FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* BARCLAY BRUCE						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SURMODICS INC [SRDX]								heck all app Direc	licable) tor	10% Ov		ner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 9924 WEST 74TH STREET						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/01/2003								X Officer (give title Other (specify below) President & COO				
(Street) EDEN PRAIRIE MN 55344 (City) (State) (Zip)					- 4. I	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								i. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
		Tal	ole I - Noi	n-Deri	vativ	e Se	curities	s Ac	quired,	Disp	osed c	of, or Be	neficia	lly Owne	d			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Trans Date (Month/I						ear)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)			Benefi Owned	ies cially Following	Form (D) o	n: Direct r Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
									Code	v	Amount	(A) o (D)	r Price		ed ction(s) 8 and 4)			Instr. 4)
Common Stock 12/01/						/2003			A		15,00	15,000 A		1	15,000		D	
			Table II -									or Bendele		y Owned			,	
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		3A. Deemee Execution I if any (Month/Day	Date,	4. Transa Code (8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea			and 7. Title and of Securiti Underlying Derivative (Instr. 3 an		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		re es ally g	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisab		expiration pate	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	1				
Non- Qualified Stock Option (Right to	\$21	12/01/2003			A		50,000		(1)	1	2/01/2010	Common Stock	50,000	\$0	50,00	00	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Exercisable in annual increments of 10,000 shares commencing on 12/1/2004.

Remarks:

Bruce J Barclay

12/04/2003

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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