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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement ASTRO MED INC /NEW/ [ALOT] Ondis April (Month/Day/Year) 07/20/2011 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) C/O ASTRO-MED, INC., 600 (Check all applicable) EAST GREENWICH AVENUE (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group _X__ 10% Owner Director Officer Other Filing(Check Applicable Line) (give title below) (specify below) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person PROVIDENCE, Â RIÂ 02893 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 5) (Instr. 4) Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) Â $D^{(1)}$ Common Stock 1,557,357 Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

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 | 5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) |
|--|--|---|---|---|--|
| | | Title | Security | Direct (D) | |

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| | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | | Amount or Number of Shares | | or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) | |
|----------------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|-----------------|----------------------------------|-----------|----------------------------|------------------|
| Stock Option (right to purchase) | 03/18/2002 | 03/18/2012 | Common Stock | 2,062.5 | \$ 2.6909 | D | Â |
| Stock Option (right to purchase) | 03/24/2003 | 03/24/2013 | Common Stock | 2,062.5 | \$ 2.4 | D | Â |
| Stock Option (right to purchase) | 04/19/2004 | 04/19/2014 | Common Stock | 3,437.5 | \$ 8.7273 | D | Â |
| Stock Option (right to purchase) | 03/21/2005 | 03/21/2015 | Common Stock | 1,562.5 | \$ 6.768 | D | Â |
| Stock Option (right to purchase) | 03/20/2006 | 03/20/2016 | Common Stock | 937.5 | \$ 7.9316 | D | Â |
| Stock Option (right to purchase) | 03/26/2007 | 03/26/2017 | Common Stock | 1,200 | \$ 11.895 | D | Â |
| Stock Option (right to purchase) | 04/01/2008 | 04/01/2018 | Common Stock | 600 | \$ 8.95 | D | Â |
| Stock Option (right to purchase) | 03/18/2009 | 03/18/2019 | Common Stock | 600 | \$ 6.22 | D | Â |
| Stock Option (right to purchase) | 03/15/2010 | 03/15/2020 | Common Stock | 1,000 | \$ 7.36 | D | Â |
| Stock Option (right to purchase) | 03/14/2011 | 03/14/2021 | Common Stock | 1,000 | \$ 7.95 | D | Â |
| Stock Option (right to purchase) | 03/18/2002 | 03/18/2012 | Common Stock | 85,250 | \$ 2.6909 | I | See footnote (2) |
| Stock Option (right to purchase) | 04/19/2004 | 04/19/2014 | Common Stock | 41,250 | \$ 8.7273 | I | See footnote (2) |
| Stock Option (right to purchase) | 03/20/2006 | 03/20/2016 | Common Stock | 21,250 | \$ 7.9316 | I | See footnote (2) |
| Stock Option (right to purchase) | 04/12/2007 | 04/12/2017 | Common Stock | 14,000 | \$ 11.445 | I | See footnote (2) |
| Stock Option (right to purchase) | 04/01/2008 | 04/01/2018 | Common Stock | 6,275 | \$ 9.845 | I | See footnote (2) |
| Stock Option (right to purchase) | 03/18/2009 | 03/18/2019 | Common Stock | 5,000 | \$ 6.842 | I | See footnote (2) |
| Stock Option (right to purchase) | 03/15/2010 | 03/15/2021 | Common Stock | 5,000 | \$ 8.096 | I | See footnote (2) |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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Ondis April C/O ASTRO-MED, INC. 600 EAST GREENWICH AVENUE PROVIDENCE, RIÂ 02893

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Signatures

Margaret D. Farrell (Attorney-in-fact for April Ondis)

08/01/2011

**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).
 - Includes (i) 1,608,631 shares which are held by the Estate of Albert W. Ondis of which the reporting person is a co-executor, (ii) 1,658
- (1) shares held in trust for a child of the reporting person of which the reporting person is a trustee and (iii) 487 shares which are held under the issuer's employee stock ownership plan for the account of the reporting person.
- (2) Stock Options are held by the Estate of Albert W. Ondis of which the reporting person is a co-executor.

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