

ORTHOFIX INTERNATIONAL N V  
 Form 3  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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 Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section  
 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement	3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	
Â Buxton Emily		(Month/Day/Year)	ORTHOFIX INTERNATIONAL N V [OFIX]	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
3451 PLANO PARKWAY			(Check all applicable)	
(Street)			<input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other (give title below)    (specify below) Interim CFO	
LEWISVILLE,Â TXÂ 75056			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	5,000 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	Â

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. SEC 1473 (7-02)

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable    Expiration Date	Title    Amount or Number of			

				Shares		(I) (Instr. 5)	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	Â <u>(2)</u>	12/02/2014	Common Stock	1,000	\$ 37.76	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	Â <u>(3)</u>	06/30/2015	Common Stock	1,000	\$ 43.04	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	Â <u>(4)</u>	06/30/2016	Common Stock	1,000	\$ 38.11	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	Â <u>(5)</u>	07/25/2019	Common Stock	10,000	\$ 23.58	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	Â <u>(6)</u>	02/15/2021	Common Stock	8,000	\$ 29.23	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	Â <u>(7)</u>	02/15/2022	Common Stock	5,000	\$ 41.37	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	Â <u>(8)</u>	06/25/2022	Common Stock	2,500	\$ 39.66	D	Â

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Buxton Emily 3451 PLANO PARKWAY LEWISVILLE, TX 75056	Â	Â	Â Interim CFO	Â

## Signatures

/s/ Jason W.  
McMenamy

11/19/2012

\*\*Signature of Reporting  
Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) This represents restricted stock awards for 5,000 shares that vests in one-third increments on each of the first, second, and third anniversary of the grant date of February 15, 2011.
- (2) The options vest in one-third increments on each of the first, second, and third anniversary of the grant date of December 2, 2004.
- (3) The options vest in one-third increments on each of the first, second, and third anniversary of the grant date of June 30, 2005.
- (4) The options vest in one-third increments on each of the first, second, and third anniversary of the grant date of June 30, 2006.
- (5) The options vest in one-third increments on each of the first, second, and third anniversary of the grant date of July 25, 2009.
- (6) The options vest in one-third increments on each of the first, second, and third anniversary of the grant date of February 15, 2011.
- (7) The options vest in one-third increments on each of the first, second, and third anniversary of the grant date of February 15, 2012.
- (8) The options vest in one-third increments on each of the first, second, and third anniversary of the grant date of June 25, 2012

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