McPherson Larry Form 4 February 13, 2009

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * McPherson Larry

(First)

(State)

(Middle)

(Zip)

Symbol Altra Holdings, Inc. [AIMC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 02/07/2008

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Officer (give title

X_ Director 10% Owner

C/O MEDICAL STAFFING **NETWORK HOLDINGS, 901** YAMATO ROAD, SUITE 110

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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BOCA RATON, FL 33431

	(City)	(State)	Table	Table 1 - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								
	1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securit	ies A	equired	5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of		
	Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D)			Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect			
	(Instr. 3)		any	Code	Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial		
			(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)			Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership			
								Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)		
						(A)		Reported				
					(A)		Transaction(s)					
				Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)				
	Common											
,	Stock, par value \$0.001	02/07/2008		A	4,415 (1)	A	\$ 13.59	105,470	D			
	Ψ0.001											

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	e and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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					4, and 5)						
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						Date	e Expiration	or Title Number			
						Exercisable	Date		of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		
				Code v	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

McPherson Larry C/O MEDICAL STAFFING NETWORK HOLDINGS 901 YAMATO ROAD, SUITE 110 BOCA RATON, FL 33431

X

Signatures

Todd Patriacca, Attorney-in-Fact

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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These shares are restricted common stock, par value \$0.001 ("Restricted Common Stock"), awarded to the Reporting Person under the Altra Holdings, Inc. 2004 Equity Incentive Plan, as amended. Shares of the Restricted Common Stock are subject to restrictions. The restrictions will expire in equal installments on September 1, 2008, September 1, 2009, September 1, 2010 and September 1, 2011, respectively.

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