ASTEC INDUSTRIES INC Form SC 13G/A February 08, 2013

SCHEDULE 13G

(Rule 13d-102)

Information to be Included in Statements Filed Pursuant to Rule 13d-1(b), (c) and (d) and Amendments Thereto Filed Pursuant to Rule 13d-2.

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No. 2)*

Astec Industries Inc.

(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock

(Title of Class of Securities)

046224101

(CUSIP Number)

December 31, 2012

Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:

(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

- [X] Rule 13d-1(b)
- [_] Rule 13d-1(c)
- [_] Rule 13d-1(d)
- * The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

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1	NAME OF REPO	ORT:	ING PERSON		
	Artisan Par	rtne	ers Holdings LP		
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	Not Applica	able	e		
3	SEC USE ONLY	· Y			
4	CITIZENSHIP Delaware	OR	PLACE OF ORGANIZATION		
		5	SOLE VOTING POWER		
NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH			None		
		6	SHARED VOTING POWER 1,003,781		
P	ORTING ERSON WITH	7	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER		
	M T III		None		
		8	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER		
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9	AGGREGATE AN	MOUI	NT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON		
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Artisan In	nvestment Corporation	
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Wisconsin		
	5 SOLE VOTING POWER	
NUMBER OF		
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OWNED BY EACH	1,003,781	
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OWNED BY EACH	1,003,781	
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Artisan Investments GP LLC

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1	NAME OF REP	ORTING PERSON	
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1	NAME OF REPO	ORT:	ING PERSON		
	Carlene M.	Zie	egler		
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Not Applicable

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1	NAME OF REP	ORT	ING PERSON		
	Artisan Pa	rtn	ers Funds, Inc.		
2	CHECK THE A		OPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP ons)	(a) (b)	[_]
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NUMBER OF	None
SHARES BENEFICIAL	LY 6 SHARED VOTING POWER
OWNED BY EACH	685,381
REPORTING PERSON	7 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
WITH	None
	8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
	685,381
9 AGGREGA	ATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
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11 PERCEN	r of class represented by amount in row (9)
3.0%	
12 TYPE OF	F REPORTING PERSON
(see I	nstructions)
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Item 1(a)	Name of Issuer:
	Astec Industries Inc.
Item 1(b)	Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices:
	1725 Shepherd Road, Chattanooga, TN 37421
Item 2(a)	Name of Person Filing:
	Artisan Partners Holdings LP ("Artisan Holdings") Artisan Investment Corporation, the general partner of Artisan Holdings ("Artisan Corp.") Artisan Partners Limited Partnership ("Artisan Partners") Artisan Investments GP LLC, the general partner of Artisan Partners ("Artisan Investments")

ZFIC, Inc., the sole stockholder of Artisan Corp. ("ZFIC") Andrew A. Ziegler Carlene M. Ziegler Artisan Partners Funds, Inc. ("Artisan Funds")

Item 2(b) Address of Principal Business Office:

Artisan Holdings, Artisan Corp., Artisan Partners, Artisan Investments, ZFIC,
Mr. Ziegler, Ms. Ziegler and Artisan Funds are all located at:

875 East Wisconsin Avenue, Suite 800 Milwaukee, WI 53202

Item 2(c) Citizenship:

Artisan Holdings is a Delaware limited partnership Artisan Corp. is a Wisconsin corporation Artisan Partners is a Delaware limited partnership Artisan Investments is a Delaware limited liability company ZFIC is a Wisconsin corporation Mr. Ziegler and Ms. Ziegler are U.S. citizens Artisan Funds is a Wisconsin corporation

Item 2(d) Title of Class of Securities:

Common Stock

Item 2(e) CUSIP Number:

046224101

- - (d) Artisan Funds is an Investment Company under section 8 of the Investment Company Act.
 - (e) Artisan Partners is an investment adviser registered under section 203 of the Investment Advisers Act of 1940; Artisan Holdings is the sole limited partner of Artisan Partners; Artisan Investments is the general partner of Artisan Partners; Artisan Corp is the general partner of Artisan Holdings; ZFIC is the sole stockholder of Artisan Corp.; Mr. Ziegler and Ms. Ziegler are the principal stockholders of ZFIC.

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- Item 4 Ownership (at December 31, 2012):
 - (a) Amount owned "beneficially" within the meaning of rule 13d-3:

1,061,681

- (b) Percent of class:
 - 4.7% (based on 22,787,508 shares outstanding as of October 26, 2012)
- (c) Number of shares as to which such person has:

(i) sole power to vote or to direct the vote:

None

(ii) shared power to vote or to direct the vote:

1,003,781

(iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of:

None

(iv) shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of:

1,061,681

Item 5 Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class:

If this statement is being filed to report the fact that as of the date hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the class of securities, check the following [X].

Item 6 Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person:

Not Applicable

Not Applicable

Not Applicable

Not Applicable

Item 10 Certification:

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were acquired and are held in the ordinary course of business and were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

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Signature

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Date: February 8, 2013

ARTISAN INVESTMENT CORPORATION, for itself and as the general partner of ARTISAN PARTNERS HOLDINGS LP

By: Gregory K. Ramirez*

ARTISAN INVESTMENTS GP LLC, for itself and as the general partner of ARTISAN PARTNERS LIMITED PARTNERSHIP

By: Gregory K. Ramirez*

ZFIC, INC.

By: Gregory K. Ramirez*

ANDREW A. ZIEGLER

Andrew A. Ziegler*

CARLENE M. ZIEGLER

Carlene M. Ziegler*

ARTISAN PARTNERS FUNDS, INC.

By: Gregory K. Ramirez*

*By: /s/ Gregory K. Ramirez

Gregory K. Ramirez

Senior Vice President - Chief Accounting Officer & Assistant Treasurer of Artisan Investment

Corporation

Vice President of Artisan Investments GP LLC

Attorney-in-Fact for ZFIC, Inc.

Attorney-in-Fact for Andrew A.

Ziegler

Attorney-in-Fact for Carlene M. Ziegler

Chief Financial Officer, Vice President and Treasurer of Artisan Partners Funds, Inc.

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Exhibit Index

Exhibit 1 Joint Filing Agreement dated February 8, 2013 by and among Artisan Partners Holdings LP, Artisan Investment Corporation,

Artisan Partners Limited Partnership, Artisan Investments GP LLC, ZFIC, Inc., Andrew A. Ziegler, Carlene M. Ziegler and Artisan Partners Funds, Inc.

Exhibit 2 Power of Attorney of ZFIC, Inc., dated August 31, 2012

Exhibit 3 Power of Attorney of Andrew A. Ziegler dated August 31, 2012

Exhibit 4 Power of Attorney of Carlene M. Ziegler dated August 31, 2012

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EXHIBIT 1

JOINT FILING AGREEMENT

The undersigned hereby agree to the joint filing of the Schedule 13G to which this Agreement is attached.

Dated: February 8, 2013

ARTISAN INVESTMENT CORPORATION, for itself and as the general partner of ARTISAN PARTNERS HOLDINGS LP

By: Gregory K. Ramirez*

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Carlene M. Ziegler*

ARTISAN PARTNERS FUNDS, INC.

By: Gregory K. Ramirez*

*By: /s/ Gregory K. Ramirez

Gregory K. Ramirez

Senior Vice President - Chief Accounting Officer & Assistant

Treasurer of Artisan Investment
Corporation
Vice President of Artisan
Investments GP LLC
Attorney-in-Fact for ZFIC, Inc.
Attorney-in-Fact for Andrew A.
Ziegler
Attorney-in-Fact for Carlene M.
Ziegler
Chief Financial Officer, Vice
President and Treasurer of
Artisan Partners Funds, Inc.

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EXHIBIT 2

POWER OF ATTORNEY

The undersigned, ZFIC, Inc., hereby appoints Charles J. Daley, Jr., Sarah A. Johnson, Gregory K. Ramirez and Rebecca Himmelspach, and each of them individually, its true and lawful attorney-in-fact and agent, with full power to execute and file with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority, for and on its behalf in any and all capacities, any and all reports required to be filed pursuant to Section 13 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules thereunder, including but not limited to reports on Schedule 13D or 13G, any and all amendments to such reports, with all exhibits, and any other forms or documents as may be necessary in connection with the filing of such reports with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority, granting unto said attorney full power and authority to do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete, as fully as the undersigned might or could do in person.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorneys-in-fact and agents.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed this 31st day of August, 2012.

ZFIC, INC.

By: /s/ Andrew A. Ziegler

Andrew A. Ziegler Vice President

STATE OF WISCONSIN)

OUNTY OF MILWAUKEE)

I, Lisa Moran, a Notary Public in and for the County of Milwaukee, State of Wisconsin, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that Andrew A. Ziegler, who is personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that he signed and delivered the said instrument as his own free and voluntary act, for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Given under my hand and notarial seal, this 31st day of August, 2012.

/s/ Lisa Moran
----Notary Public

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EXHIBIT 3

POWER OF ATTORNEY

The undersigned, Andrew A. Ziegler, hereby appoints Charles J. Daley, Jr., Sarah A. Johnson, Gregory K. Ramirez and Rebecca Himmelspach, and each of them individually, his true and lawful attorney-in-fact and agent, with full power to execute and file with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority, for and on his behalf in any and all capacities, any and all reports required to be filed pursuant to Section 13 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules thereunder, including but not limited to reports on Schedule 13D or 13G, any and all amendments to such reports, with all exhibits, and any other forms or documents as may be necessary in connection with the filing of such reports with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority, granting unto said attorney full power and authority to do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete, as fully as the undersigned might or could do in person.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorneys-in-fact and agents.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed this 31st day of August, 2012.

STATE OF WISCONSIN)

OUNTY OF MILWAUKEE)

I, Lisa Moran, a Notary Public in and for the County of Milwaukee, State of Wisconsin, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that Andrew A. Ziegler, who is personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that he signed and delivered the said instrument as his own free and voluntary act, for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Given under my hand and notarial seal, this 31st day of August, 2012.

/s/ Lisa Moran
----Notary Public

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EXHIBIT 4

POWER OF ATTORNEY

The undersigned, Carlene M. Ziegler, hereby appoints Charles J. Daley, Jr., Sarah A. Johnson, Gregory K. Ramirez and Rebecca Himmelspach, and each of them individually, her true and lawful attorney-in-fact and agent, with full power to execute and file with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority, for and on her behalf in any and all capacities, any and all reports required to be filed pursuant to Section 13 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules thereunder, including but not limited to reports on Schedule 13D or 13G, any and all amendments to such reports, with all exhibits, and any other forms or documents as may be necessary in connection with the filing of such reports with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority, granting unto said attorney full power and authority to do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete, as fully as the undersigned might or could do in person.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorneys-in-fact and agents.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed this 31st day of August, 2012.

/s/ Carlene M. Ziegler
-----Carlene M. Ziegler

STATE OF WISCONSIN)

OUNTY OF MILWAUKEE)

I, Lisa Moran, a Notary Public in and for the County of Milwaukee, State of Wisconsin, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that Carlene M. Ziegler, who is personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that she signed and delivered the said instrument as her own free and voluntary act, for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Given under my hand and notarial seal, this 31st day of August, 2012.

/s/ Lisa Moran
-----Notary Public

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