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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

Common Stock, par

value \$0.001 08/15/2011

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Christenson Carl R			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Altra Holdings, Inc. [AIMC]			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction				our un approuer	′)	
300 GRANITE STREET, SUITE 201			(Month/Day/Year) 08/15/2011			X Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chief Executive Officer			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
BRAINTREE, MA 02184			Filed(Month/Day/Year)			Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative Securities Acq	uired, Disposed	of, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Dat (Month/Day/Year)) Execution		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired or(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

Code V Amount

 $F^{(1)}$

or

(D)

11,199 D

Price

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

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474,679

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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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					(A) or						Repo
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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Christenson Carl R 300 GRANITE STREET SUITE 201 BRAINTREE, MA 02184	X		Chief Executive Officer			

Signatures

Todd Patriacca, 08/17/2011 Attorney-in-fact

**Signature of Reporting Person Da

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) Shares forfeited in lieu of taxes upon vesting of restricted stock

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