CARGOULD FRANK D
Form 4
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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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1(b).

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,
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 [*] CARGOULD FRANK D	2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol ASTEC INDUSTRIES INC [ASTE]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1725 SHEPHERD RD	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/08/2012	(Check all applicable) _____ Director _____ 10% Owner __X__ Officer (give title _____ Other (specify below) below) President-Breaker Technology
(Street) CHATTANOOGA, TN 37421	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person ___ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
(City) (State) (Zip)		

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	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 $			
Common Stock	03/08/2012		F		471 [(2)]	D	35.9 [(2)]	1,000 [(2)]	D	
Common Stock								1,029 [(3)]	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities 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)		8. Price Deriva Securi (Instr.
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Stock	(1)							(1)	(1)	Common Stock	8,683.219 (1)	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
CARGOULD FRANK D 1725 SHEPHERD RD CHATTANOOGA, TN 37421			President-Breaker Technology	

Signatures

Robert Taylor, attorney in fact for Frank Cargould	03/09/2012
**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).

(1)   Phantom shares are held in a SERP and are payable in cash following the reporting person's termination of employment from Astec.

(2)   Reflects restricted stock units (RSUs) that convert to common stock on a one-for-one basis. The reported transaction reflects 471 shares of common stock withheld by the issuer to satisfy tax withholding obligations upon the vesting of 1,500 RSU's.

(3)   Amount includes 1,029 shares of common stock issued to the reporting person upon the vesting of RSUs, net of shares withheld to satisfy tax withholding obligations.

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