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1(b). (Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading DEEB ELIAS G Issuer Symbol ASTRO MED INC /NEW/ [ALOT] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify C/O ASTRO-MED, INC., 600 E 04/03/2012 below) **GREENWICH AVENUE** Vice President (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting W WADWICK DI 02802

W WARWICK, KI 02093			Person						
(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative Securities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned		
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities Acquired (A)	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of		
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	omr Disposed of (D)	Securities	Ownership	Indirect		
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Beneficially	Form:	Beneficial		
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)		Owned	Direct (D)	Ownership		
					Following	or Indirect	(Instr. 4)		

		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8) Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	04/03/2012		F(1)	13,823	D	\$ 8.44	41,108	D
Common Stock	04/03/2012		M	6,250	A	\$ 6.768	47,358	D
Common Stock	04/03/2012		M	9,375	A	\$ 7.9316	56,733	D (2)

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 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. 5. Number Transaction Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Purchase)	\$ 6.768	04/03/2012		M	6,250	03/21/2005	03/21/2015	Common Stock	6,250
Stock Option (Right to Purchase)	\$ 7.9316	04/03/2012		M	9,375	03/20/2006	03/20/2016	Common Stock	9,375

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address Director 10% Owner

Officer Other

DEEB ELIAS G C/O ASTRO-MED, INC. 600 E GREENWICH AVENUE W WARWICK, RI 02893

Vice President

Signatures

Margaret D. Farrell (Attorney-in-Fact for Deeb G. 04/04/2012 Elias)

> **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).
- The reporting person delivered 13,823 shares of the issuer's common stock to the issuer to pay the exercise price in connection with the exercise of the options reported herein.
- (2) Includes 4,196 shares allocated to the reporting person's account under the issuer's Employee Stock Ownership Plan.

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