MERIT MEDICAL SYSTEMS INC

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

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

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Form 4 or

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

STANGER KENT W

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

			MERIT MEDICAL SYSTEMS INC [MMSI]			(Check all applicable)					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1600 W MERIT PARKWAY			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/20/2014				_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chief Financial Officer				
(Street) 4. If Amendme: Filed(Month/Day					lment, Date Original /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		
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - No	n-D	erivative S	Securit	ties Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution any		3. Transac Code (Instr. 8	etioi 8)	4. Securiti n(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4)	posed	of (D)	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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock, No Par Value									79,031	I	By 401(k) plan (1)
Common Stock, No Par Value									4,271 ⁽²⁾	D	
Common Stock, No Par Value									60,001	I	Family Limited Liability Company

Common Stock, No Par Value	05/20/2014	M	3,509	A	\$ 11.05	718,345	D
Common Stock, No Par Value	05/20/2014	S	3,509	D	\$ 14 (3)	714,836	D
Common Stock, No Par Value	05/20/2014	M	18,710	A	\$ 11.05	733,546	D
Common Stock, No Par Value	05/20/2014	S	18,710	D	\$ 14 (3)	714,836	D
Common Stock, No Par Value	05/21/2014	M	40	A	\$ 11.05	714,876	D
Common Stock, No Par Value	05/21/2014	S	40	D	\$ 14.02	714,836	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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of onDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Derivative Expiration Date (Securities (Month/Day/Year) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) Instr. 3, 4,		7. Title and Am Underlying Sec (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	o N o
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$ 11.05	05/20/2014		M	3,509	06/10/2004	06/10/2014	Common Stock	
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$ 11.05	05/20/2014		M	18,710	06/10/2004	06/10/2014	Common Stock	1
Non-qualified stock options	\$ 11.05	05/21/2014		M	40	06/10/2004	06/10/2014	Common Stock	

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(right to buy)				
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$ 12.02	12/18/2004	12/18/2014	Common Stock
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$ 11.41	05/25/2005	05/25/2015	Common Stock
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$ 9.71	12/28/2005	12/28/2015	Common Stock 2
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$ 9.7	06/27/2008(5)	06/27/2014	Common Stock
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$ 9.7	06/27/2008(5)	06/27/2014	Common Stock
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$ 11.53	05/21/2009(6)	05/21/2015	Common Stock
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$ 13.82	09/26/2010(7)	09/26/2016	Common Stock
Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)	\$ 13.75	08/11/2012(8)	08/11/2018	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
reporting owner runner runners	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
STANGER KENT W							
1600 W MERIT PARKWAY	X		Chief Financial Officer				
SOUTH JORDAN, UT 84095							

Signatures

Kent W. Stanger 05/22/2014

**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) Represents plan holdings as of 05/15/2014.
- (2) Employee stock purchase plan holdings as of 05/15/2014.

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- 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 \$14.00 to \$14.02, 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.
- (4) This report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of the securities held by K.W.S. Properties LC.
- (5) Becomes exercisable in equal annual installments of 20% commencing 06/27/2008.
- (6) Becomes exercisable in equal annual installments of 20% commencing 05/21/2009.
- (7) Becomes exercisable in equal annual installments of 20% commencing 09/26/2010.
- (8) Becomes exercisable in equal annual installments of 20% commencing 08/11/2012.

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