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FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Lloyd Brian G.

Symbol

MERIT MEDICAL SYSTEMS INC [MMSI]

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

1600 WEST MERIT PARKWAY

(Street)

(State)

03/02/2018

below)

(Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Chief Legal Officer, Secretary 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)

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Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

SOUTH JORDAN, UT 84095

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially (D) or Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A)

Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Common Stock, No

Par Value

(Instr. 3)

(City)

Code V Amount (D) Price

> 59 (1) D

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

(Month/Day/Year)

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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 orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration Date	5. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date Month/Day/Year)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title ON O
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$ 19.72					05/02/2017(2)	05/02/2023	Common Stock 2
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$ 28.2					04/14/2018(3)	04/14/2024	Common Stock
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$ 44.8	03/02/2018		A	25,000	03/02/2019(4)	03/02/2025	Common Stock 2

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
and the state of t	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Lloyd Brian G.			Chief Legal			
1600 WEST MERIT PARKWAY			Officer,			
SOUTH JORDAN, UT 84095			Secretary			

Signatures

Brian G. Lloyd 03/06/2018

**Signature of Person Date

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).
- (1) Employee stock purchase plan holdings as of 03/06/2018.
- (2) Becomes exercisable in equal annual installments of 20% commencing on 05/02/2017.
- (3) Becomes exercisable in equal annual installments of 20% commencing on 04/14/2018.
- (4) Becomes exercisable in equal annual installments of 20% commencing on 03/02/2019.

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