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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

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See Instruction

1. Name and Add Bush Jonathar	•	orting Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ATHENAHEALTH INC [ATHN]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last)	(First) (Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
C/O ATHENAHEALTH, INC., 311 ARSENAL STREET			(Month/Day/Year) 09/28/2009	_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) CEO and President		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
WATERTOW	/N, MA 02	2472	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	ecurit	ies Acc	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	09/28/2009		<u>J(1)</u>	13,995	D	\$0	0	I	See Footnote (2)	
Common Stock	09/28/2009		<u>J(1)</u>	2,227	A	\$ 0	332,832	D (3)		
Common Stock	09/28/2009		<u>J(1)</u>	9,414	A	\$0	243,544	I (4)	See Footnote (5)	
Common Stock	09/28/2009		<u>J(1)</u>	2,354	A	\$0	2,354	I (4)	See Footnote (6)	

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See Common 100,000 I Footnote Stock

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. Tit	le and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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				G 1 W	(A) (B)				of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Bush Jonathan								
C/O ATHENAHEALTH, INC.	X		CEO and President					
311 ARSENAL STREET	Λ	CEO and President						
WATERTOWN, MA 02472								

Signatures

/s/ Daniel H. Orenstein 09/30/2009 Attorney-in-Fact

**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).
- On September 28, 2009, The Jonathan J. Bush, Jr. 2007 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust made a distribution in accordance with its terms to the Reporting Person, The Bush 2004 Gift Trust, and The Oscar W. Bush 2007 Gift Trust.

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These shares are owned by The Jonathan J. Bush, Jr. 2007 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust, the beneficiaries of which are Mr. Bush and certain of his children. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the Reporting Person is the beneficial owner of the securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

- (3) Represents shares directly owned by the Reporting Person, and received as part of the distribution described in footnote 1. This acquisition merely reflects a change in beneficial ownership from indirect to direct.
- (4) Represents shares indirectly owned by the Reporting Person, and received as part of the distribution described in footnote 1.
- These shares are owned by The Bush 2004 Gift Trust, the beneficiaries of which are certain of Mr. Bush's children. The Reporting Person (5) disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the Reporting Person is the beneficial owner of the securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- These shares are owned by The Oscar W. Bush 2007 Gift Trust, the beneficiary of which is Mr. Bush's child. The Reporting Person (6) disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the Reporting Person is the beneficial owner of the securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- These shares are owned by The Jonathan J. Bush, Jr. Grantor Retained Annuity Trust Dated July 15, 2008, the beneficiaries of which are Mr. Bush and certain of his children. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the Reporting Person is the beneficial owner of the securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

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