

MERIT MEDICAL SYSTEMS INC

Form 4

April 18, 2017

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Birkett Bernard

(Last) (First) (Middle)

1600 WEST MERIT PARKWAY

(Street)

SOUTH JORDAN, UT 84095

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading
Symbol

MERIT MEDICAL SYSTEMS INC
[MMSI]

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

04/14/2017

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
__X__ Officer (give title ____ Other (specify
below) below)

Chief Financial Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
__X__ Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock, No Par Value			Code V	Amount (D)	Price	1,075	D

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)**

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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. 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$ 13.75							08/11/2012 ⁽¹⁾	08/11/2018	Common Stock	1,000,000
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$ 12.06							10/04/2015 ⁽²⁾	10/04/2021	Common Stock	1,000,000
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$ 17.27							02/13/2016 ⁽³⁾	02/13/2022	Common Stock	2,000,000
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$ 16.05							01/28/2017 ⁽⁴⁾	01/28/2023	Common Stock	2,000,000
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$ 28.2	04/14/2017		A		50,000		04/14/2018 ⁽⁵⁾	04/14/2024	Common Stock	50,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Birkett Bernard 1600 WEST MERIT PARKWAY SOUTH JORDAN, UT 84095			Chief Financial Officer	

Signatures

Brian G. Lloyd,
Attorney-in-Fact
04/18/2017

__Signature of Reporting 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) Becomes exercisable in equal annual installments of 20% commencing 08/11/12.

(2) Becomes exercisable in equal annual installments of 20% commencing 10/04/15.

(3) Becomes exercisable in equal annual installments of 20% commencing 02/13/16.

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- (4) Becomes exercisable in equal annual installments of 20% commencing 01/28/17.
- (5) Becomes exercisable in equal annual installments of 20% commencing 04/14/18.

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