

MERIT MEDICAL SYSTEMS INC

Form 4

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**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**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  
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Nelson Arlin D

(Last) (First) (Middle)

1600 W. MERIT PARKWAY

(Street)

SOUTH JORDAN, UT 84095

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading  
SymbolMERIT MEDICAL SYSTEMS INC  
[MMSI]3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)

07/31/2013

4. If Amendment, Date Original  
Filed(Month/Day/Year)5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☐ Director ☐ 10% Owner  
☒ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify  
below)

Chief Operating Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
☒ 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<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securities<br>Acquired (A) or<br>Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Common<br>Stock, No<br>Par Value      |                                         |                                                             |                                      | (A)<br>or<br>(D)                                                           | 5,330                                                                                                              | I                                                                    | By 401(k)<br>plan <sup>(1)</sup>                                  |
| Common<br>Stock, No<br>Par Value      |                                         |                                                             |                                      |                                                                            | 300                                                                                                                | 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 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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|---------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|
|                                             |                                                        |                                      |                                                    | Code                           | V (A) (D)                                                                               | Date Exercisable Expiration Date                         | Title                                                         |
| Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)  | \$ 17.34                                               |                                      |                                                    |                                |                                                                                         | 12/13/2003 12/13/2013                                    | Common Stock                                                  |
| Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)  | \$ 11.05                                               |                                      |                                                    |                                |                                                                                         | 06/10/2004 06/10/2014                                    | Common Stock                                                  |
| Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)  | \$ 12.02                                               |                                      |                                                    |                                |                                                                                         | 12/18/2004 12/18/2014                                    | Common Stock                                                  |
| Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)  | \$ 9.71                                                |                                      |                                                    |                                |                                                                                         | 12/28/2005 12/28/2015                                    | Common Stock                                                  |
| Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)  | \$ 9.7                                                 |                                      |                                                    |                                |                                                                                         | 06/27/2008 <sup>(2)</sup> 06/27/2014                     | Common Stock                                                  |
| Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)  | \$ 11.53                                               |                                      |                                                    |                                |                                                                                         | 05/21/2009 <sup>(3)</sup> 05/21/2015                     | Common Stock                                                  |
| Non-qualified stock options (right to buy)  | \$ 13.75                                               |                                      |                                                    |                                |                                                                                         | 08/11/2012 <sup>(4)</sup> 08/11/2018                     | Common Stock                                                  |
| Non-qualified stock options (rights to buy) | \$ 13.14                                               | 07/31/2013                           |                                                    | A                              | 10,000                                                                                  | 07/31/2014 <sup>(5)</sup> 07/31/2020                     | Common Stock                                                  |

## Reporting Owners

### Reporting Owner Name / Address

### Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Nelson Arlin D  
1600 W. MERIT PARKWAY  
SOUTH JORDAN, UT 84095

Chief Operating Officer

## Signatures

/s/ ARLIN D.  
NELSON

08/02/2013

\_\_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 7/31/2013.
- (2) Becomes exercisable in equal annual installments of 20% commencing 6/27/08.
- (3) Becomes exercisable in equal annual installments of 20% commencing 5/21/09.
- (4) Becomes exercisable in equal annual installments of 20% commencing 8/11/12.
- (5) Becomes exercisable in equal annual installments of 20% commencing 7/31/14.

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