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(Print or Type Re	sponses)							
1. Name and Add Ellis Gary Led	dress of Reporting Pe e	Symbol	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MEDTRONIC INC [MDT]		5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First) (Mi		Earliest Transaction	(Chec	k all applicabl	e)		
MEDTRONIO MEDTRONIO LC310	C, INC., 710 C PARKWAY, M	(Month/D 10/19/20 1.S.	-	Director X Officer (give below) St		% Owner her (specify		
MINNEAPOI	(Street) LIS, MN 55432-5	Filed(Mon	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	e I - Non-Derivative Securities Ac	quired, Disposed of	, or Beneficia	lly Owned		
	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any	3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Code V Amount (D) Price	Securities Beneficially Owned	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock				20,364.107	D			
Common Stock				3,669.055	I	By 401(k) Plan		
Common Stock				6,429.158	I	By ESOP		

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

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of onDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and 4	ecurities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 56.74	10/19/2005		А	37,011	10/19/2006 <u>(1)</u>	10/19/2015	Common Stock	37,01

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
FB	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Ellis Gary Lee MEDTRONIC, INC. 710 MEDTRONIC PARKWAY, M.S. LC310 MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55432-5604			Sr VP & CFO	
Signatures				

Neil P. Ayotte, Attorney-in-Fact	10/20/2005
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) These options become exercisable at the rate of 25% of the shares granted per year beginning on the first anniversary of grant.

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