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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| (Last) (Eirst) (Middle) | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>SURMODICS INC</u> [SRDX] | (Check | tionship of Reporting Per all applicable) Director Officer (give title | rson(s) to Issuer 10% Owner Other (specify |
|--|----------|--|------------------------|---|--|
| | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/05/2018 | | below) Interim VP, Financ | below) |
| (Street) EDEN PRAIRIE MN 553 (City) (State) (Zip |)344 | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | 6. Indiv Line) X | idual or Joint/Group Filin Form filed by One Rep Form filed by More tha Person | orting Person |

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) | | | | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--|---|-------------------------|--------|---------------|-------|------------------------------------|---|---|---|
| | Code | | v | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | (1150. 4) | |
| Common Stock | 07/05/2018 | | М | | 5,863 | A | \$21.03 | 38,293 | D | |
| Common Stock | 07/05/2018 | | М | | 6,099 | A | \$20.25 | 44,392 | D | |
| Common Stock | 07/05/2018 | | М | | 3,964 | A | \$23.95 | 48,356 | D | |
| Common Stock | 07/05/2018 | | F ⁽¹⁾ | | 8,947 | D | \$58.25 | 39,409 | D | |

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. Transa Code (8) | | of I | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---|---|--|---|------------------------------|---|------|-------|--|--------------------|--|--|---|--|--|--|
| | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$21.03 | 07/05/2018 | | М | | | 5,863 | (2) | 12/02/2021 | Common Stock | 5,863 | \$0.00 | 8,413 | D | |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 20.25 | 07/05/2018 | | М | | | 6,099 | (3) | 12/17/2022 | Common Stock | 6,099 | \$0.00 | 13,828 | D | |
| Employee Stock Option | \$23.95 | 07/05/2018 | | М | | | 3,964 | (4) | 11/30/2023 | Common Stock | 3,964 | \$0.00 | 13,157 | D | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. The reporting person makes a payment of exercise price or tax liability by delivering or withholding securities incident to the receipt, exercise or vesting of a security issued in accordance with Rule 16b-3.

2. The award vests in four equal installments on each of the first four anniversaries of the December 2, 2014 grant date.

3. The award vests in four equal installments on each of the first four anniversaries of the December 17, 2015 grant date.

4. The award vests in four equal installments on each of the first four anniversaries of the November 30, 2016 grant date.

Remarks:

/s/ Bryan K. Phillips on behalf 07/09/2018

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

of Timothy J. Arens

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).

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