Karras Nolan E. Form 4 March 01, 2012

FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Karras Nolan E.			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) 1600 WEST	(First) (N	Middle)	3. Date of (Month/D) 02/28/2	•					_X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
SOLITH IO		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/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					
	RDAN, UT 8409								Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - No	n-D	erivative	Secur	rities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	saction Date 2A. Deemed (Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or Code V Amount (D) Price				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock, No Par Value	02/28/2012			P		2,000	A	\$ 12.56	2,000	I	By IRA	
Common Stock, No	03/01/2012			P		2,000	A	\$ 12.55	4,000	I	By IRA	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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									of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address 10% Owner Officer Other Director

Karras Nolan E. 1600 WEST MERIT PARKWAY X SOUTH JORDAN, UT 84095

Signatures

Gregory L. Barnett, 03/01/2012 Attorney-in-Fact

**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).

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