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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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>BEAN REX C</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) (Street) (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) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>05/21/2003</u>	
	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) <u>05/29/2003</u>	

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	05/21/2003	05/21/2003	M		11,719	A	4.8	148,524	D	
Common Stock, no par value	05/21/2003	05/21/2003	F		3,040	D	18.5	145,484	D	
Common Stock, no par value	08/08/1988	08/08/1988	A		9,450	A	174,825	9,450	D	
Common Stock, no par value	08/08/1988	08/08/1988	A		39,438	A	729,603	39,438	D	
Common Stock, no par value	08/08/1988	08/08/1988	A		10,000	A	185,000	10,000	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		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date					

Explanation of Responses:

Rex C. Bean

05/31/2003

** 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).

** 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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(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conver- sion or Exer- cise Price of Deriv- ative Secur- ity	3. Trans- action Date (Month/ Day/ Year)	4. Trans- action Code (Instr 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) (D)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Expira- tion Exer- tion cisable Date		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) Amount or Number of Shares	8. Price of Deriv- ative Secur- ity (Instr. 5)	9. 10. Number Owner- of ship Deriv- ative Secur- ities Bene- ficially Owned at End of Year (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of In- direct Owner- ship Benefi- cial Owner (Instr. 4)
Non-qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$4.80	05/21/03	M	11,719	05/27/98	05/27/03	Common Stock	11,719	0	D
Non-qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$3.76	N/A			05/26/99	05/26/04	Common Stock		11,719	D
Non-qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$2.88	N/A			05/24/00	05/24/05	Common Stock		11,719	D
Non-qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$5.0624	N/A			05/23/01	05/23/11	Common Stock		15,625	D
Non-qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$16.99	N/A			05/23/02	05/23/12	Common Stock		10,000	D