

Arens Timothy J.
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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 *
Arens Timothy J.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
SURMODICS INC [SRDX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

9924 WEST 74TH STREET

(Street)

EDEN PRAIRIE, MN 55344

(City) (State) (Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
03/27/2018

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

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
VP-Corporate Dev. and Strategy

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	03/27/2018		M	A	\$ 20.37	42,207	D
Common Stock	03/27/2018		M	A	\$ 22.58	48,836	D
Common Stock	03/27/2018		F	D	\$ 37.6	38,578	D

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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)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 20.37	03/27/2018		M	6,633	⁽¹⁾ 12/12/2019	Common Stock	6,633
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 22.58	03/27/2018		M	6,629	⁽¹⁾ 11/18/2020	Common Stock	6,629

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
Arens Timothy J. 9924 WEST 74TH STREET EDEN PRAIRIE, MN 55344	Director 10% Owner Officer VP-Corporate Dev. and Strategy

Signatures

/s/ Bryan K. Phillips on behalf of Timothy J. Arens
 **Signature of Reporting Person
 03/29/2018
 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) Fully vested.

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