FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>KALICH RONALD B SR</u>							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SURMODICS INC [SRDX]									hip of Reportir pplicable) ector	,		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 9924 WEST 74TH STREET						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2018										icer (give title ow)	Other (specify below)		
(Street) EDEN PRAIRIE MN 55344 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									ne) X Fo	or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable rm filed by One Reporting Person rm filed by More than One Reporting rson			
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Da						Execution Date,		Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)			ities Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			d Sec Ber Owi	mount of urities eficially led Following orted	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
							v	Amount	(A (D) or)	Price	Trai	saction(s) r. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)			
Common Stock 12/31/2							018		A		322(1)		A	\$47.	26	12,743 ⁽²⁾	D		
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	if any	cution Date, To Country Country Country Service 8		I. Transaction Code (Instr. 3)		of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Expir Exercisable Expir		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amoun or Numbe of Title Shares		ount nber	8. Price of Derivativ Security (Instr. 5)		Owne Form: Direct or Ind (I) (Ins	(D)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The reporting person elected to receive vested deferred stock units (DSUs) in lieu of quarterly cash retainer payments. The DSUs are settled in shares of the issuer's common stock as described below.
- 2. The amount beneficially owned includes 6,812 restricted stock units (RSUs) that vest on service-based vesting dates and 5,931 DSUs that are vested upon issuance, each of which will be settled in shares of the issuer's common stock on a 1 for 1 basis when the reporting person's service as a director ends.

Remarks:

/s/ Bryan K. Phillips, on behalf of Ronald B. Kalich

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- * 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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