

**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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*			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
<u>PERRY RASHELLE</u>			<u>MERIT MEDICAL SYSTEMS INC [ MMSI ]</u>			Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <u>Chief Legal Officer</u>		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)		
<u>1600 W. MERIT PARKWAY</u>			<u>03/11/2009</u>					
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)					
<u>SOUTH JORDAN UT 84095</u>			<u>03/13/2009</u>			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person		
(City) (State) (Zip)						Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

**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	03/11/2009		I		5,752	A	\$9.964	6,332	I	By 401 (k) Plan <sup>(1)</sup>
Common Stock								514 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	
Common Stock								1,566 <sup>(8)</sup>	D	

**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					
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$7.61							12/08/2002 <sup>(3)</sup>	12/08/2011	Common Stock	12,487	5,292	D	
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$9.74							02/06/2004 <sup>(4)</sup>	02/06/2013	Common Stock	17,777	17,777	D	
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$21.67							12/13/2004 <sup>(5)</sup>	12/13/2013	Common Stock	7,000	7,000	D	
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$13.81							06/10/2004	06/10/2014	Common Stock	3,000	3,000	D	

