

Stich Joseph J.
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Stich Joseph 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)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
11/28/2017

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
VP and GM, IVD

EDEN PRAIRIE, MN 55344

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(City) (State) (Zip)

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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | Code | V Amount (A) or (D) Price | | | |
| Common Stock | 11/28/2017 | | A | 4,518 A \$ 0 | 44,507 | D | |
| Common Stock | 11/28/2017 | | A | 6,525 (1) A \$ 0 | 51,032 | D | |
| Common Stock | 11/28/2017 | | F | 3,146 (2) D \$ 33.2 | 47,886 | D | |
| Common Stock | 11/30/2017 | | F | 436 D \$ 33.1 | 47,450 | D | |

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

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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) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable Expiration Date | Title Amount or Number of Shares |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 33.2 | 11/28/2017 | | A | 21,285 | <u>(3)</u> 11/28/2024 | Common Stock 21,285 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|----------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Stich Joseph J. 9924 WEST 74TH STREET EDEN PRAIRIE, MN 55344 | | | VP and GM, IVD | |

Signatures

/s/ Bryan K. Phillips, on behalf of Joseph J. Stich
11/30/2017

**Signature of Reporting Person 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) Shares issued in connection with the vesting of a performance share award under long-term incentive plan based on performance during three-year period ended September 30, 2017.
- (2) Shares withheld to satisfy taxes incident to vesting of performance share award.
- (3) The award vests in four equal installments on each of the first four anniversaries of the November 28, 2017 grant date.

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