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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <b>PORTER ARTHUR T</b>  (Last) (First) (Middle) <b>4620 CREEKSTONE DRIVE, SUITE 200</b>  (Street) <b>DURHAM NC 27703</b>  (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <b>ADHEREX TECHNOLOGIES INC [ AMEX:ADH ]</b>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <b>04/30/2007</b>	
4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		

**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			

**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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$0.28							02/28/2007	02/28/2014	Common Stock	50,000		50,000	D	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$0.88							12/14/2006	12/14/2012	Common Stock	2,500		2,500	D	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$1.2							05/18/2006	05/18/2012	Common Stock	18,621		18,621	D	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$1.2							09/21/2006	09/21/2012	Common Stock	30,000		30,000	D	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$1.95							12/17/2005	12/17/2011	Common Stock	2,000		2,000	D	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$2.9							05/21/2004	05/21/2011	Common Stock	4,000		4,000	D	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$3.25							03/01/2005	03/01/2011	Common Stock	18,621		18,621	D	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$0.63	04/30/2007		A		170,000		04/30/2007 <sup>(1)</sup>	04/30/2014	Common Stock	170,000	\$0	170,000	D	

**Explanation of Responses:**

1. The options to which this note relates are subject to vesting in three (3) installments with one-third vesting immediately and the remaining shares vesting on the first and second anniversary of the Grant Date reported above.

D. Scott Murray, Attorney-in-Fact      05/02/2007

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person      Date

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

\* 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).

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