

MERGE HEALTHCARE INC
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FORM 4

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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)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 06/03/2010

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

233 NORTH MICHIGAN AVENUE, SUITE 2330

(Street)

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

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

CHICAGO, IL 60601

(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 | (D) | Price |
| Common Stock | 06/03/2010 | | P | | 4,700 | A | \$ 2.35 |
| Common Stock | 06/03/2010 | | P | | 400 | A | \$ 2.355 |
| Common Stock | 06/03/2010 | | P | | 2,000 | A | \$ 2.36 |
| Common Stock | 06/03/2010 | | P | | 100 | A | \$ 2.365 |
| Common Stock | 06/03/2010 | | P | | 2,496 | A | \$ 2.37 |

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|--|------------|---|--------|---|-----------|------------|---|
| Common Stock | 06/03/2010 | P | 200 | A | \$ 2.375 | 30,170,333 | D |
| Common Stock | 06/03/2010 | P | 1,804 | A | \$ 2.38 | 30,172,137 | D |
| Common Stock | 06/03/2010 | P | 400 | A | \$ 2.385 | 30,172,537 | D |
| Common Stock | 06/03/2010 | P | 200 | A | \$ 2.3875 | 30,172,737 | D |
| Common Stock | 06/03/2010 | P | 17,538 | A | \$ 2.39 | 30,190,275 | D |
| Common Stock | 06/03/2010 | P | 100 | A | \$ 2.395 | 30,190,375 | D |
| Common Stock | 06/03/2010 | P | 16,662 | A | \$ 2.4 | 30,207,037 | D |
| Common Stock | 06/03/2010 | P | 100 | A | \$ 2.405 | 30,207,137 | D |
| Common Stock | 06/03/2010 | P | 2,100 | A | \$ 2.41 | 30,209,237 | D |
| Common Stock | 06/03/2010 | P | 900 | A | \$ 2.42 | 30,210,137 | D |
| Common Stock | 06/03/2010 | P | 444 | A | \$ 2.425 | 30,210,581 | D |
| Common Stock | 06/03/2010 | P | 100 | A | \$ 2.4275 | 30,210,681 | D |
| Common Stock | 06/03/2010 | P | 4,356 | A | \$ 2.43 | 30,215,037 | D |
| Common Stock | 06/03/2010 | P | 100 | A | \$ 2.44 | 30,215,137 | D |
| Series A Non-Voting Preferred Stock ⁽¹⁾ | | | | | | 10,000 | 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)

| 1. Title of Derivative | 2. Conversion | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if | 4. TransactionNumber | 5. Expiration Date | 6. Date Exercisable and | 7. Title and Amount of | 8. Price of Derivative | 9. Nu Deriv |
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| Security (Instr. 3) | or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | any (Month/Day/Year) | Code (Instr. 8) | of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | (Month/Day/Year) | Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | Security (Instr. 5) | Secur Bene Own Follo Repor Trans (Instr | |
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| | | | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Merrick RIS, LLC 233 NORTH MICHIGAN AVENUE SUITE 2330 CHICAGO, IL 60601 | | X | | |
| FERRO MICHAEL W JR 233 NORTH MICHIGAN AVENUE SUITE 2330 CHICAGO, IL 60601 | X | X | | |

Signatures

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|--|------------|
| Julie Ann B. Schumitsch, by Power of Attorney for Merrick RIS, LLC | 06/07/2010 |
| **Signature of Reporting Person | Date |
| Julie Ann B. Schumitsch, by Power of Attorney for Michael W. Ferro, Jr. | 06/07/2010 |
| **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) On April 27, 2010, Merge Healthcare Incorporated issued an aggregate of 41,750 shares of Series A Non-voting Preferred Stock, par value \$0.01 per share and 7,515,000 shares of its Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share, for a total purchase price of approximately \$41,750,000.

Remarks:

The reporting persons are Merrick RIS, LLC ("Merrick"), a Delaware limited liability company, and Michael W. Ferro, Jr. ("M...")

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