

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*<br><u>Wright Joseph</u><br><br>(Last) (First) (Middle)<br>1600 WEST MERIT PARKWAY<br><br>(Street)<br>SOUTH UT 84095<br>JORDAN UT 84095<br><br>(City) (State) (Zip) | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol<br><u>MERIT MEDICAL SYSTEMS INC [ MMSI ]</u> | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)<br>Director 10% Owner<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)<br><u>President, International</u> |
|   | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)<br><u>06/13/2018</u>                    |  |
|   |  | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person<br><input type="checkbox"/> 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, No Par Value      | 06/13/2018                           |  | M                              |   | 9,928   | A          | \$13.75                 | 9,928   | D  |   |
| Common Stock, No Par Value      | 06/13/2018                           |  | S                              |   | 9,928   | D          | \$49.487 <sup>(1)</sup> | 0   | D  |   |
| Common Stock, No Par Value      | 06/14/2018                           |  | M                              |   | 10,072  | A          | \$13.75                 | 10,072  | D  |   |
| Common Stock, No Par Value      | 06/14/2018                           |  | S                              |   | 10,072  | D          | \$49.528 <sup>(2)</sup> | 0   | 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 | Title   | Amount or Number of Shares |  |  |   |  |
| Common Stock                               | \$13.75  | 06/13/2018                           |  | M                              |   | 9,928  |     | 08/11/2012 <sup>(3)</sup>                                | 08/11/2018      | Common Stock  | 9,928                      | \$0  | 10,072   | D   |  |
| Common Stock                               | \$13.75  | 06/14/2018                           |  | M                              |   | 10,072   |     | 08/11/2012 <sup>(3)</sup>                                | 08/11/2018      | Common Stock  | 10,072                     | \$0  | 0  | D   |  |
| Non-qualified stock options (right to buy) | \$13.14  |                                      |  |                                |   |  |     | 07/31/2014 <sup>(4)</sup>                                | 07/31/2020      | Common Stock  | 10,000                     |  | 10,000   | D   |  |
| Non-qualified stock options (right to buy) | \$12.06  |                                      |  |                                |   |  |     | 10/04/2015 <sup>(5)</sup>                                | 10/04/2021      | Common Stock  | 25,000                     |  | 25,000   | D   |  |
| Non-qualified stock options (right to buy) | \$17.27  |                                      |  |                                |   |  |     | 02/13/2016 <sup>(6)</sup>                                | 02/13/2022      | Common Stock  | 10,000                     |  | 10,000   | D   |  |
| Non-qualified stock options (right to buy) | \$16.05  |                                      |  |                                |   |  |     | 01/28/2017 <sup>(7)</sup>                                | 01/28/2023      | Common Stock  | 20,000                     |  | 20,000   | D   |  |
| Non-qualified stock options (right to buy) | \$28.2   |                                      |  |                                |   |  |     | 04/14/2018 <sup>(8)</sup>                                | 04/14/2024      | Common Stock  | 25,000                     |  | 25,000   | D   |  |
| Common Stock                               | \$44.8   |                                      |  |                                |   |  |     | 03/02/2019 <sup>(9)</sup>                                | 03/02/2025      | Common Stock  | 25,000                     |  | 25,000   | D   |  |

