FORM 4

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

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* STILLABOWER MICHAEL E						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MERIT MEDICAL SYSTEMS INC [ MMSI ]							MSI		ationship o c all applica Director	able)	Reporting Person ble)		uer vner	
(Last) 1600 W.	-	•	(Middle)					liest Tran	saction	(Montl	n/Day/Year)			Officer (give title below)				Other (specify below)		
(Street) SOUTH JORDAI	N U	Т	84095		4.	If Ame	ndme	ent, Date	of Origi	nal File	ed (Month/Day	y/Year)		6. Indi Line) X	Form fil	ed by One	Repo	(Check App rting Person One Repon	n	
(City) (State) (Zip)													Person							
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1. Title of	Security (Ins	tr. 3)		2. Transa Date (Month/D	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/15/2016   4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)   (Mon	(D) (Instr.		nd 5) Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported			6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)							
Common Stock No Par Value			00/15	/2016	1.6				v		(A) or (D) Price		Transac (Instr. 3		and 4)					
(Last) (First) (Middle)  1600 W. MERIT PARKWAY  (Street)  SOUTH JORDAN  Table I - Non-De  1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  Common Stock, No Par Value  Common Stock, No Par Value  Common Stock, No Par Value  Table II - Der  (Month/Day/Year)  1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)  Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)  Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)										-	A D		2.91 2885 <sup>(9)</sup>	52,778		D D				
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qualified stock options (right to	\$13.82	08/15/2016			М			25,000	09/26/2	2010 <sup>(1)</sup>	09/26/2016	Commo Stock		000	\$0	0		D		
qualified stock options (right to	\$13.16								06/25/:	2011 <sup>(2)</sup>	06/25/2017	Commo Stock		000		25,000	0	D		
qualified stock options (right to	\$13.75								08/11/2	2012 <sup>(3)</sup>	08/11/2018	Commo Stock	1 70	000		20,000	0	D		
qualified stock options (right to	\$12.91								05/23/2	2013 <sup>(4)</sup>	05/23/2019	Commo Stock		000		20,000	)	D		
qualified	\$9.95								05/22/	2014 <sup>(5)</sup>	05/22/2020	Commo Stock	<sup>n</sup> 25,	000		25,000	)	D		
Non- qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$13.99								06/11/2	2015 <sup>(6)</sup>	06/11/2021	Commo Stock		000		25,000	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)	Code (Instr.				6. Date Exerci Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Ye	te	7. Title and of Securiti Underlying Derivative (Instr. 3 and	ies g Security	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				
Non- qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$20.27							05/22/2016 <sup>(7)</sup>	05/22/2022	Common Stock	25,000		25,000	D	
Non- qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$18.8							05/26/2017 <sup>(8)</sup>	05/26/2023	Common Stock	25,000		25,000	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- $1. \ Becomes \ exercisable \ in \ equal \ annual \ installments \ of \ 20\% \ commencing \ 09/26/2010.$
- 2. Becomes exercisable in equal annual installments of 20% commencing 06/25/2011.
- 3. Becomes exercisable in equal annual installments of 20% commencing 08/11/2012.
- 4. Becomes exercisable in equal annual installments of 20% commencing 05/23/2013.
- 5. Becomes exercisable in equal annual installments of 20% commencing 05/22/2014.
- 6. Becomes exercisable in equal annual installments of 20% commencing 06/11/2015.
- 7. Becomes exercisable in equal annual installments of 20% commencing 05/22/2016.
- $8. \ Becomes \ exercisable \ in \ equal \ annual \ installments \ of \ 20\% \ commencing \ 05/26/2017.$

9. The price reported in Column 4 of Table 1 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$24.250 to 24.365, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Merit Medical Systems, Inc., any security holder of Merit Medical Systems, Inc., or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this Form 4.

Brian G. Lloyd, Attorney-in-08/16/2016 **Fact** 

\*\* 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 4 (b)(v).
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