

Parra Raul Jr.
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Parra Raul Jr.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
MERIT MEDICAL SYSTEMS INC
[MMSI]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

1600 WEST MERIT PARKWAY

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
03/13/2019

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Chief Financial Officer

SOUTH JORDAN 84095

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(City) (State) (Zip)

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock, No Par Value	03/13/2019	03/15/2019	I	180 A \$ 59.64	463	I	By 401 (k) plan
Common Stock, No Par Value	03/14/2019		M	1,000 A \$ 12.06	1,000	D	
Common Stock, No Par Value	03/14/2019		M	1,000 A \$ 17.27	2,000	D	
Common Stock, No Par Value	03/14/2019		M	1,000 A \$ 16.05	3,000	D	

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Par Value

Common Stock, No	03/14/2019		M	2,000	A	\$ 44.8	5,000		D
Par Value									

Common Stock, No	03/14/2019		<u>S⁽¹⁾</u>	5,000	D	\$ 60.204	0		D
Par Value						<u>(2)</u>			

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. 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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$ 12.06	03/14/2019		M	1,000	10/04/2015 ⁽³⁾	10/04/2021	Common Stock	1
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$ 17.27	03/14/2019		M	1,000	02/13/2016 ⁽⁴⁾	02/13/2022	Common Stock	1
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$ 16.05	03/14/2019		M	1,000	01/28/2017 ⁽⁵⁾	01/28/2023	Common Stock	1
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$ 28.2					04/14/2018 ⁽⁶⁾	04/14/2024	Common Stock	8
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$ 44.8	03/13/2019		M	2,000	03/02/2019 ⁽⁷⁾	03/02/2025	Common Stock	2
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$ 55.73					03/01/2020 ⁽⁸⁾	03/01/2026	Common Stock	30

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Parra Raul Jr. 1600 WEST MERIT PARKWAY SOUTH JORDAN 84095			Chief Financial Officer	

Signatures

Brian G. Lloyd,
Attorney-in-Fact

03/15/2019

__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) The Reporting Person's sale of Merit Medical Systems, Inc.'s Common Stock reported herein was matchable under Section 16(b) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, to the extent of 180 shares, with the Reporting Person's purchase of 180 shares of Merit Medical Systems, Inc.'s common stock at a price of \$59.64 per share on March 13, 2019. The Reporting Person paid Merit Medical Systems, Inc. \$96.57, representing the full amount of the profit realized in connection with the short-swing transaction, less transaction costs.

(2) The price reported in Column 4 of Table 1 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$60.20 to \$60.25, 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 this Form 4.

(3) Becomes exercisable in equal annual installments of 20% commencing 10/04/2015.

(4) Becomes exercisable in equal annual installments of 20% commencing 02/03/2016.

(5) Becomes exercisable in equal annual installments of 20% commencing 01/28/2017.

(6) Becomes exercisable in equal annual installments of 20% commencing 04/14/2018.

(7) Becomes exercisable in equal annual installments of 20% commencing 03/02/2019.

(8) Becomes exercisable in equal annual installments of 20% commencing 03/01/2020.

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