FORM 3

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Federico Richard D			2. Date of Event Requiring Staten Month/Day/Year 02/18/2012	nent	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ALLIED MOTION TECHNOLOGIES INC [AMOT]							
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O ALLIED MOTION TECHNOLOGIES						tionship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer all applicable) Director 10% Owner			5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)			
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(Street) ENGLEWOOL	D CO	80112								Form filed by Reporting Po	y More than One erson	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)										
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Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

No securities are beneficially owned.

Susan M. Chiarmonte, attorney-in-fact for Richard D. 02/28/2012 **Federico**

** 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 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).

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KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that each person whose signature appears below constitutes and appoints Richard D. Smith or Susan M. Chiarmonte his true and lawful attorney-in-fact and agent, with full power of substitution and resubstitution, for him and in his name, place and stead, in any and all capacities, to sign a Form ID, Form 3, Form 4 or Form 5 relating to his ownership of shares of Allied Motion Technologies Inc., and any and all amendments thereto, and to file the same, with all exhibits thereto, and any other documents in connection therewith, with the Securities and Exchange Commission, granting unto said attorney-in-fact and agent, full power and authority to do and perform each and every act and thing requisite or necessary to be done in and about the premises, as fully to all intents and purposes as he might or could do in person, hereby ratifying and confirming all that said attorney-in-fact and agent, or her substitute or substitutes, may lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue hereof.

/s/ Richard D. Federico Director February 21, 2012