

MERGE HEALTHCARE INC
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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 *
Merrick RIS, LLC

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
MERGE HEALTHCARE INC
[MRGE]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
200 EAST RANDOLPH STREET, SUITE 2210
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
11/25/2011

___ Director ___X___ 10% Owner
___ Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)

CHICAGO, IL 60601

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
___ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | | | | |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|--------------------|------------|--|---|-------------------------|
| | | | | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | \$ | | | | |
| Common Stock | 11/25/2011 | | P | | | 146,500 | A | 4.47 <u>(1)</u> | 31,411,637 | | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | | 500,000 | | I | See Footnote <u>(2)</u> |

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

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- (2) These shares were issued to Merrick Healthcare Solutions, LLC, an Indiana limited liability company ("Merrick Healthcare"), as consideration for the purchase price of the acquisition by Merge of the assets of, and relating to, the Olivia Greets business line previously owned by Merrick Healthcare. These shares were subsequently transferred from Merrick Healthcare to Merrick Ventures, LLC, a private investment firm ("Merrick Ventures"). Both Merrick Healthcare and Merrick RIS, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Merrick RIS"), are majority-owned subsidiaries of Merrick Ventures. Merrick RIS is not a beneficial owner of these shares.

Remarks:

The reporting persons are Merrick RIS and Michael W. Ferro, Jr. ("Mr. Ferro"), the Chairman of the Board of Directors of Me

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