FORM 3

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Requiring Stat			2. Date of Event Requiring State (Month/Day/Yea 05/01/2006	ment	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SURMODICS INC [SRDX] 4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify			r oif.	5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check		
(Street) EDEN PRAIRIE (City)	MN (State)	55344 (Zip)			Vice Preside		below) ent		Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
			Table I - Noi	n-Deriva	tive Se	ecurities Beneficiall	y Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)					2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)				4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		
Common Stock						2,000	D				
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)											
Expiration			Expiration D	Date Exercisable and xpiration Date //onth/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversi or Exerci	se Form:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)	
			Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	n Title		Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Direct (D) e or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		
Stock Option	(Right to Buy)		(1)	05/16/2012	2	Common Stock	12,500	39.97	D		
Stock Option	(Right to Buy)		(2)	05/16/2012	2	Common Stock	7,500	39.97	D		
Stock Option (Right to Buy)			(3)	11/14/2012	2	Common Stock	3,500	39.13	D		

Explanation of Responses:

- $1.\ Originally\ granted\ 12{,}500\ shares\ on\ 05/16/2005,\ which\ are\ exercisable\ in\ annual\ increments\ of\ 2{,}500\ shares\ each\ commencing\ 05/16/2006.$
- $2. \ Originally \ granted \ 7,500 \ shares \ on \ 05/16/2005, \ which \ are \ exercisable \ in \ annual \ increments \ of \ 1,500 \ shares \ each \ commencing \ 05/16/2006.$
- $3. \ Originally \ granted \ 3,500 \ shares \ on \ 11/14/2005, \ which \ are \ exercisable \ in \ annual \ increments \ of \ 700 \ shares \ each \ commencing \ 11/14/2006.$

Remarks:

/s/ Brian L. Robey

05/08/2006

** 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 5 (b)(v).
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