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FORM 4

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

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Adams Timothy M			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ATHENAHEALTH INC [ATHN]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(
311 ARSENAI	L STREET		(Month/Day/Year) 02/01/2010	Director 10% Owner _X Officer (give title Other (specify below) CFO & SVP		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Che		
WATERTOWN, MA 02472			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	Zip)	Table I - Non-D	erivative Securities Acq	quired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities Acquired	5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature

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Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	on(A) or Disposed of	Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(D)	Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership
					Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
				()	Reported		
				(A)	Transaction(s)		
				or	(T (2 14)		

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(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount Price Common 40,000 02/01/2010 Α \$0 40,000

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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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration Date Und		7. Title and Amount o Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share
Stock Option (Right to	\$ 40.9	02/01/2010		A	90,000	01/11/2011(2)	02/01/2020	Common Stock	90,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Fg	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Adams Timothy M							
311 ARSENAL STREET			CFO & SVP				
WATERTOWN, MA 02472							

Signatures

Buy)

/s/ Daniel H. Orenstein Attorney-in-Fact 02/03/2010

**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).
- These shares represent restricted stock units issued pursuant to the Issuer's 2007 Stock Option and Incentive Plan. Subject to Reporting (1) Person's continued employment with Issuer, the restricted stock units vest in four equal annual installments beginning on January 11, 2011 until fully vested on January 11, 2014.
- (2) Subject to Reporting Person's continued employment with Issuer, the option vests and becomes exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning on January 11, 2011 until fully vested and exercisable on January 11, 2014.

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