

Alphatec Holdings, Inc.  
Form 8-K  
August 10, 2007

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**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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**FORM 8-K**

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**CURRENT REPORT**

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of The Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): August 7, 2007

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**Alphatec Holdings, Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction

of incorporation)

**000-52024**  
(Commission File Number)

**2051 Palomar Airport Road**

**Carlsbad, CA 92011**

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

**20-2463898**  
(I.R.S. Employer

Identification No.)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (760) 431-9286

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**ITEM 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers**

(b) On August 7, 2007 the issuer delivered notice to Mr. M. Ross Simmonds that ended his employment relationship with the issuer and its subsidiary, Alphatec Spine, Inc. Mr. Simmonds is the Senior Vice President and Chief Operating Officer of the issuer and Alphatec Spine, Inc. The employment relationship will cease on September 6, 2007.

(a), (c), (d), (e), (f) Not applicable

**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Alphatec Holdings, Inc.

By: /s/ Eburn S. Garner, Esq.

Name: Eburn S. Garner, Esq.

Title: General Counsel and VP

Date: August 10, 2007