

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Wright Joseph</u> _____ (Last) (First) (Middle) 1600 WEST MERIT PARKWAY _____ (Street) SOUTH UT 84095 JORDAN _____ (City) (State) (Zip)			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>MERIT MEDICAL SYSTEMS INC [ MMSI ]</u> _____ ]			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) President, International		
			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/14/2017					
			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)					
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**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			

**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)	\$13.75							08/11/2012 <sup>(1)</sup>	08/11/2018	Common Stock	20,000	20,000	D	
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$13.14							07/31/2014 <sup>(2)</sup>	07/31/2020	Common Stock	10,000	10,000	D	
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$12.06							10/04/2015 <sup>(3)</sup>	10/04/2021	Common Stock	25,000	25,000	D	
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$17.27							02/13/2016 <sup>(4)</sup>	02/13/2022	Common Stock	10,000	10,000	D	
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$16.05							01/28/2017 <sup>(5)</sup>	01/28/2023	Common Stock	20,000	20,000	D	
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$28.2	04/14/2017		A		25,000		04/14/2018 <sup>(6)</sup>	04/14/2024	Common Stock	25,000	\$0	25,000	D

**Explanation of Responses:**

- Becomes exercisable in equal annual installments of 20% commencing on 08/11/2012.
- Becomes exercisable in equal annual installments of 20% commencing on 07/31/2014.
- Becomes exercisable in equal annual installments of 20% commencing on 10/04/2015.
- Becomes exercisable in equal annual installments of 20% commencing on 02/13/2016.
- Becomes exercisable in equal annual installments of 20% commencing on 01/28/2017.
- Becomes exercisable in equal annual installments of 20% commencing on 04/14/2018.

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).

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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