

BUZARD JAMES

Form 4

January 19, 2010

FORM 4
UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
BUZARD JAMES

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
MERIDIAN BIOSCIENCE INC
[VIVO]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3471 RIVER HILLS DRIVE

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
01/15/2010

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☐ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

CINCINNATI, OH 45244

(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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock			Code	V Amount (D) Price	15,000	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)

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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)	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
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 22.15	01/15/2010		G	V		7,500	<u>(1)</u>	01/22/2019	Common Stock	7,500
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 22.15	01/15/2010		G	V	7,500		<u>(1)</u>	01/22/2019	Common Stock	7,500
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 34.3	01/15/2010		G	V		7,500	<u>(1)</u>	01/22/2018	Common Stock	7,500
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 34.3	01/15/2010		G	V	7,500		<u>(1)</u>	01/22/2018	Common Stock	7,500
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 18.074	01/15/2010		G	V		7,500	<u>(1)</u>	01/18/2017	Common Stock	7,500
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 18.074	01/15/2010		G	V	7,500		<u>(1)</u>	01/18/2017	Common Stock	7,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BUZARD JAMES 3471 RIVER HILLS DRIVE CINCINNATI, OH 45244	X			

Signatures

/s/ Melissa Lueke as Attorney-in-Fact for James A.
Buzard

01/19/2010

__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) This award vests 25% every 90 days from the date of grant.
 - (2) The reporting person has transferred this option to a trust, the sole beneficiary of which is his spouse.

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