#### LAMPROPOULOS FRED P

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### FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading LAMPROPOULOS FRED P Issuer Symbol MERIT MEDICAL SYSTEMS INC (Check all applicable) [MMSI] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction \_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify X\_ Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) below) 1600 W MERIT PARKWAY 10/15/2010 President & CEO (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting SOUTH JORDAN, UT 84095 Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative Sec	urities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities A coror Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and (A) or Amount (D)	f (D) d 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)
Common Stock, No Par Value	10/15/2010		S	5,000 D	\$ 16.1715 (1)	755,369	D	
Common Stock, No Par Value						64,839	I	By 401(k) Plan (2)

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

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# $\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (\emph{e.g.}, puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \\ \end{tabular}$

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	e 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	of	3		7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and 4	Securitie
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Numbe of Shar
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$ 2.85					05/23/2001	05/23/2011	Common Stock	27,77
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$ 7.61					12/08/2002(3)	12/08/2011	Common Stock	88,88
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$ 9.56					05/23/2002	05/23/2012	Common Stock	17,77
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$ 9.74					02/06/2004(4)	02/06/2013	Common Stock	71,11
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$ 10.47					05/22/2003	05/22/2013	Common Stock	26,66
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$ 21.67					12/13/2004(5)	12/13/2013	Common Stock	28,00
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$ 21.67					12/13/2003	12/13/2013	Common Stock	15,00
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$ 13.81					06/10/2004	06/10/2014	Common Stock	15,00
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$ 13.81					06/10/2004	06/10/2014	Common Stock	12,00
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$ 15.03					12/18/2004	12/18/2014	Common Stock	40,00

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Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$ 14.26	05/25/2005	05/25/2015	Common Stock	15,00
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$ 17.99	07/15/2005	07/15/2015	Common Stock	75,00
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$ 12.14	12/28/2005	12/28/2015	Common Stock	40,00
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$ 11.52	05/25/2007(6)	05/25/2013	Common Stock	15,00
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$ 12.13	06/27/2008(7)	06/27/2014	Common Stock	40,00
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$ 12.13	06/27/2008(7)	06/27/2014	Common Stock	15,00
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$ 14.41	05/21/2009(8)	05/21/2015	Common Stock	55,00
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$ 17.28	09/26/2010(9)	09/26/2016	Common Stock	20,00

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
toporting of the remain francess	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
LAMPROPOULOS FRED P 1600 W MERIT PARKWAY SOUTH JORDAN, UT 84095	X		President & CEO			

Date

### **Signatures**

Rashelle Perry, 10/18/2010 Attorney-in-Fact \*\*Signature of Reporting Person

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 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).
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$15.99 to \$16.26, 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 footnote (1) to this Form 4.

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- (2) Represents plan holdings as of October 14, 2010.
- (3) Becomes exercisable in equal annual installments of 20% commencing 12/8/2002.
- (4) Becomes exercisable in equal annual installments of 20% commencing 2/6/2004.
- (5) Becomes exercisable in equal annual installments of 20% commencing 12/13/2004.
- (6) Becomes exercisable in equal annual installments of 33.33% commencing 5/25/2007.
- (7) Becomes exercisable in equal annual installments of 20% commencing 6/27/2008.
- (8) Becomes exercisable in equal annual installments of 20% commencing 5/21/2009.
- (9) Becomes exercisable in equal annual installments of 20% commencing 9/26/2010.

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