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

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See Instruction 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 Parra Raul Jr. Issuer Symbol MERIT MEDICAL SYSTEMS INC (Check all applicable) [MMSI] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) 1600 WEST MERIT PARKWAY 03/13/2019 Chief Financial Officer (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 84095** Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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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 on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 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	03/14/2019		M	1,000	A	\$ 16.05	3,000	D	

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Par Value							
Common Stock, No Par Value	03/14/2019	M	2,000	A	\$ 44.8	5,000	D
Common Stock, No Par Value	03/14/2019	S <u>(1)</u>	5,000	D	\$ 60.204 (2)	0	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)

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 on f 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 Amo Underlying Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	An or Nu of
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).
- 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.
- 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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