FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  LAMPROPOULOS FRED P  (Last) (First) (Middle)  1600 W MARIT PARKWAY						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  MERIT MEDICAL SYSTEMS INC [  MMSI ]  3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  09/16/2000									Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issue heck all applicable)  X Director X 10% Owne  X Officer (give title below)  President, CEO			Owner (specify
(Street) SO JORD (City)	OAN UT		If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)      Ative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficence.									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person  Figure 1. Person  Figure 2. Person  Figure 2. Person  Figure 2. Person  Figure 2. Person						
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date				2. Transact	on 2A. Deemed Execution Date,			3. 4. Securi			ities Acquired (A) of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			5. Am Secur	ount of ities icially	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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Common Stock, no par value 08/08/1					988 08/08/1988			Α		41,038		A	(1)	41,038(1)		D		
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	if any	emed tion Date, n/Day/Year)	4. Transac Code (li 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable a Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			and 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (In 3 and 4)		0 D S (I	. Price of Perivative Security Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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## Explanation of Responses:

1. By 401(k) Plan; represents plan holdings a/o 8/22/03 per most recent plan statement timely distributed.

Fred P. Lampropoulos 09/16/2003

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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