.95	
Common Stock	08/20/2012	S	10,460 D	\$ 41.4 15,833	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)			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
Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$ 25.01	08/17/2012		M		4,323	<u>(1)</u>	06/30/2019	Common Stock	4,323
Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$ 28.95	08/17/2012		M		4,487	<u>(2)</u>	06/30/2018	Common Stock	4,487
Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$ 28.95	08/20/2012		M		10,460	(2)	06/30/2018	Common Stock	10,460

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		

FERRARI LUIGI C/O ORTHOFIX INTERNATIONAL N.V. 3451 PLANO PARKWAY LEWISVILLE, TX 75056

President, Orthopedics

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## **Signatures**

/s/ Peter Pastorelle, by power of attorney 08/20/2012

\*\*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) The option vested with respect to thirty three and one third percent (33 1/3%) of the shares covered therby on each of the first, second, and third anniversaries of June 30, 2009.
- (2) The option vested with respect to thirty three and one third percent (33 and 1/3%) of the shares covered therby on each of the first, second, and third anniversaries of June 30, 2008.

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